

From the Editor

As you read through the pages in this issue of *WORK*, you will find a myriad of interesting articles starting with the one authored by colleagues Adams, Gibson, Lyle, and Strong on an Australian perspective of the development of roles for occupational therapists and physiotherapists in work-related practice.

The issue continues with two articles by researchers in Sweden. Svensson and Björklund discuss three theoretical perspectives on the rehabilitation of sick-*listed* people; whereas Hagberg, Vaez, and Alexanderson describe methods for analyzing individual changes in sick-*leave* diagnoses over time.

There are four articles by researchers in Canada. DeLuca and colleagues studied a population of disengaged youths to better understand how to foster resilience in this population of workers. Kramer and colleagues discussed collaborating with intermediary organizations as research partners to help implement workplace health and safety interventions, while Reilly and Tipton use a sub-maximal occupational aerobic fitness test alternative, when a step-test was not appro-

priate. Gonçalves and colleagues Lancman, Trudel, Jardim, Sznelwar, Santos, and Freeman provide a noteworthy article on an ergonomic approach to reorganizing parking inspection agents' work productivity, health, and safety in São Paulo, Brazil.

Also included in this issue are two informative articles from researchers in the United States. Kotowski and Davis investigate the potential short-term relevance of the influence of weight loss on musculoskeletal pain, while Solovieva, Walls, and Dowler conducted a study on a population of individuals with disabilities to better understand the impact of personal assistance services (PAS) on self-care at the workplace.

I hope you enjoy this issue of *WORK*. As always, I welcome hearing from you.

Cheers

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