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Section I: Programs

Number of accredited programs:

	OT Doctoral	OT Master's	OTA
Accredited	4	142	141
Developing	1	4	24
Applicant	1	1	24
Total	6	147	189

Note:
Accredited: The academic program is accredited by ACOTE.
Developing: The program has been granted developing program status (step 2) by ACOTE and can admit students, but has not yet completed the initial on-site evaluation that leads to granting accreditation.
Applicant: The academic program has submitted a letter of intent to apply for developing program status (step 1).

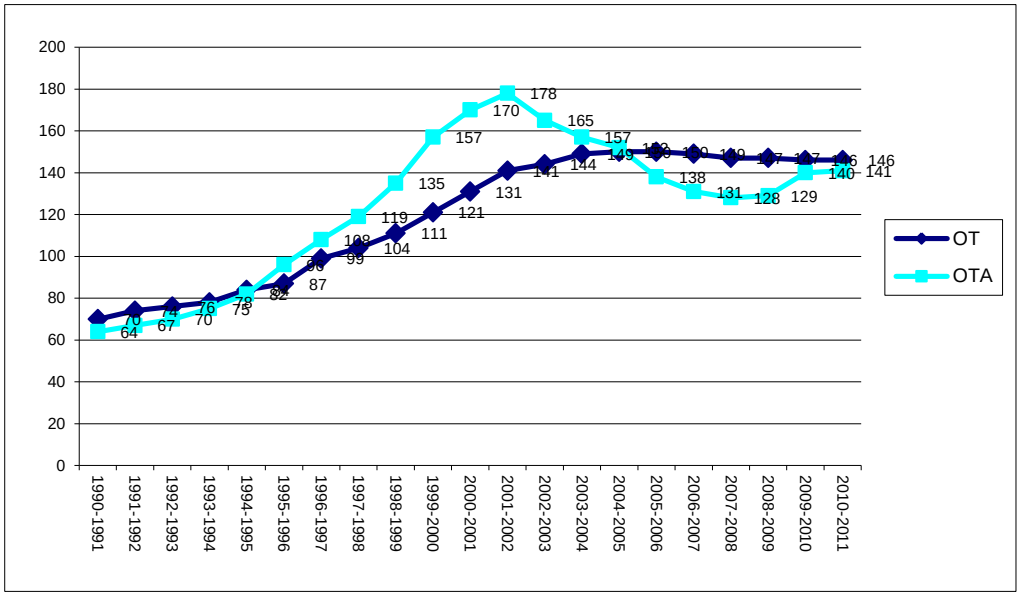
Number of additional locations:

	OT Doctoral	OT Master's	OTA
Accredited	1	11	19
Developing	0	2	7
Applicant	0	0	2
Total	1	13	28

Total number of locations (both main campus and additional locations):

	OT Doctoral	OT Master's	OTA
Total Locations	7	160	217

Accredited program trends:



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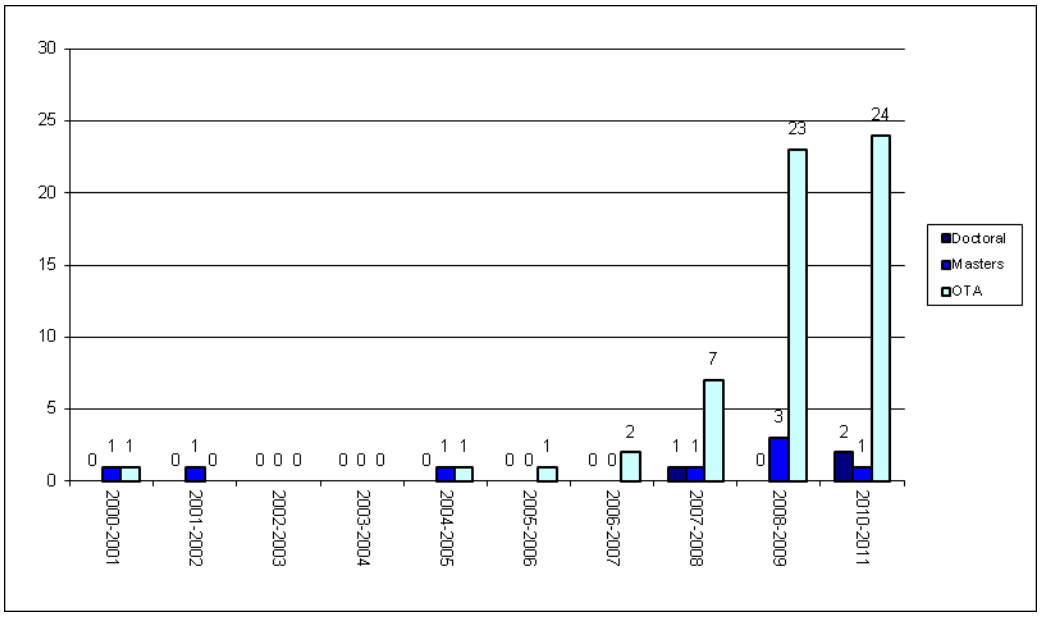

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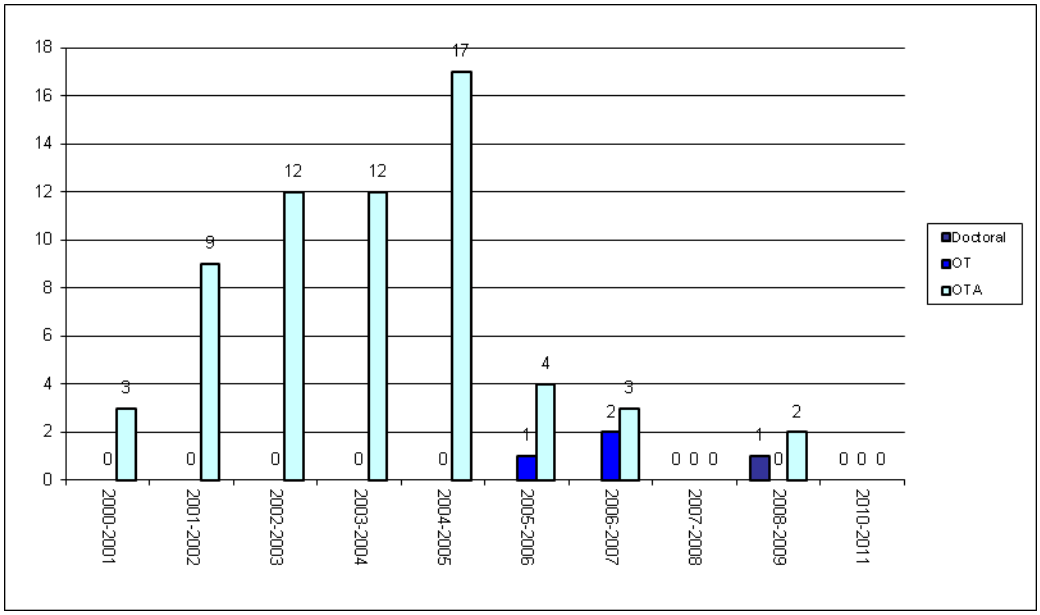
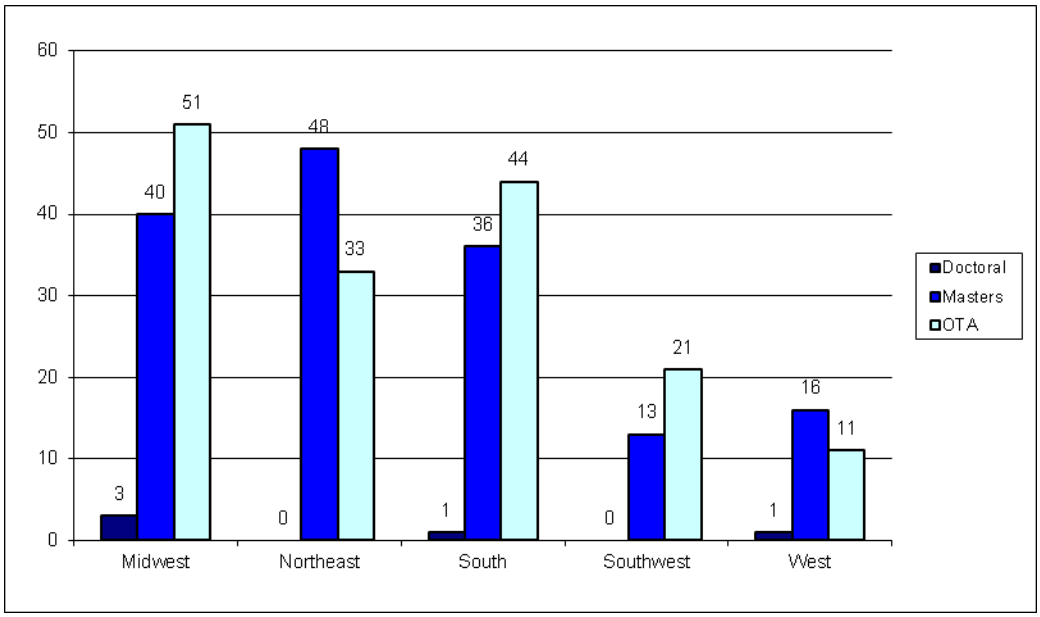


Note: The six OT programs that closed in 2006-2007 were bachelor's degree programs that did not transition to the post-baccalaureate requirement that was effective January 1, 2007.

Regional distribution of accredited programs (primary and additional locations):



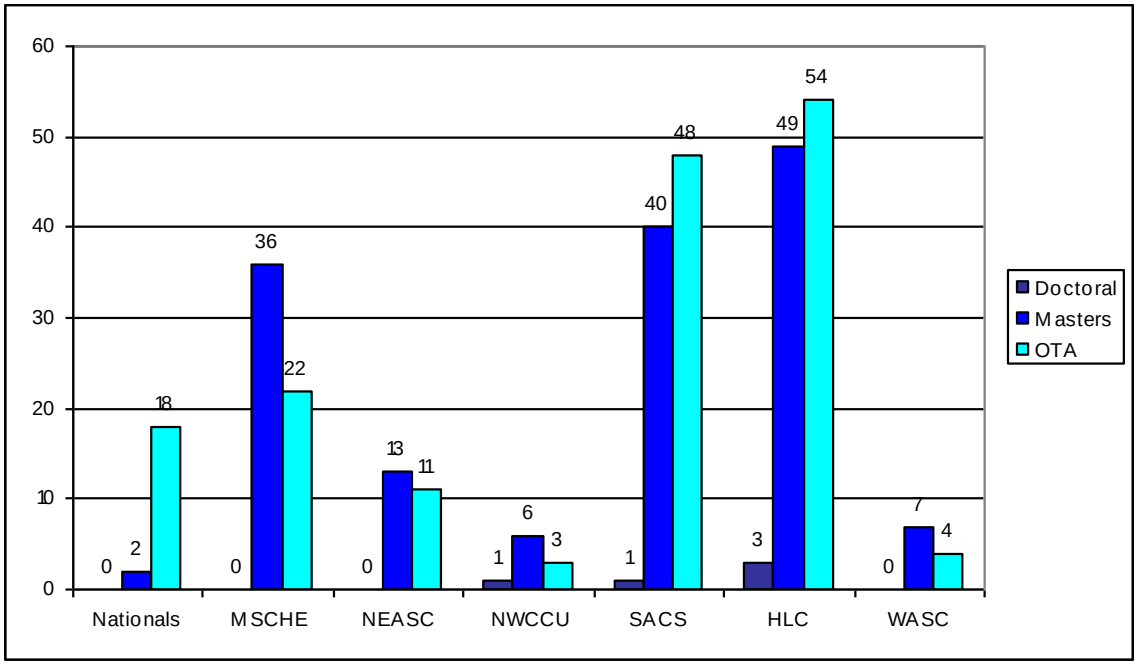
Regional distribution of accredited programs (primary and additional locations):

Doctoral-degree-level programs for occupational therapy students:		
Region	Frequency	Percent
Midwest	3	60%
South	1	20%
West	1	20%
Total	5	100%

Master's-degree-level programs for occupational therapy students:		
Region	Frequency	Percent
Midwest	40	26%
Northeast	48	31%
South	36	24%
Southwest	13	8%
West	16	10%
Total	153	100%

Programs for occupational therapy assistant students:		
Region	Frequency	Percent
Midwest	51	32%
Northeast	33	21%
South	44	28%
Southwest	21	13%
West	11	7%
Total	160	100%

Host institution's accrediting agency:



Note: Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools (HLC-NCA); New England Association of Schools & Colleges (NEASC); Southern Association of Colleges & Schools (SACS); Middle States Commission on Higher Education (MSCHE); Western Association of Schools & Colleges (WASC); Northwest Commission on Colleges & Universities (NWCCU).

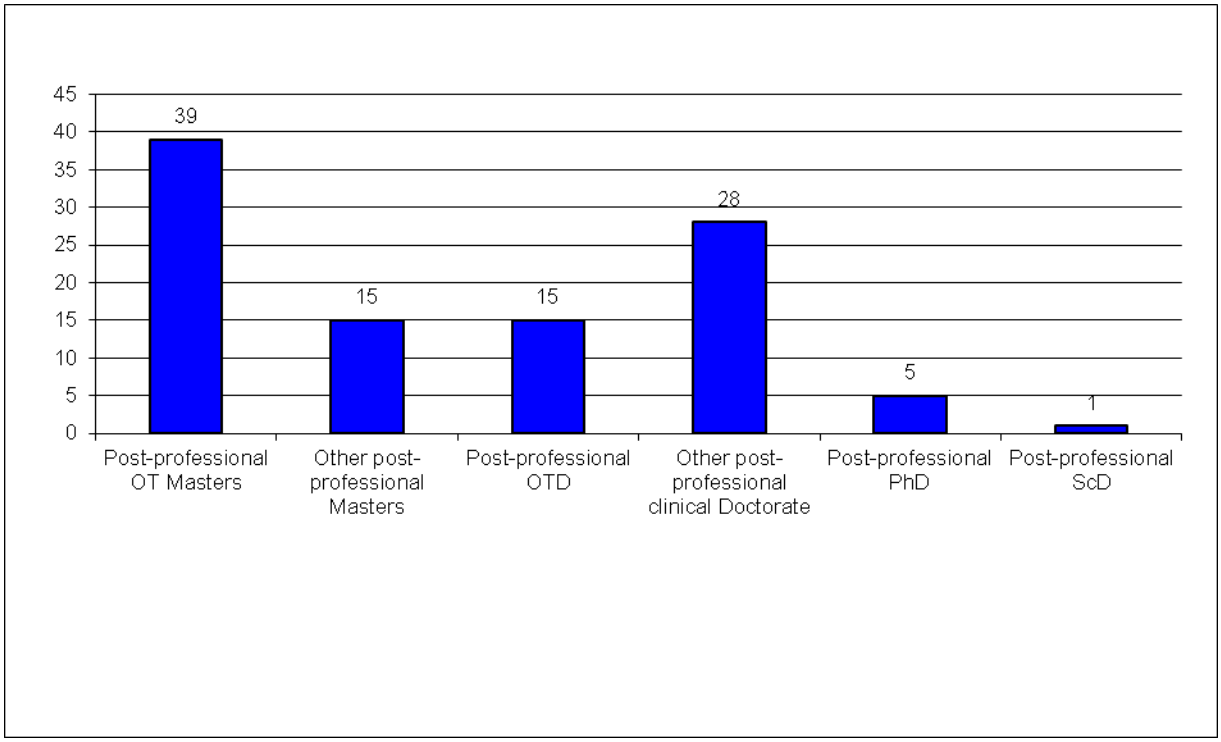
Degrees Granted:

Degree Granted: Doctoral Programs		
Doctor of Occupational Therapy (OTD)	4	100%
Degree Granted: Master's Programs		
Master's of Occupational Therapy (MOT)	57	40%
Master's of Science in OT (MSOT)	44	31%
Master's of Arts	3	2%
Master's of Science	38	27%
Degree Granted : OTA Programs		
Applied Associate in Science (AAS)	102	72%
Associate in Science (AS)	34	24%
Other Associate	3	3%
Certificate/Diploma	2	1%

Post-professional programs offered at institutions housing OT programs:

Institutions currently offering a post-professional degree program for practicing OTs:		
	Frequency	Percent
Yes	66	46
No	76	54
Total	142	100

Degrees offered in post-professional programs:



Note: A number of institutions have more than one program option for practicing therapists.

Section II: Program Formats

Full-time versus part-time options:

Programs offering doctoral-degree-level programs for occupational therapy students:		
	Frequency	Percent
Full-time	3	75%
Part-time	0	0%
Both	1	25%
Total	4	100%

Programs offering master's-degree-level programs for occupational therapy students:		
	Frequency	Percent
Full-time	98	66%
Part-time	1	<1%
Both	43	30%
Total	142	100%

Programs for occupational therapy assistant students:		
	Frequency	Percent
Full-time	93	66%
Part-time	2	1%
Both	46	34%
Total	141	100%

Primary Format:

Doctoral-degree-level programs for occupational therapy students:		
	Frequency	Percent
Weekday	4	100%
Other formats: weekend, evenings, blended	0	0%
	4	100%

Master's-degree-level programs for occupational therapy students:		
	Frequency	Percent
Weekday	110	77%
Other formats: weekend, evenings, blended	32	23%
	142	100%

Programs for occupational therapy assistant students:		
	Frequency	Percent
Weekday	116	82%
Other formats: weekend, evenings, blended	26	18%
	141	100%

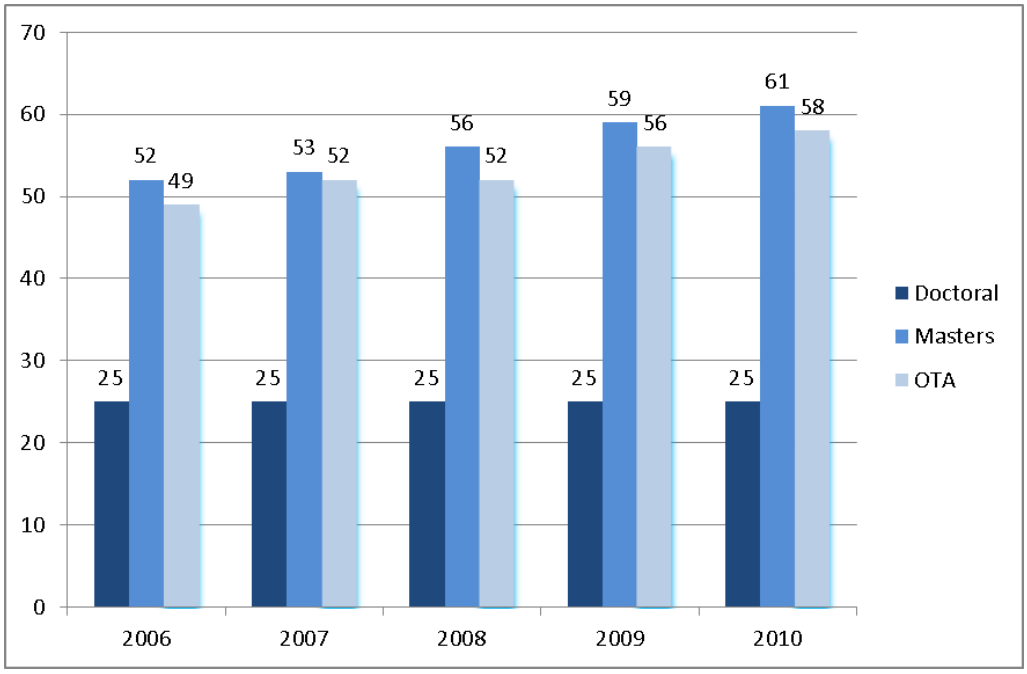
Percentage of program offered by distance education:

Programs offering doctoral-degree-level programs for occupational therapy students:		
	Frequency	Percent
Zero %	3	75%
1-10%	0	0%
11–20%	1	25%
Total	4	100%

Programs offering master's-degree-level programs for occupational therapy students:		
	Frequency	Percent
Zero %	56	39%
1–10%	60	42%
11–20%	12	8%
21–30%	4	3%
31–40%	2	1%
41–50%	3	2%
51–60%	2	1%
61–70%	1	<1%
71+%	2	1%
Total	142	100%

Programs for occupational therapy assistant students:		
	Frequency	Percent
Zero %	60	43%
1–10%	46	33%
11–20%	14	10%
21–30%	6	4%
31–40%	5	4%
41–50%	3	2%
51–60%	4	3%
61–70%	1	<1%
70+%	2	1%
Total	141	100%

Distance Education trends: Percentage of programs with some offerings by distance education.



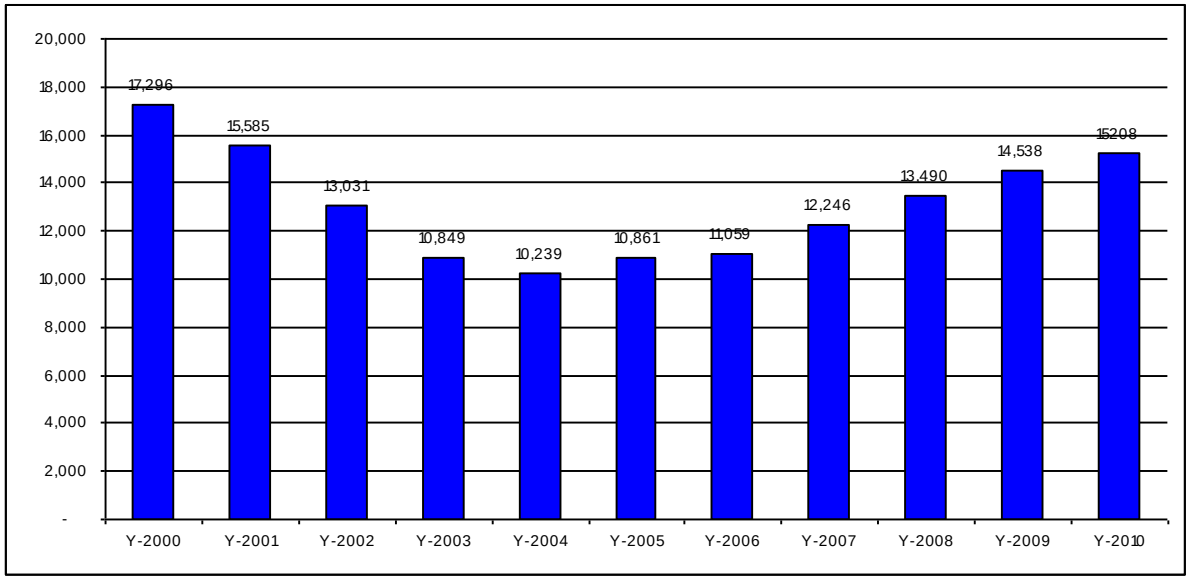
Section III: Students

Number of students enrolled:

Programs preparing students for entry into practice as an occupational therapist:		
Master's	14,825	97%
Doctorate	383	3%
Total	15,208	100%

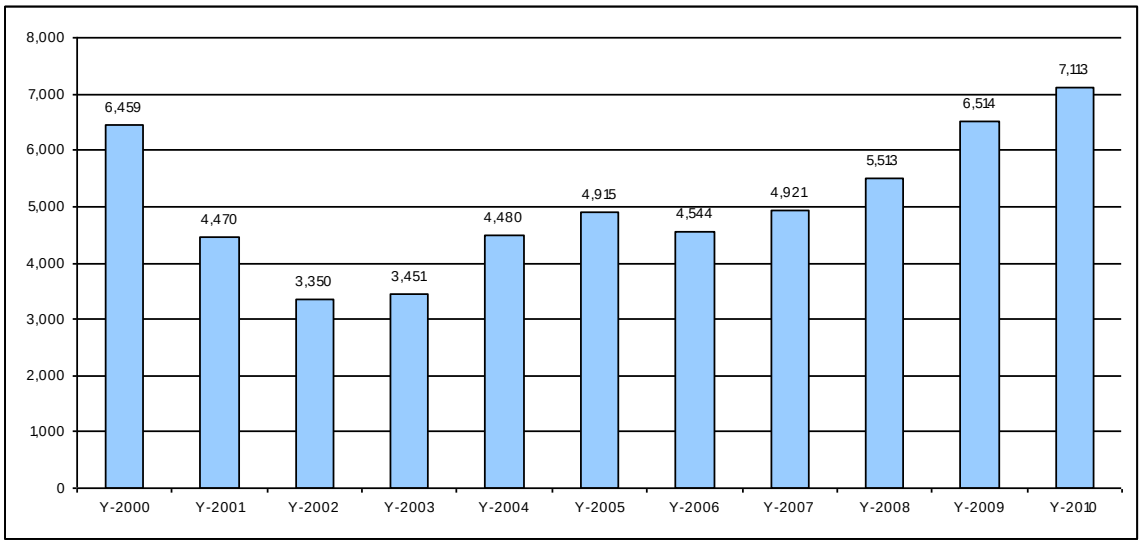
Programs preparing students for entry into practice as an occupational therapy assistant:		
Total	7,082	100%

Trends in Enrollment: OT Student Enrollment



Programs preparing students for entry into practice as an occupational therapist:							
	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Baccalaureate	1,581	689					
Certificate	17	11					
Master's	8,440	9,904	10,794	11,970	13,187	14,160	14,825
Doctorate	201	257	265	276	303	378	383
Total	10,239	10,861	11,059	12,246	13,490	14,538	15,208

Trends in Enrollment: OTA Student Enrollment

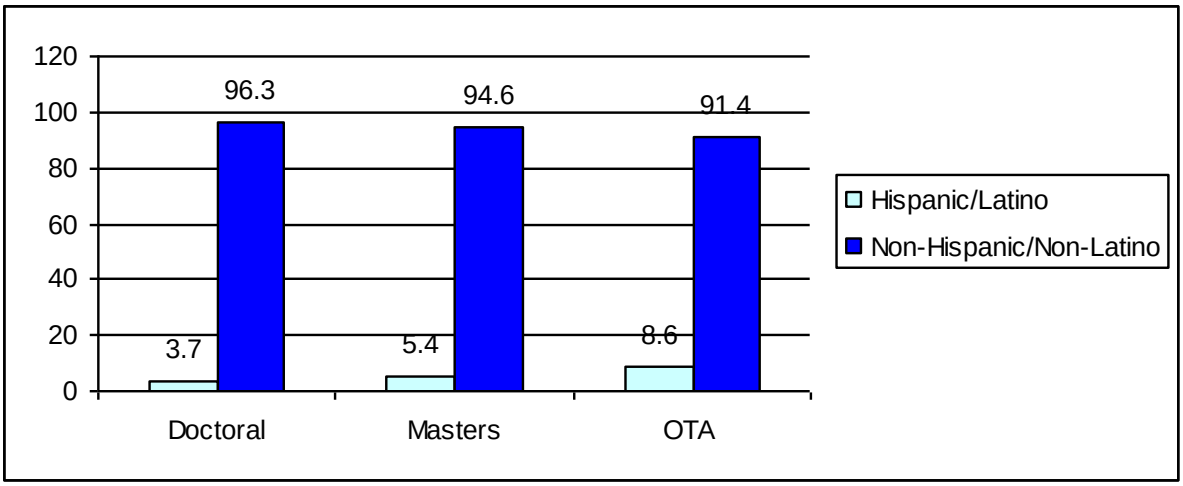


Programs preparing students for entry into practice as an occupational therapy assistants:							
	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
	4,480	4,915	4,544	4,921	5,513	6,514	7,082

Applicants:

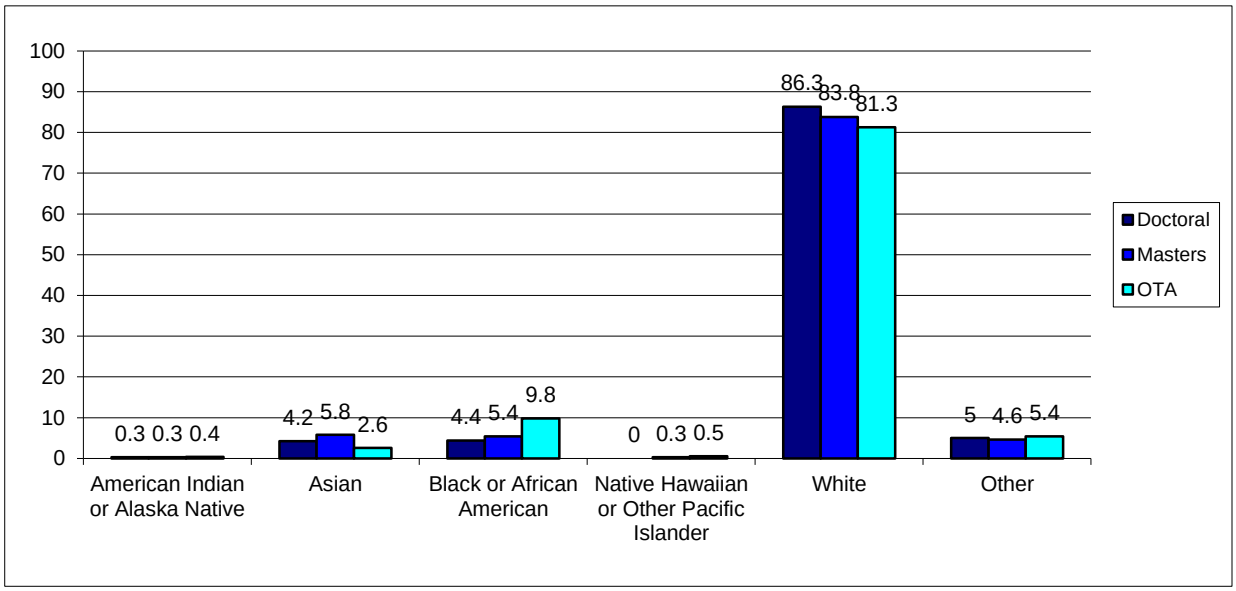
Number of applicants, places available, and students admitted and started in the programs in 2010.			
	Total slots available	Total admitted & started	Percent filled
Doctoral	127	108	85%
Master's	5,937	5,846	98%
OTA	5325	4,928	93%

Ethnicity (all students enrolled 2010):



Student Ethnicity		
	Hispanic/Latino	Non-Hispanic/Latino
Doctoral	3.7%	96.3%
Master's	5.4%	94.6%
OTA	8.6%	91.4%

Race (all students enrolled in 2010):

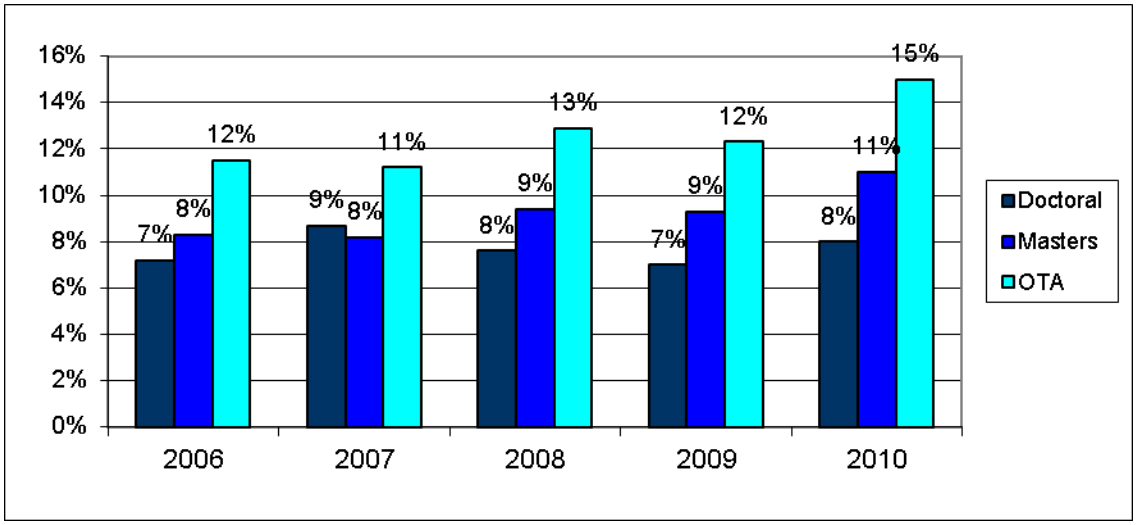


Student Race						
	American Indian or Alaska Native	Asian	Black or African American	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	White	Missing
Doctoral	0%	4%	4%	0%	88%	4%
Master's	0%	5%	6%	1%	86%	1%
OTA	1%	2%	13%	1%	82%	2%

Gender (all students enrolled 2010):

Student gender:			
	Doctoral	Master's	OTA
Male	8%	11%	15%
Female	92%	89%	85%

Trends: Percentage of student population who are male.



Section IV: Faculty

Faculty numbers:

	Full-Time Core		Part-Time Core		Adjunct		Total
OT Programs	1141	68%	157	9%	389	23%	1687
OTA Programs	338	54%	55	9%	237	38%	630
Total	1479		212		626		2317

OT Program Faculty Highest Degree:

	Full-Time Core Faculty	Part-Time Core Faculty	Adjunct Faculty
Other	5	1	2
Associates	0	0	4
Bachelors	2	10	60
Masters	347	69	243
Doctorate	787	77	80
	1141	157	389

OTA Program Faculty Highest Degree:

	Full-Time Core Faculty	Part-Time Core Faculty	Adjunct Faculty
Other	2	0	4
Associates	29	8	49
Bachelors	82	28	78
Masters	200	16	91
Doctorate	25	3	15
	338	55	237

Faculty-to-student ratios:

Programs offering doctoral-degree-level programs for occupational therapy students:			
	Minimum	Maximum	Average
Lecture (n=4)	1:32	1:35	1:27
Lab (n=4)	1:10	1:23	1:15

Programs offering master's-degree-level programs for occupational therapy students:			
	Minimum	Maximum	Average
Lecture (n=142)	1:4	1:60	1:28
Lab (n=142)	1:4	1:27	1:14

Programs for occupational therapy assistant students:			
	Minimum	Maximum	Average
Lecture (n=141)	1:5	1:40	1:22
Lab (n=141)	1:5	1:30	1:13

Section V: Outcomes

Certification exam first-time new graduate pass rates:

OT						
	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Passed	2256	2574	2706	3134	2930	3525
Candidates	2590	2928	3060	3671	3796	4298
Percentage	87%	88%	88%	85%	77%	82%

OTA						
	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Passed	1184	1518	1684	1708	1772	2107
Candidates	1359	1701	1960	2071	2090	2518
Percentage	87%	89%	86%	82%	85%	84%

Program Attrition rates:

Attrition Rates:			
	Minimum	Maximum	Median
Doctoral (n=4)	0%	3%	1%
Master's (n=142)	0%	28%	3%
OTA (n=141)	0%	60%	9%

Program Fieldwork Level II pass rate:

FW Level II Pass Rates:			
	Minimum	Maximum	Median
Doctoral (n=4)	86%	100%	96%
Master's (n=142)	51%	100%	98%
OTA (n=141)	51%	100%	98%

Program Graduates:

Number of graduates:				
	2007	2008	2009	2010
Doctorate	88	76	88	95
Master's	3,138	3,673	3,946	4,398
OTA	2,053	2,151	2,354	2,888