

DWIGHT DAWSON, ATR

Rehabilitation Art Therapist

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Dedicated Rehabilitation Art Therapist with 7+ years of experience helping individuals recovering from physical injuries, addiction, and neurological disorders. Passionate about integrating creative interventions into physical and mental rehabilitation programs to promote healing and resilience.

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EDUCATION

Master's in Art Therapy & Counseling

Loyola Marymount University | 2019

Bachelor's in Fine Arts & Psychology

University of California, Los Angeles | 2017

Certifications

- ATR (Registered Art Therapist) – Issued 2019
- Certified Rehabilitation Counselor (CRC) – Issued 2020

SKILLS

- Art-based rehabilitation techniques Expert
- Cognitive and motor skill therapy Expert
- Pain management strategies Expert
- Neuroplasticity and art therapy Expert
- Substance abuse recovery support Expert
- Adaptive art interventions Expert
- Interdisciplinary team collaboration Expert

EXPERIENCE

2019 -

Rehabilitation Art Therapist

Cedar Sinai Rehabilitation Center / Los Angeles, CA

- Design and lead adaptive art therapy programs for patients recovering from strokes, traumatic brain injuries, and chronic pain conditions.
- Assist individuals in regaining fine motor skills and cognitive function through structured artistic exercises.
- Develop art-based coping strategies for patients undergoing substance abuse rehabilitation.
- Work alongside occupational and physical therapists to enhance recovery outcomes through creative interventions.
- Provide one-on-one and group therapy sessions, using a variety of mediums such as painting, sculpture, and mixed media.

2018 - 2019

Art Therapy Intern

Los Angeles Recovery & Wellness Center / Los Angeles, CA

- Supported licensed therapists in conducting expressive therapy sessions for individuals overcoming addiction.
- Assisted in developing personalized rehabilitation plans incorporating art-based mindfulness techniques.
- Documented patient progress and collaborated with mental health professionals.

VOLUNTEER WORK

- Facilitator, Healing Arts for Veterans Program – Los Angeles, CA (2021-Present)
- Art Therapy Instructor, Community Recovery Center – 2020-2022