PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE DISCLOSURE
Keiser University – AS, Occupational Therapy Assistant

Degree Title (Concentration)	Level
AS in Occupational Therapy Assistant	AS

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This Disclosure is strictly limited to Keiser University's (KU) determination of whether the **Associate of Science in Occupational Therapy Assistant** (the "Program"), if successfully completed, would be sufficient to meet the educational requirements for licensure or certification in a State, as defined by 34 C.F.R. § 600.2.

KU's AS in Occupational Therapy Assistant graduates are eligible candidates for the National Board of Certification of Occupational Therapy (NBCOT) examination. Under state guidelines, passage of the NBCOT certification exam permits the graduate to become a licensed professional. A licensed and certified Occupational Therapy Assistant (OTA) practitioner practices under the supervision of a licensed Occupational Therapist (OT) practitioner. Keiser University's Occupational Therapy Assistant program, Ft. Lauderdale, Fort Myers, Miami, Pembroke Pines, Jacksonville, Daytona, Tallahassee, Tampa and West Palm Beach campuses, are fully accredited by the Accreditation Council for Occupational Therapy Education (ACOTE) of the American Occupational Therapy Association (AOTA). Keiser University's Occupational Therapy Assistant program, Melbourne and Orlando campuses were placed on Probationary Accreditation effective April 22, 2023, because the area of noncompliance related to 2018 Standard A.6.4 (certification exam pass rate) is so serious that the capability of the program to provide acceptable educational experiences for the students is threatened. ACOTE voted to grant the program's request to extend the time frame for compliance with 2018 Standard A.6.4 until August 2024.

NOTE: **This disclosure does not provide any guarantee that any one state licensure entity will approve or deny application for certification or professional licensure.** Furthermore, this disclosure does not account for changes in state law or regulations that may affect your application for certification or licensure that may occur after this disclosure has been made. If your career plans include pursuing professional licensure or certification in your chosen field, it is important to become educated on the credentialing requirements of the state in which you hope to practice by contacting the state's licensure entity.

Per 34 C.F.R. § 668.43, KU has determined whether the program satisfies state educational requirements for licensure as follows:

PROGRAM MEETS EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS	PROGRAM DOES NOT MEET EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS
• Alabama • Arkansas	• N/A

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• Washington • West Virginia • Wisconsin • Wyoming	

State licensure certification requirements vary from state to state, depending on each State's laws and regulations. The state licensure entities oversee educational and non-educational requirements for licensure or certification for their state.

All enrolled students and prospective students are encouraged to contact their applicable state licensure entities to familiarize themselves with the specific professional licensure or certification requirements. For information on how to contact state licensure entities, please visit the U.S. Department of Education State Contacts webpage at: https://www2.ed.gov/about/contacts/state/index.html?src=contact-us

For additional information and a directory of specific state requirements, please visit the AOTA State Licensure webpage at: State Occupational Therapy Licensure | AOTA

For program information, please visit KU's website's program page at: Occupational Therapy Assistant, AS Degree - Keiser University