

**PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE
COMMISSION ON PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS IN EDUCATION**

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NAC 391.277 Endorsement to ~~teach~~ serve as a school occupational ~~therapy~~ therapist. (NRS 391.019)

1. To receive an endorsement to ~~teach pupils~~ **provide services to students as an occupational therapist** in a program of occupational therapy, a person must:

~~—(a) Hold a:~~

~~—(1) Bachelor's degree in occupational therapy;~~

~~—(2) Master's degree in occupational therapy; or~~

~~—(3) Bachelor's or master's degree in any other field of study and have successfully completed an educational program for occupational therapists which is accredited by the American Medical Association or its successor organization in collaboration with the American Occupational Therapy Association or its successor organization;~~

~~(b) Hold a license as an occupational therapist issued by the Board of Occupational Therapy in this State; and~~

~~—(c) Hold a specialty certification in school systems issued by the American Occupational Therapy Association or its successor organization.~~

2. **A licensee holding only a special license with an endorsement to provide services as an occupational therapist is exempt from the requirements of NAC 391.036 and NAC 391.065.**

3. Such an endorsement is not required to ~~teach pupils~~ **provide services to students as an occupational therapist** in a program of occupational therapy.

NAC 391.xxx Endorsement to serve as a school occupational therapy assistant.

1. **To receive an endorsement to provide services to students as an occupational therapist assistant in a program of occupational therapy, a person must:**

(a) Hold a license as an occupational therapy assistant issued by the Board of Occupational Therapy in this State.

2. **A licensee holding only a special license with an endorsement to provide services as an occupational therapy assistant is exempt from the requirements of NAC 391.036 and NAC 391.065.**

3. **Such an endorsement is not required to provide services to students as an occupational therapy assistant in a program of occupational therapy.**

NAC 391.279 Endorsement to ~~teach~~ serve as a school physical ~~therapy~~ therapist. (NRS 391.019)

1. To receive an endorsement to ~~teach pupils~~ **provide services to students as a physical therapist** in a program of physical therapy, a person must:

~~(a) Hold a:~~

- ~~—— (1) Bachelor's degree in physical therapy;~~
- ~~—— (2) Master's degree in physical therapy; or~~
- ~~—— (3) Bachelor's or master's degree in any other field of study and have successfully completed an educational program for physical therapists which is accredited by the American Physical Therapy Association; and~~

(b) Hold a license as a physical therapist issued by the **Nevada Board of Physical Therapy Board in this State.**

2. **A licensee holding only a special license with an endorsement to provide services as a physical therapist is exempt from the requirements of NAC 391.036 and NAC 391.065.**

3. Such an endorsement is not required to ~~teach pupils~~ **provide services to students as a physical therapist** in a program of physical therapy.

(Added to NAC by Comm'n on Prof. Standards in Education, eff. 12-20-93)

NAC 391.xxx Endorsement to service as a physical therapist assistant.

1. To receive an endorsement to **provide services to students as a physical therapist assistant** in a program of physical therapy, a person must:

(a) **Hold a license as a physical therapist assistant issued by the Board of Physical Therapy in this State.**

2. **A licensee holding only a special license with an endorsement to provide services as a physical therapist assistant is exempt from the requirements of NAC 391.036 and NAC 391.065.**

3. **Such an endorsement is not required to provide services to students as a physical therapist assistant in a program of physical therapy.**