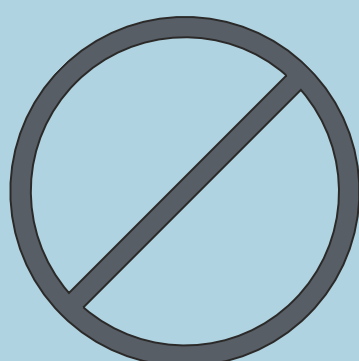


DEVELOPING AN OCCUPATION-CENTRED FRAMEWORK FOR TRAUMA INTERVENTION

WHY WAS THE STUDY DONE



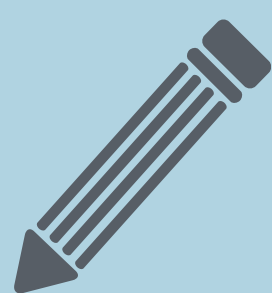
In the literature there were no formalized occupational therapy intervention guidelines for clients with PTSD. This study presents and evaluates The Occupational Therapy Trauma Intervention Framework (OTTIF).

WHAT WAS DONE IN THE STUDY

This was a developmental evaluation study for the OTTIF. Several rounds of data were gathered from occupational therapy workshop participants to develop and refine the OTTIF to its present state.



WHAT DID WE FIND OUT



Therapists were able to use the OTTIF framework as a clinical reasoning tool. The findings support the usefulness of the framework in practice.

NEXT STEPS

The OTTIF is a clinical reasoning framework that can enable the provision of evidence-based care for clients who have experienced trauma.

Evaluation of the framework's use in clinical programs should continue.



SOURCE



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