

PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT SCHOOL SETTING

JOB DESCRIPTION:

Position available in a school setting servicing children from kindergarten to age 22. The position involves working within a single school setting in Stark County. Position can be adapted to meet your personal scheduling needs.

POSITION SUMMARY:

To assist each student to achieve their fullest potential physically and prevent progression of any disability.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

Include but not limited to:

- Provide treatment to those students appropriate for physical therapy.
- Assist with monitoring, fabricating and adapting orthotics, casts and adaptive equipment.
- Serve as representative to appropriate committees within the school setting.
- Maintain required documentation in orderly and timely manner.
- Provide consultation and training for staff, parents, students and volunteers for physical therapy programs.
- Communicate to physical therapist, current issues, student situation, changes in condition and facility programs.
- Take all necessary precautions to insure the safety of students.
- Attend team meetings.

JOB REQUIREMENTS:

- Graduate of an accredited physical therapist assistant program. Prefer, but not required, at least one year experience working in a school or similar setting.
- Licensed by the State of Ohio as a Physical Therapist Assistant
- Satisfactory background/fingerprint report
- ODE certification (may obtain at the time of hire)

