



Fact Sheet - Registration

USE OF TITLE

Thinking about taking a leave from work?

If you choose to cancel your certificate of registration during a period of leave from your employment, please be sure to re-register with the College **BEFORE** you return to a position that requires you to be an occupational therapist. Failing to do so is illegal and can result in a fine of up to \$25,000. Whether or not you engage in direct care is irrelevant.

A certificate of registration is required to:

- work as an occupational therapist;
- hold yourself out to be an occupational therapist; and
- use the title of occupational therapist.