

PLACENTIA-YORBA LINDA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
CLASSIFIED JOB DESCRIPTION

PHYSICAL THERAPIST

BASIC RESPONSIBILITY

Provide assessment and identification to student performance needs in the areas of motor development and orthopedic disability. In consultation with parents and teachers, develops goals and objectives for consideration in the individual education program (IEP), develops individual physical therapy intervention plans, and maintains appropriate documentation and reports.

BASIC FUNCTIONS AND DUTIES

Prepares and maintains records and reports as required for compliance with various state, federal, and administrative regulations. Assesses students using a variety of methods and tools; recommends appropriate therapy to help students meet their educational goals. Provides physical therapy services to students according to IEP. Reevaluates student' individual physical therapy plan on a regular basis. Develops a therapy intervention plan that supports the IEP goals, objectives, and outcomes, and implements this plan in appropriate settings and curricula. Coordinates the implementation of goals/outcomes with the IEP team. Documents findings, actions taken, and/or recommendations made regarding areas of services, maintains records as required by the department, and identified by program needs. Assists in the development of student's transition plans, programs and goals. Provides in-service training to District staff regarding physical therapy services. Monitor, evaluate, and maintain equipment needs; maintain safety standards, order, design, and fabricate appropriate modification to support student ability to access the regular education curriculum. Performs other related duties as required.

BASIC QUALIFICATIONS

Possession of a valid California Physical Therapist License.

BASIC RELATED FUNCTIONS AND DUTIES

Participate in District, County and State professional growth and development opportunities.