

Special Topic Forum – VIRTUAL

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Ethics and Ethical Decision Making in Practice (1 PDU)

*Presenters Winifred Schultz-Krohn, PhD, OTR/L, BCP, FAOTA, and
Graham Teaford, OTD, OTR/L*

Ethical decision making in occupational therapy practice is complex, given the responsibility of the occupational therapy practitioner to balance the client's occupational interests and needs, reimbursement constraints, and practitioner skill/expertise.

This session will provide attendees with an opportunity to examine ethical issues within their practice and develop a decision-making process that can serve as a framework.

Attendees will learn to:

1. Identify the variables that create an ethical issue within your practice.
2. Develop an ethical problem-solving approach that upholds the AOTA Code of Ethics.

We look forward to examining ethical issues with you!

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ABOUT OUR PRESENTERS



Winifred A. Schultz-Krohn, PhD, OTR/L, BCP, FAOTA, has over 40 years of experience as an occupational therapy practitioner. She is Board Certified in Pediatrics (BCP) by the American Occupational Therapy Association (AOTA) and

has advanced practice in swallowing (SWC) by the California Board of Occupational Therapy. She served as the chair of various AOTA committees and is a professor emeritus of occupational therapy at San Jose State University. Schultz-Krohn received a regional Jefferson Award for her volunteer service to homeless families, was selected as the Honored Lecturer for the California Occupational Therapy Foundation (CFOT), awarded the prestigious Outstanding Professor of San Jose State University, awarded the OTAC Lifetime Achievement Award, and the AOTA Distinguished Educator Award. Schultz-Krohn is the co-editor of the 6th, 7th, 8th and upcoming 9th Edition of Pedretti's Occupational Therapy: Practice Skills for Physical Dysfunction textbook in addition to authoring well over 40 articles and chapters.



Graham Teaford, OTD, OTR/L, is an assistant professor of occupational therapy at San Jose State University (SJSU). He is an occupational therapy practitioner with clinical experience working with

older adults in community settings. He completed the Low Vision Rehabilitation Graduate Certificate Program at the University of Alabama Birmingham (UAB) in 2018 and doctorate in occupational therapy from UAB in 2022. Teaford completed an executive certificate in home modification program

from USC in 2016, and in 2020 the AOTA specialty certification in low vision (SCLV). He has been a faculty member at SJSU since 2008 teaching courses in neurorehabilitation, occupational therapy with older adults, clinical practice in occupational therapy, fieldwork practicum and seminar, and infusing occupation in clinical practice. His research interests include neurological assessment and intervention, fall prevention for older adults, community aging, home modification, low vision rehabilitation, ethics, and community-based occupational therapy programs.

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