



**Shayna Henley, COTA/L**  
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Shayna was born in Canada, but was raised in Raleigh, NC. She graduated from Durham Technical Community College OTA program then became certified by the National Board for Certification in Occupational Therapy in addition to being licensed by the North Carolina Board of Occupational Therapy. Shayna has since worked in pediatric home health and adult outpatient rehab. Shayna's love for occupational therapy started when she worked at a summer camp for children with special needs as a teenager and has only grown since. She is passionate about helping others and admires how occupational therapy focuses on client-centered treatment. She works hard to find new, fun and engaging activities to help every kiddo and their family reach their goals in occupational therapy.

She is particularly tuned into the needs of families as a result of:

- Educational and clinical background including OTA pediatric coursework and fieldwork
- Effective communication to ensure families and therapists can work together collectively
- Entering each session with patience and flexibility
- Experience working with children with various diagnoses

Shayna is experienced and comfortable serving families whose children have the following diagnoses: **Autism, Sensory Processing Disorder, Developmental Delay/Fine Motor Skills, Genetic Conditions, Feeding Dysfunctions, Family Centered Care, Prematurity, and Cerebral Palsy/Musculoskeletal**

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Shayna is supervised and mentored by Rachel Hatchell OTR/L, a supervising OT with Locus and member of the company's management team. Rachel mentors Shayna and other staff weekly, providing valuable experience and insights to make sure your experience with Locus is rewarding. Rachel herself is mentored by Beth Hathaway OTD OTR/L, a veteran OT with over 35 years of pediatric experience. As the only known private pediatric practice owner in North Carolina with a clinical doctorate degree in OT, Beth understands how to deliver evidence-based therapy. Her doctoral degree included research on how to equip and mentor providers of early intervention to provide family centered care, a topic which she is passionate about and remains a core value of therapists at Locus Family Centered Therapies. Beth has intentionally created a staff mentoring program at Locus which includes frequent contact to discuss caseloads, the ability to attend sessions alongside her staff, and contributing to their continued education through workshops and trainings.

*Thank You For the Opportunity to Work With Your Child and Your Family!*