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2018 Motions to the House

Meet YOUR Delegates!!


NCD	NED	NWD	WCD	SWD	SED	SCD
Chris Jones Alternate: Don Shiye	Kelley Moran John Tawfik Barb Wagner Alternates: Liz Troese Kay Malek	Beth Gustafson	Ivan Mulligan Alternate: Shannon Scanlan	Erin Boyle Kathy Brown Karl Gibson Nancy Shiye	Laurie Hack Jane Oeffner Mary Sinnott Kristin von Nieda Scott Voshell Bob Wellmon Cheryl West Alternate: Eric Folkins	Susan Gerhard Tom Glumac

President: Colleen Chancler
Chief Delegate: Amy Humphrey
PTA Caucus Rep: Rebecca Stevens (Alternate: Doug Slick)
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A Reminder.... What is the House of Delegates?

- Deliberative body of the association... makes policy for the profession
- Over 400 representatives from all chapters make up the voting body
- Representatives from Academies/Sections, PTA Caucus, Student Assembly, and other groups with APTA also participate in discussion and debate or consultation
- Election of individuals for national office within the association
- Power in numbers.... Pennsylvania is one of the larger chapters with 21 delegates.




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Motion Sources for 2018 HOD

Component & BOD
motions ongoing

HOD policy review
Est 2017
Completion 2019

BOD policy review
Est 2017
Completion 2019




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Board Policy Review

RC 14-16 CHARGE: CONSIDERATION OF BOARD-ADOPTED POLICY FOR THE PROFESSION That the American Physical Therapy Association review all current Board of Directors (Board) documents, now found at <http://www.apta.org/policies/>, separating those that are operational and that concern Board, staff, or association operation. All remaining documents that relate to the profession shall be rescinded or presented, with or without amendments, to the House of Delegates (House) for action no later than the 2019 House. If, or as, adopted by the House, they shall become documents of the House.


Kip Schick, Chair, and Roger Herr



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BOD Motions

- RC26-18 AMEND: VETERINARIANS: COLLABORATIVE RELATIONSHIPS (HOD P06-03-23-20)
- RC27-18 AMEND: CORE VALUES: ENDORSEMENT (HOD 05-07-19-19)
- RC28-18 AMEND: ADOPT: VALUE-BASED BEHAVIORS FOR THE PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT
- RC39-18 ADOPT: APTA STATEMENT IN SUPPORT OF ESSENTIAL HEALTH BENEFITS
- **RC41-18 ADOPT: AMERICAN BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPIST RESIDENCY AND FELLOWSHIP EDUCATION RECOGNITION – Erin Boyle**



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House Policy Review

HOD RC 9-17 CHARGE: SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO REVIEW HOUSE DOCUMENTS That a special committee of the House of Delegates (House) be created within 60 days of the close of the 2017 House. The committee shall review documents previously adopted by the House and forward motions to amend, consolidate, or rescind documents as needed to the 2018 and 2019 House.

Special Committee to Review House Documents Members:

- Blair Packard, Chair (AZ)
- Janet Bezner (TX)
- Kyle Covington (NC)
- Alan Crothers (ID)
- Karl Gibson (PA)
- Katherine Harris (CT)
- Roger Herr, House Officer (NY)
- Babette Sanders (IL)



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House Policy Review Motions

- RC1-18: Rescind House Documents Subsumed in Newer House Documents (7)
- RC2-18: Rescind Goals for Development of Theory in Physical Therapy
- RC3-18: Rescind Patterning for Persons with Neuro Impairments
- RC4-18: Rescind Public Protection in the Delivery of Therapeutic Exercise
- RC5-18: Rescind Proliferation of Health Occupations
- RC6-18: Rescind Cross-Trained Personnel
- RC7-18: Rescind Collective Bargaining Agreements



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- RC8-18: Rescind Accrediting Agency Agreements
- RC9-18: Rescind Operational Documents (13)
- RC10-18: Preferred Nomenclature for the Provision of PT Services
- RC13-18: Rescind Exclusive Use or Use of Multiple Physical Agents
- RC14-18: Amend Ethical and Legal Considerations for Clinical Education
- RC15-18: Amend Worldwide Physical Therapy
- RC16-18: Amend Endorsement of National Efforts in the Opioid Crisis



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- RC17-18: Amend Access to Durable Medical Equipment
- RC18-18: Amend Access to, Admission to, and Patient Client Rights
- RC19-18: Amend Support for Candidates for National Office
- RC20-18: Amend Candidate Statements
- RC21-18: Amend Public Policy Efforts to Improve Consumer Access
- RC22-18: Amend Annual Visit with a Physical Therapist



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- RC23-18: Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation
- **RC24-18: Amend Sexual Harassment – Karl Gibson**
- RC25-18: Amend Physical and Chemical Restraints: Role of the PT
- RC29-18: Amend and Retitle Entry Point into Health Care
- **RC30-18: Amend Direction and Supervision of PTAs – Rebecca Stevens**
- **RC31-18: Amend Procedural Interventions Exclusively Performed by PTs – Karl Gibson**
- RC32-18: Provision of PT Interventions and Related Tasks



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RC 24-18 AMEND: SEXUAL HARASSMENT (HOD P06-99-17-06)(SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO REVIEW HOUSE DOCUMENTS)


- That Sexual Harassment(HOD P06-99-17-06) be amended by adding the words "and report instances of sexual harassment to the appropriate authority" after the word "harassment" so that it would read:
- Environments where physical therapist services are provided, or where the work of the American Physical Therapy Association and its components is carried out, should be completely free of sexual harassment. Members of the Association have an obligation to comply with applicable legal prohibitions against sexual harassment and report instances of sexual harassment to the appropriate authority.



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- RC33-18: Amend Documentation Authority for Physical Therapist Services
- **RC34-18: Educational Degree Qualifications for PTs – Kathy Brown**
- **RC35-18: Amend Pharmacology in Physical Therapist Practice – Kathy Brown**
- RC36-18: Electrophysiologic Examination and Evaluation
- RC37-18: Guidelines: Pro Bono Services
- RC40-18: Consolidate Best Practice in Mentoring
- RC42-18: Consolidate and Retitle Enhanced Proficiency and Continuing Education for the PTA



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Component Motions


- RC11-18 AMEND: Complementary and Alternative Therapeutic Interventions (HOD P06-01-26-26)
- RC12-18 AMEND: Delivery of Value-Based Physical Therapist Services (HOD P06-15-17-09)
- RC38-18 ADOPT: Commitment to Person-Centered Services
- **RC43-18 CHARGE: Endorsement and Integration of International Association for the Study of Pain Competency Domains on pain and Curricular Guidelines for Physical Therapist Education – Erin Boyle**



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Component Motions

- **RC44-18 CHARGE: The Role of the Physical Therapist and Physical Therapist Assistant in Disaster Management – Rebecca Stevens**
- **RC45-18 CHARGE: Institutional Review Board as an APTA Member Benefit – Nancy Shipe**
- RC46-18 CHARGE: Eliminating the Improvement Standard for Receiving Physical Therapy
- **RC47-18 CHARGE: Adjustments in Documentation for Prevention and Wellness Interactions – Erin Boyle**



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- RC48-18: CHARGE: Professional Well-Being
- RC49-18 CHARGE: Advanced Practice in Physical therapy – Nancy Shipe
- RC56-18 AMEND: Bylaws of the American Physical Therapy Association to allow Sections to vote in the House of Delegates – Nancy Shipe
- RC57-18 CHARGE: Plan to reframe the Description of Physical Therapist Delivery



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Honorary Membership Motions

- RC50-18: Election to Honorary Membership in the American Physical Therapy Association: JAMES H RIMMER, PhD
- RC51-18: Election to Honorary Membership in the American Physical Therapy Association: DANIEL M. CORCOS, PhD
- RC52-18: Election to Honorary Membership in the American Physical Therapy Association: BONNIE POLVINALE



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PA Motions

- RC53-18 AMEND: Bylaws of the American Physical Therapy Association, Article VIII. House of Delegates, Section 3: Voting Delegates, A. Qualifications of Voting Delegates, (1) Chapter Delegates
- RC54-18 AMEND: Bylaws of the American Physical Therapy Association, Article VIII. House of Delegates, Section 4: Nonvoting Delegates, A. Qualifications of Voting Delegates, (1) Section Delegates
- RC55-18 AMEND: Bylaws of the American Physical Therapy Association, Article VIII. House of Delegates, Section 4: Nonvoting Delegates, A. Qualifications of Voting Delegates, (2) PTA Caucus



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Your Feedback is Important!! You have a voice if you...

- Become an engaged member of the association
- Keep up to date on the pressing issues for our profession
- Follow the discussion on the APTA communities HUB
- Share you thoughts with a delegate
- Attend the House in person or virtually
- Become a delegate #bettertogether



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Thank You!!!

Any questions, concerns, feedback....

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