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Research Interests

Client-centered and occupation-based practices in hand therapy, Cumulative trauma etiology and prevention, Ergonomics, Participatory Ergonomics

Education

- 2010 PhD in Occupational Therapy, Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, FL
- 1997 Bachelor of Science in Occupational Therapy, Keuka College, Keuka Park, NY
- 1991 Associates Degree, Liberal Arts/Science/Humanities, Alfred State College, Alfred, NY

Continuing Education

- 1998 Hand Therapy and Splinting
- 1999 Modalities Within the Framework of Occupational Therapy
- 1999 The Shoulder Complex
- 2003 Complete Wound Care
- 2003 Comprehensive Management of the Wrist and Hand
- 2004 Medication Errors and OT Rules and Laws (current)
- 2004 Ottobock UE Amputee Rehabilitation: An Advanced Course for Therapists
- 2005 Elbow Assessment and Treatment
- 2005 Techniques in Homecare
- 2005 Hand Therapy Update
- 2006 Spanish for the Rehabilitation Professional
- 2007 AOTA Conference and Expo
- 2007 The Mulligan Concept
- 2008 Certified Ergonomics Specialist, Level I, Back School of Atlanta
- 2008 Physical Agent Modalities Certification Course
- 2009 Certified Ergonomics Specialist, Level II, Back School of Atlanta
- 2009 CPR Recertification
- 2010 South Beach Orthotics & Prosthetics
- 2010 Miami Hand Reconstruction Course: Arthroscopy & Arthroplasty
- 2010 Doctors Demystify: Upper Extremity Muscles and Tendons
- 2010 South Beach Orthotics & Prosthetics
- 2010 Fundamentals of Hand Therapy
- 2010 Nova Doctoral Presentations
- 2011 ASHT Annual Meeting
- 2011 Management of Common Hand and Upper Limb Problems in the Office

- 2011 Teaching and Learning Academy
- 2012 FOTA Annual Conference
- 2013 AOTA Annual Conference
- 2013 Environment and Use of Occupation in the Hand Clinic
- 2013 Best Practices Series – Inter-professional Education
- 2013 Best Practices Series – Hybrid Education
- 2013 FOTA Annual Conference
- 2013 Best Practices Series – Clinical Education
- 2013 Critical Reading Strategies Online and On Paper
- 2014 Best Practices Series – Standardized Patients
- 2014 Best Practices Series – Simulation
- 2014 Best Practices Series - Evidence-based Health Literacy for Education and Practice
- 2014 Neuro Immune Medicine Workshop
- 2014 FOTA Annual Conference
- 2014 AOTA Annual Conference
- 2014 Region 7 Research Symposium
- 2015 COM Faculty Development Interprofessional Education In Review
- 2015 Best Practices in Hybrid Education – Update
- 2015 Orthoses for Mobilization: An Orfit Orthosis/Splint Workshop
- 2015 ASHT Annual Meeting
- 2015 Region 7 Research Symposium
- 2015 FOTA Annual Conference
- 2016 Doctor's Demystify: Wound Care for OTs and PTs
- 2016 Region 7 Research Symposium
- 2017 AOTA Annual Conference
- 2017 Region 7 Research Symposium
- 2017 ASHT Annual Meeting
- 2018 Region 7 Research Symposium

Honors and Awards

- 2017 Golden Apple Award
- 2015 Nominated for the faculty award for excellence in teaching
- 2013 Golden Apple Award
- 2011 Outstanding Accomplishments in Teaching – Fall 2011
- 2001 Received facility based VIP award for outstanding service and dedication in the delivery of rehabilitation services
- 1999 Certificate of Appreciation for Support of Occupational Therapy Fieldwork Education
- 1997 Graduated with honors from Keuka College
- 1997 Keuka Circle Fellowship certificate of appreciation in recognition of commitment to the values and tenets of the Keuka Circle Fellowship, including academic excellence, community service and dedication to work.

- 1996 Experiential education certificate of appreciation in recognition of outstanding service to the campus employment program
- 1996 Lions Club certificate of appreciation for interactive presentation to enhance communication and teambuilding.

Academic Associations: 1995 Phi Theta Epsilon
2014 Alpha Eta

Licenses and Certifications

- 2009 Certified Ergonomics Assessment Specialist, Level II
- 2008 Certified Ergonomics Assessment Specialist, Level I
- 2005 Certified Hand Therapist, Hand Therapy Certification Commission, Certification # 1051100282
- 2004 Licensed Occupational Therapist, State of Florida, License #OT 11381
- 2002 Licensed Occupational Therapist, State of South Carolina, License # 2656 (inactive)
- 1997 Licensed Occupational Therapist, State of New York, License #8579-1
- 1997 National Board Certification in Occupational Therapy, NBCOT

Clinical Experience

- 2011-present Outpatient Hand Therapist (per diem)
- 2007-2011 Outpatient Hand Therapist
Cora Rehabilitation Clinics
747 S State Road 7, Plantation, Florida 33317
- 2004-2007 Outpatient Hand Therapist
HealthSouth: Sports Medicine and Rehabilitation Center
2804 University Drive, Coral Springs, FL 33065
- 2002-2004 Inpatient/ Outpatient Occupational Therapist w/specialty in hand therapy
Spartanburg Regional Medical Center
101 East Wood Street
Spartanburg, SC 29303

My clinical experiences have provided me with a rich, diverse background in the practice of occupational therapy including acute care, outpatient services, ergonomics, early intervention, outpatient pediatrics, hospice intervention, home health, and hand therapy.

Teaching Experience

- 2011-Present Assistant Professor, Nova Southeastern University, 3200 S. University Drive, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33328
Courses: Introduction to Occupation
Applied Kinesiology for Occupational Therapy
Impact of Human Conditions on Occupational Performance II
Research Practicum
Contextual Analysis of Occupational Performance
Occupation Centered Practice
Capstone Supervision
Dissertation Chair
- 2004-2011 Adjunct Faculty, Nova Southeastern University, 3200 S. University Drive, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33328
Courses: Occupational Evaluation
Physical Disabilities (including MOT and MPT/DPT courses)
OT for Older Adults
- 1998-2008 Clinical Fieldwork Instructor: Lourdes Hospital, Binghamton, NY; Spartanburg Regional Medical Center, Spartanburg, SC; CORA Rehabilitation Services, Inc., Plantation, FL (approximately 16 students).
- 1999-2004 Experiential learning seminars. During my employment at Lourdes Hospital, Binghamton, NY and Spartanburg Regional Medical Center, Spartanburg, SC, I was responsible for creating and presenting seminars to facilitate communication and teamwork in order to improve customer services outcomes. My duties as a member of the customer service improvement team included; conducting in-services for staff members (both within and outside of the rehabilitation department), providing instruction to peer customer service representatives, and mediating between dissatisfied clients and staff members.

Professional Presentations

Reese Walter, J., ASHT Annual Meeting, "Reliability of a Smartphone Goniometer Application for Small Joint Measurements," Nova Southeastern University, Dallas, Texas. (September 21, 2018).

Reese Walter, J., Annual World Congress of Orthopaedics, "Effectiveness of an Ergonomic Program for Cosmetologists," Milan, Italy. (July 25, 2018).

Reese Walter, J. (Author & Presenter), Vatwani, A. (Author), Wang, K. (Author), Bouchard, N. (Author), Carbone, J. (Author), Rapiet, C. (Author), Saef, R. (Author), Stenftenagel, K. (Author), Walker, E. (Author), HPD Research Day 2018, "Effectiveness of an Ergonomic Program for Dental Students," Health Professions Division, Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, FL. (February 16, 2018).

Reese Walter, J., ASHT Annual Meeting "Effectiveness of an ergonomic program for dental students", (October 13-14, 2017).

Lambdin-Pattavina, C., **Reese Walter**, J. AOTA Annual Meeting, "Using Art to Facilitate Communication and Understanding of Differing Perspectives Among Interprofessional Groups of Healthcare Students", (April 2017)

Reese Walter, J., ASHT Annual Meeting, "Using Single Subject Designs to Evaluate Client Progress." (September 16, 2016).

Reese Walter, J., HPD Faculty Connections Cafe, "OT Roles and Responsibilities: A Foundation for Interprofessional Collaboration," Nova Southeastern University. (February 23, 2016).

Reese Walter, J., Florida Occupational Therapy Association, "Reliability of a Smart Phone Goniometer Application for Small Joint Measurements," Orlando, FL. (November 6, 2015).

Lambdin-Pattavina, C. (Author & Presenter), **Reese Walter**, J. (Author), Sustaining Innovation, "Using Art to Facilitate Communication and Understanding of Differing Perspectives Among Interprofessional Groups of Healthcare Students: A Pilot Study," Art Therapy Consulting and Services, Miami Florida. (October 10, 2015).

Reese Walter, J., Best Practice Series, "Interprofessional Education Update," Nova Southeastern University, 3200 South University Drive. (January 15, 2015).

Reese Walter, J. (Presenter), Best Practices Series, "Rubrics for Enhancing Teaching and Learning," Nova Southeastern University, Terry Building Room 1247. (Sep 16, 2014).

Reese Walter, J. (Other), Florida Occupational Therapy Association, "Nova Southeastern University Health Care Profession Students' Knowledge About Occupational Therapy," Daytona Beach. (November 8, 2013).

Reese Walter, J. (Author & Presenter), American Society of Hand Therapists, "The Effectiveness of an Ergonomic Program for Cosmetologists," Nashville, TN. (September 2011).

Reese Walter, J. Discussion panelist for continuing education course provided by FOTA: “Management of Common Hand and Upper Limb Problems in the Office” (October 2011)

Reese Walter, J. Course instructor for continuing education course: “Fundamentals of Hand Therapy” (2007-2009)

Publications

Reese Walter, J., Braunius, C. (In press). Evaluation of strength and movement: A guide to manual muscle testing, goniometry, and functional performance. SLACK

Reese Walter, J., Winston, K. (2017). Therapeutic occupations and modalities. *Pedretti's Occupational Therapy: Practice Skills for Physical Dysfunction*.

Wilson James, L., & Reese Walter, J. (2015). Teams and occupational therapy practitioner leadership *An occupational perspective on leadership: Theoretical and practical dimensions* (2nd ed.). Thorofare, NJ: SLACK.

Professional Affiliations

Member of the American Occupational Therapy Association

Member of the American Society of Hand Therapists

Reviewer for the Journal of Hand Therapy (2012 – present)

Research

- 8/17-4/18 Supervised MOT Research – Using Art to Facilitate Communication and Understanding of Differing Perspectives Among Interprofessional Groups of Healthcare Students
- 8/16-4/17 Supervised MOT Research – Effectiveness of an Ergonomic Program for Dental Students
- 8/15-4/16 Supervised MOT Research – Effectiveness of an Ergonomic Program for Dental Students
- 8/14-4/15 Supervised MOT Research – Reliability and validity of a smartphone app to measure joint ROM
- 8/13-4/14 Supervised MOT Research - Reliability and Validity of an Electronic Hand Dynamometer
- 8/12-12/12 Supervised MOT Research – Knowledge about Occupational Therapy Among Students in the Health Professions Division at Nova Southeastern University Following an Educational Seminar
- 1/09-9/09 Completed dissertation study entitled “The effectiveness of an ergonomic program for cosmetologists”.
- 9/06-12/06 Completed pilot descriptive study regarding incidence and prevalence of cumulative trauma among cosmetologists.
- 4/06-6/06 Completed focus group study entitled “Exploring client-centered and occupation-based practice in hand therapy”.