



Professional Experience

Naomi is an accomplished Occupational Therapist with 12 years of broad experience. During this time, she has led the assessment of treatment of patients across a variety of clinical settings. Naomi also has almost a decade of experience supporting the delivery of housing projects. She is adept in conducting rigorous assessments to determine rehabilitation, housing, equipment and manual handling requirements. Naomi has worked with patients with a broad variety of injuries and conditions across Care of the Elderly, Orthopedics, Hand Therapy, Respiratory, Surgical, Medical and Stroke wards. She brings a holistic knowledge of occupational therapy techniques, procedures, quality standards and regulatory requirements.

As an Expert Witness, Naomi leverages this knowledge to provide impartial, detailed and comprehensive reports. She is full trained in Civil Procedure Rules, including relevant revisions as they arise, and maintains her continuing professional development through a range of training and education activities.

Specialisms

- Functional/Strength Based Assessment
- Specialist Equipment Provision
- Housing
- Manual Handling
- Orthopaedics
- Hand Therapy
- Care of the Elderly
- Access & Home Visits

Qualifications

- Post Graduate Certificate in Advanced Occupational Therapy (Community)
- BSc Occupational Therapy
- GNVQ Health & Social Care

Career History

Haringey Council (Asset Management Team) Occupational Therapist

2014 - Present

- Key contribution to the ongoing development of the occupational therapy service to support the delivery of the council's Decent Homes project.
- Guide the production of accessible designs for new build projects by completing rehousing/void assessments for the Lettings team and handling complaints.
- Work across a broad range of complex projects, including support the design of two major temporary accommodation refurbishments, the refurbishment of a flagship sheltered accommodation scheme and assisting with identifying suitable properties for disability access refurbishment works.
- Accountable for the development of referral pathways, completed functional/strength-based assessments and providing recommendations regarding equipment and adaptations.
- Complete newbuild plan appraisals and contribute to regeneration and asset management progress needs.
- Lead service design activities and provide regular training to staff across a wide range of clinical and non-clinical disciplines.



Career History Continued

Royal Free Hospital Occupational Therapist (Band 6)	2014 - 2014
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Assessed, treated and managed patients with a wide range of conditions within a Care of the Elderly Ward.Supported discharge planning for both standard and complex patients, including completing functional assessments, determining rehabilitation requirements and providing recommendations regarding equipment provision, care needs and manual handling.Completed access and home visits.	
Northwick Park Hospital Occupational Therapist (Band 5)	2012 - 2014
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Completed acute rotations, including Orthopaedics, Hand Therapy, Respiratory, Surgical, Medical and Stroke.Managed a small caseload of hand therapy patients, including treating conditions such as carpal tunnel, fractures and dupytrens contracture.	
Brent Social Services Occupational Therapist	2011 - 2011
Brent Social Services Occupational Therapy Assistant	2005 - 2010
University College London Hospitals Therapy Assistant	2002 - 2005
Central Middlesex Hospital Therapy Assistant	2001 - 2002

Memberships

- Health & Care Professions Council
- Royal College of Occupational Therapists
- RCOT Specialist Section – Housing

Ages Covered

- Adults only