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**CURRICULUM VITAE  
HANNAH WOODWORTH  
Occupational Therapist  
OT, MSc (Pre-Reg), BA (Hons)  
Located in Preston**

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**PROFILE**

HCPC Registered Specialist Occupational Therapist with 10 years' experience spanning inpatient hospital and community healthcare settings. Trained in functional assessment, risk management, and care planning. Expertise in community-based care needs assessments and recommending assistive equipment and undertaking environmental assessment and advising on adaptations, to maximise independence and quality of life of people with complex health and care needs.

NHS experience in the acute hospital sector with experience across services for children using ventilators, elderly care, general medicine, cardiology, respiratory medicine, and surgery. Advanced role within acute surgery service, responsible for the assessment and rehabilitation of patients with vascular conditions and palliative surgical needs, both before and after amputation. High level of expertise in assessing individuals for wheelchair provision and anticipating how their occupational needs may change as a new wheelchair user, affecting daily living including for example, work, leisure, participation in home and the wider community and their sense of self. Skilled in evaluating carer support requirements and making recommendations for appropriate care packages and enabling individuals to remain in their home.

All recommendations are grounded in evidence, professional judgement, and statutory guidance.

An Expert Witness with experience in preparing Part 35 compliant care and occupational therapy reports. She is able to clearly explain and discuss her recommendations at conferences and during joint discussions. In addition to her clinical work, she has contributed to service improvement initiatives at Fiona Johnson Limited, including a project to streamline the process for receiving new enquiries. She combines her expert witness practice with recent employment in the NHS and Adult Social Services providing occupational therapy within inpatient orthopaedic services and across the community and as a Proportionate Care Assessor.

**RELEVANT QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE**

- HCPC Registered Occupational Therapist
- BA (Hons) in Health and Disability Studies
- MSc (Pre-Reg) in Occupational Therapy
- Placement Practice Educator
- Proportionate Care Trained RoSPA Level 4 ofqual certified

**RELEVANT SKILLS/ SPECIALISMS**

- Wheelchair Training Facilitator
- Occupational Therapy Needs Assessment
- Report Writing, Loss of Service, Desktop, Reports, Clinical Negligence, Care and OT reports
- CPR Part 35 Expert Witness Training
- Clinical OT experience in the following specialties: Amputation, Palliative Care, Medical/Age-related Conditions, Falls, Orthopedic Injury/ Surgery, Soft tissue injuries, Pain management, Vascular/ Ischemic Injuries, Brachial Plexus, Mesothelioma Cases

**RELEVANT EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

2025 – 2026 Occupational Therapist Proportionate Care Assessor Blackpool Council Adult Social Services.  
 2024 Service Improvement Project Fiona Johnson Ltd  
 2023 – 2025 Specialist Occupational Therapist Acute Orthopaedics East Lancashire Hospitals  
 2022 – date Expert Witness Fiona Johnson Ltd  
 2019 – 2023 Specialist Occupational Therapist Acute Surgery for East Lancashire Hospitals  
 2018 Specialist Occupational Therapist Royal Victoria Infirmary - paediatrics with children using long term ventilators, adapting pram equipment, assessing home environments to accommodate ventilation equipment car entry practice, implemented a child development framework for long stay patients and their parents/guardians.  
 2016-2018 Rotational Occupational Therapist, acute elderly, acute medicine, acute surgery. Assessing for equipment and providing tailored recommendations for implementation of care requirements.

**PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

- Royal College of Occupational Therapists
- UNISON
- British Association of Occupation Therapists
- RCOT Communities – Orthopaedics and Independent Practice