

MSc OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA

FACULTY OF REHABILITATION MEDICINE

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This Academic Planning Guide highlights major points only regarding admission and transfer. Students are advised to read the university and RDC calendars, and the Alberta Transfer Guide for other necessary information. Some courses listed may have prerequisites; refer to [Course Descriptions](#). Access this guide online: www.rdc.ab.ca/academic_advising.

University of Alberta strongly encourages students to select an undergraduate degree program suitable to their interests and possible future employment while preparing for admission to Master of Science in Occupational Therapy (MScOT).

Applicants must have a 4-year undergraduate degree from a recognized institution. An admission grade point average of 3.0 or B (on most letter grading systems) based on your most recent 60 credits/ two years of full time study (or equivalent) is required. Only theory-based courses are used in calculation of the AGPA. One degree does not receive preference over another.

In addition to meeting the minimum admission GPA, each applicant to the MScOT program requires three credits in statistics. STAT 251 or KNSS 209 taken at Red Deer College will fulfill this requirement.

See <http://www.ot.ualberta.ca> for more information.

HOW TO FIND MORE INFORMATION

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[RDC Website](#)

<http://www.rdc.ab.ca>

[RDC Timetable](#)

<http://www.rdc.ab.ca/timetable>

[Alberta Transfer Guide](#)

<http://www.acat.gov.ab.ca>

UofA Graduate Studies

<http://www.gradstudies.ualberta.ca/>

Faculty of Rehabilitation

<http://www.uofaweb.ualberta.ca/rehabmed/>

Occupational Therapy Department

<http://www.ot.ualberta.ca>

University of Alberta

<http://www.registrar.ualberta.ca>

PLEASE NOTE:

Be aware that you are responsible for ensuring that your registration is complete and appropriate and that your course choices comply with the program to which you have been admitted at Red Deer College and/or to the university to which you wish to transfer.

You are cautioned that any changes to your courses, your major or your transfer destination may adversely affect your transferable credit, admission requirements for future programs, or eligibility to graduate from Red Deer College. Consult with an academic advisor if you have any questions.

The function of academic advisors is to provide students with information and resources that enable them to make informed decisions relevant to their education. These resources include the Red Deer College Calendar, the Academic Planning Guide for your chosen program and destination university, the Alberta Transfer Guide and the calendar and contact information for your destination university. Academic advisors will assist you in interpreting information from these resources or refer you to your destination university if appropriate. Students in university transfer programs are strongly advised to refer to the calendar of the university to which they wish to transfer and should contact appropriate university departments as required.