# Kathyrn Salih

School Occupational Therapist

### Profile

I am a School Occupational Therapist with over 1 year of experience. I have worked with students of all ages and abilities, and have been able to make a positive impact on their lives. I am passionate about my work and take pride in helping others reach their full potential.

# Employment History

## School Occupational Therapist at Hawaii Pacific Health, HI

Mar 2022 - Present

- Led a team of 3 occupational therapists in developing and implementing an innovative new therapy program for children with autism that resulted in a 70% success rate.
- Successfully advocated for increased funding for the school district's occupational therapy program, which led to a 50% increase in overall budget.
- Trained 5 new occupational therapists on best practices and current research related to working with children with disabilities.
- Presented at 2 national conferences on the topic of using sensory-based approaches to treating children with autism.

# Occupational Therapist at Rehabilitation Hospital of the Pacific, HI Jul 2021 - Feb 2022

- Successfully treated 300 patients with varying occupational therapy
- Created and implemented 10 successful treatment plans.
- Successfully completed 50 hours of continuing education credits.
- Presented at 3 local conferences on newoccupational therapy techniques.
- Wrote 2 articles that were published in national magazines.

### Education

# Master of Science in Occupational Therapy at University of Hawaii at Manoa

Sep 2016 - May 2021

Some skills I've learned are how to better communicate with patients, how to better understand their needs, and how to better assess their condition.

### **@** Certificates

**Certified Hand Therapist (CHT)** 

Dec 2020

**Certified Autism Specialist (CAS)** 

Sep 2019

# **Memberships**

American Occupational Therapy Association
National Board for Certification in Occupational Therapy

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#### Links

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#### **Skills**

Communication

Documentation

Observation

Assessment

Planning and Implementation

Evaluation and Outcomes Measurement

#### Languages

**English** 

Bengali

#### **Hobbies**

Organizing

Crafting

Reading