# Big Changes for Ontario Occupational Therapists!

There's a lot going on in Ontario that impacts occupational therapy practice! OSOT is your voice and advocate to policy makers, funders, and decision makers. We are positioning your services and your profession for the future. Just a few examples include:

# New Funding Models in Long-Term Care Homes

OSOT has been successful in advocating for new LTCH funding policies that will more effectively support interprofessional services like OT!

### **Health System Transformation**

New Ontario Health Teams will promote integration across the health care continuum and new opportunities for OTs to position our value! OSOT is doing just that!

#### **Auto Insurance Reform**

OSOT is ensuring a third party perspective is heard in discussions about assessment and a proposed new driver care card in the sector.

## New Seniors Strategy Development

OTs have so much to offer. Our voice needs to be heard and we need to ensure capacity to serve the growing need - OSOT is busy on both fronts!

## Ontario Autism Program Re-development

OSOT advocacy has contributed to funding of OT services in the new OAP.
OSOT sits on the Autism Program
Advisory Panel.

#### **Mental Health Strategy Development**

As Ontario develops a long-range strategy, new opportunities for OT in structured psychotherapy and community services exist.

OSOT is positioning OT!

We're Advancing Occupational Therapy in Ontario...Together!

