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**TITLE: THE USE OF VIDEO RECORDINGS OF CLINICAL  
DEMONSTRATION IN LEVEL II FIELD WORK PROGRAMS**

**THEME: SUB-THEME:**

**MDG 8: DEVELOP A GLOBAL PARTNERSHIP FOR  
DEVELOPMENT**

**Contributing to the development of the occupational therapy programs  
in Africa.**

**TEXT:**

**Due to the absence of viable educational programs in Nigeria in the past, the occupational therapy profession has suffered immensely. As a result the functioning occupational therapists are few and far between. When the Federal School of Occupational therapy (FSOT), Lagos, Nigeria was initially started the numbers of students admitted into the program were limited and the few available OT's somehow managed to cope with the clinical supervision. However there has been a significant increase in demand for fieldwork placements due to increased student admission numbers. The distance supervision presently provided by the school is not adequate to promote students' development into proficient, entry-level practitioners.**

**The proposal for the inclusion of this innovative and educational tool is to aid in**

**enhancing the professional competence of students and thereby compensate for the infrequent and inadequate supervision of clinical supervisors. This study is an effort to fulfil the need for the provision of both quantitative and qualitative field work supervision in a present day Occupational Therapy program based in Lagos, Nigeria and is recommended for any other African country that suffers a dearth of occupational therapists which further effects clinical supervision of students.**

**FORMAT: PAPER RPRESENTATION**