



## Working in China

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## What's already in place

- It's not a blank page; in fact it's very complex
- Rehabilitation: who does it?
- Administration system
- Health care system: financial incentives, insurance coverage
- CBR (disability sector) and Primary Health Care

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## A few of many issues...

- Relationship issues:
  - "guan xi"
  - partnership
  - information sharing
  - meal-time
- Professional issues
  - team work; integrated planning
  - referrals
  - assessment; goals and treatment process
  - discharge planning

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## Some interesting project ideas

- What happens to people with (\_\_\_\_\_) when they go home?
- Rural accessibility issues:
  - examples of creativity
  - cases for problem-solving
- Reason for lack of use of assistive devices
- Getting children into school: success stories: barriers & facilitators
- Discharge planning
- Home visits: what do people face when they go home?
- OT documentation
- Clinical guidelines
- Case study: what I would do in Canada and how that translates in the China context

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## How can we help our Chinese colleagues promote OT knowledge and understanding

- Web page: [www.otworks.ca](http://www.otworks.ca)
  - Target group - public or rehab staff
- Newsletter (2 x year) ...
- Posters on typical "OT" stuff... that can be done in China
- Book of Chinese case studies.... Demo possibilities....
- Practice-based research...

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