

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

Romina Mirzababae

Occupational Therapist | Medico-Legal / Expert Witness (Developing Practice)

Experienced Occupational Therapist with a strong clinical background across community rehabilitation, neurorehabilitation, and social care settings in the UK and Germany. Developing a specialist focus in medico-legal work, with proven expertise in complex functional assessments, risk evaluation, and detailed report writing.

Demonstrates advanced clinical reasoning, the ability to analyse multifaceted case information, and produce clear, structured, and evidence-based recommendations. Experienced in multidisciplinary collaboration and managing complex client needs, with a professional approach aligned to expert witness standards.

GENERAL BACKGROUND

Extensive experience assessing individuals with complex physical, neurological, and cognitive conditions. Skilled in evaluating functional capacity, care needs, environmental requirements, and rehabilitation potential.

Strong working knowledge of community care systems, reablement services, and rehabilitation pathways. Able to synthesise clinical findings into clear, defensible recommendations suitable for formal reporting.

WORK HISTORY

Occupational Therapist – Buckinghamshire Council- Feb 2026 – now

- Conducted comprehensive assessments of functional ability, risk, and care requirements
- Produced detailed documentation supporting clinical decision-making and service allocation
- Recommended equipment and environmental adaptations based on clinical need
- Coordinating with multidisciplinary teams
- Facilitating DFG (Disabled Facilities Grant) applications and tracking progress of referrals to ensure timely support

Senior Occupational Therapist

Proportionate Care Project (PCP), Slough Borough Council- Aug 2025 – Jan 2026

- Led on complex case identification and fast-tracking within a targeted care model
- Conducted comprehensive assessments of functional ability, risk, and care requirements
- Produced detailed documentation supporting clinical decision-making and service allocation
- Coordinated multidisciplinary meetings, ensuring consistent and evidence-based outcomes
- Delivered training to care providers, improving quality and consistency of service delivery
- Supervised clinicians and supported high-level clinical reasoning across the team

Occupational Therapist – Reablement Team, Slough Borough Council- Dec 2021 – Aug 2025

- Completed holistic assessments focusing on functional independence and rehabilitation potential
- Developed and implemented structured intervention plans to restore daily living skills
- Recommended equipment and environmental adaptations based on clinical need
- Worked collaboratively within MDT settings, contributing to integrated care planning
- Maintained clear, accurate, and legally robust clinical records
- Supervised and mentored students, supporting professional development

Occupational Therapist, Neuro-Rehabilitation Centre, Bagshot- Jul 2021 – Sep 2021

- Delivered targeted neurorehabilitation interventions within a specialist setting that addressed both cognitive and physical recovery goals
- Assessed cognitive and physical impairments and their functional impact
- Contributed to MDT case discussions and goal-setting processes
- Monitored patient progress through regular re-evaluations, adjusting treatment plans based on outcomes

Occupational Therapist, Ergotherapy Praxis Michael Fleischer, Münster, Germany- Oct 2016 – Mar 2021

- Managed diverse caseloads including neurological, orthopaedic, and mental health conditions
- Conducted structured assessments and developed individualised therapy programmes
- Participated in interdisciplinary case discussions
- Supported training and supervision of students

PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

- Occupational Therapy Qualification – Timmermeister Schule, Münster, Germany (2013–2016)
- Specialist Therapist in Neurorehabilitation – Institut für Integrative Fortbildung, Germany (2017)
- LSVT BIG Certification (2019)
- BA in English Translation – Azad University, Tehran, Iran (2001–2004)

TRAINING

- Specialist Neurorehabilitation Training
- LSVT BIG Programme
- Ongoing CPD in complex assessment, rehabilitation, and report writing
- Bond Solon training (Court room skills training and Report Writing for Expert Witness)

EXPERT WITNESS BACKGROUND

Developing medico-legal expertise with a focus on:

- Functional capacity assessments
- Care and rehabilitation needs analysis
- Risk assessment and clinical reasoning
- Preparation of structured, evidence-based reports

Experience includes reviewing case information, conducting detailed client assessments, and producing clear clinical documentation aligned with medico-legal standards.

Strong ability to present balanced, objective opinions based on clinical evidence, with attention to detail and professional accountability.

SKILLS

- Functional capacity and activities of daily living (ADL) assessment
- DFG process expertise
- Care needs analysis and rehabilitation planning
- Clinical report writing and documentation
- Risk assessment and safeguarding awareness
- Multidisciplinary collaboration
- Analytical thinking and evidence-based decision-making
- Training delivery and supervision

MEMBERSHIPS

- HCPC Registered Occupational Therapist
- Member of Royal College of Occupational Therapists (RCOT)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Languages: Farsi, German, English
- IT Skills: Microsoft Office, LAS system
- Interests: Sport, reading, photography, Animals, music