

### ADVOCACY/RESEARCH

- **High school presentations/events**
  - Catoosa Middle and High School – September 2022
  - Jenks High School College Fair – October 2022
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  - Upcoming Presentations: Bixby High School, Jenks Onward Prep You, Piano Teacher's Association, Jenks Special Education
- **Joy's to the World fundraiser**
  - Provided group music therapy sessions (i.e., SOCOM) to enhance social communication skills among Joys Academy students, summer 2022
  - Led 15-minute performance with students during fundraiser event
- **Internship presentations**
  - Achieving Wellness Through Music at Life Senior Services, presenter: Catherine (Katie) Keller
  - Music Therapy for Children with Developmental Disorders at the Broken Arrow Music Teachers Association, co-presenters: Alyssa Lee and Dr. Hayoung Lim
- **Professional Conferences**
  - American Speech and Hearing Association, Fall 2022
    - A Music-Based Online Intervention to Support Early Communication Development: Evidence From a Team-Based Approach, co-presenter: Dr. Hayoung Lim, interviewees: ORU Music Therapy clinical team
  - Invited to present at the World Music Therapy Conference, Summer 2023
    - Breaking Barriers, Connecting Cultures: Serving Latin American Geriatrics through Multicultural Music Therapy, Alejandra presenter
    - SOCOM: A Social Communication Music Therapy Protocol for Adults with Developmental Disabilities, co-presenters: Alejandra Arevalo and Dr. Hayoung Lim
    - Virtual "CAN-DO" Therapy: Implementing Neuro-Geriatric Music Therapy Techniques in Online Group Sessions; co-presenters: Samantha Nossaman, Alejandra Arevalo, Dr. Hayoung Lim



HAPPY  
FALL!



### CLINICAL SERVICES

- Populations: individuals of all ages with developmental, geriatric, psychiatric, and neurologic disorders
- Individual sessions (online and in-person)
- Group sessions:
  - SOCOM (online and in-person): enhancing social communication among adults/adolescents with developmental disabilities
  - NMT-Boot camp: speech/language, sensorimotor, and cognitive rehabilitation for adults with neurologic disorders
- Services are offered in Spanish:

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## INTERNS, SUMMER-FALL 2022

Alyssa is currently completing her bachelor's degree in Music Therapy with a minor in Psychology at Sam Houston State University. She has experience with special education, developmental and intellectual disabilities, geriatrics with dementia, and palliative care. Her primary instrument is the piano.



Catherine, known by her friends as Katie, is currently working toward her Bachelor's Degree through the Music Therapy Program at Oral Roberts University. She completed research at the undergraduate level and has a passion to discover more about the world and people around her. Katie has clinical experience within the field of music therapy, specifically for children with developmental disabilities, geriatric clients, teenagers with multiple needs, and neurological rehabilitation clients. Piano is her primary instrument, and she thoroughly enjoys using music as an effective tool to help people experience positive change in their everyday lives.



## PRACTICUM PROGRAM

- Music Therapy majors at ORU will participate in 5 semesters of music therapy practicum. Practicum placements are correlated with materials presented in each of the five music therapy courses.
- Practicum sites:
  - Little Light House
  - Jenks High School
  - Parkside Psychiatric Hospital
  - DHS Foster Group Home.



## SUMMER 2022

- Summer Camp 2022 lasted 2 months and provided services for several new clients.
- Protocols:
  - Sing & Speak 4 Kids, Every Child is Musical: musical improvisation
  - Let them move to music: music & movement
  - We are great young musicians!: Group music ensemble
  - Got Crazy colors in your music?: Music & Art Projects
  - Let's be the cool cat: Interpersonal skill development through music
  - Musical brain Quest: Cognitive skill development through music
- Themes:
  - Fun at the beach
  - Around the world
  - Disney
  - Bugs are Rad
  - All the colors of the rainbow
  - Pirates and mermaids
  - Beyond the stars
  - America
  - BBQ & Picnics



## VOLUNTEER PROGRAM

- A wonderful opportunity for individuals who are interested in learning more about music therapy and volunteering at a professional music therapy clinic
- Volunteer tasks may include filing, organizing, cleaning, and resource management
- Become a volunteer: [https://oru.edu/academics/coacs/music/music-therapy-clinic/MT\\_Clinic\\_Volunteer\\_Program.php](https://oru.edu/academics/coacs/music/music-therapy-clinic/MT_Clinic_Volunteer_Program.php)

