

# OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

### Enabling participation in the activities of everyday life

#### What is Occupational Therapy?

The primary goal of Occupational Therapy is to enable people to participate in the activities of everyday life. This can include:

- developing strategies which focus on an individual's goals, priorities and needs
- working with family and support teams
- developing strategies for tasks that may be difficult
- providing functional capacity assessments
- increasing independence in daily tasks
- acquiring new skills to improve your chances of getting a job
- learning skills to look after yourself personal Activities of Daily Living (ADL)
- developing skills to maintain your home environment domestic ADL
- development of social skills and understanding.

#### **Accessing Occupational Therapy at KHG**

Additional benefits of accessing Occupational Therapy at Kevin Heinze Grow:

- Using the natural environment and engaging in horticultural therapy can harness an individual's interests and ensure goals are met
- Being active outdoors can increase physical and overall wellbeing
- Reduced feelings of isolation and loneliness through connection with others in a shared garden space
- A sense of shared purpose and achievement.



#### Who we work with

At Kevin Heinze Grow we work with adolescents and adults aged 16+ who have a lifelong disability and/ or an acquired disease or condition, such as Autism, Intellectual Disability, Parkinson's Disease, Dementia, Stroke, or Acquired Brain Injury (ABI).

Occupational Therapy at Kevin Heinze Grow can be accessed through:

- private funding
- National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS)
- Transport Accident Commission (TAC).

To discuss individual needs, please get in touch with our dedicated Client Services team.

## FIND OUT MORE

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