

<b>NAME OF SERVICE</b>	<b>Occupational Therapy</b>	
<b>ADDRESS</b>	126 Kareena Road	
<b>CITY</b>	MIRANDA	
<b>STATE</b>	NSW	
<b>POSTCODE</b>	2228	
<b>TELEPHONE</b>	(02) 9540 7956	
<b>FAX</b>	(02) 9540 7869	
<b>DESCRIPTION OF SERVICE</b>	Occupational Therapists provide services for the aged and younger people with chronic medical conditions in the Sutherland Shire with the aim of optimising function and maintaining the client in their home. This involves the assessment of the client in the home, prescription of equipment and home modifications and referral to community and other Southcare services.	
<b>WHO TO REFER</b>	A resident of the Sutherland Shire needing Occupational Therapy services.	
<b>HOW TO REFER</b>	<p><b>Persons under 65 years</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Electronic Medical Record (eMR) referral (TSH) or</li> <li>2. Fax an <a href="#">Access and Referral Intake Form</a> to (02) 9540 7869 or</li> <li>3. Scan and email an <a href="#">Access and Referral Intake Form</a> to <a href="mailto:SESLHD-SouthCareIntake@health.nsw.gov.au">SESLHD-SouthCareIntake@health.nsw.gov.au</a></li> </ol> <p><b>Persons 65 years and over</b></p> <p>Online at My Aged Care <a href="http://www.myagedcare.gov.au">www.myagedcare.gov.au</a> or phone <b>1800 200 422</b> ask to be referred to <b>Southcare Community Services - Service Type – Allied Health Occupational Therapy</b></p>	
<b>REFERRAL CRITERIA</b>	<p>A resident of the Sutherland Shire (or residing with) who are aged or younger physically disabled of 18 years of age and over and who have the potential to remain in their own home.</p> <p><u>Exclusion Criteria:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <i>People living in a nursing home.</i></li> <li>2. <i>Third party insurance clients.</i></li> <li>3. <i>DVA Gold Card Holders</i></li> <li>4. <i>NDIS clients</i></li> <li>5. <i>People receiving a Home Care Package Level 3 Or 4.</i></li> </ol>	
<b>IS THERE A WAITING LIST</b>	Yes – this can vary, contact Occupational Therapy to enquire if necessary	
<b>WAITING LIST DETAILS</b>	All referrals are prioritised and allocated according to their functional need. URGENT referrals are usually seen within 1-2 weeks.	
<b>HOURS/DAYS OF OPERATION</b>	8.00am – 4:30pm	Monday to Friday
<b>APPROXIMATE COST</b>	Nil	