



## Resident Scholarship Application for American Physical Therapy Association Federal Advocacy Forum

**Purpose:** ANPT's Advocacy and Consumer Affairs (ACA) Committee would like to support neurologic physical therapy residents' participation at the 2023 APTA PT on Capitol Hill Day in Washington D.C. This is an annual event and it will take place from Monday July 24, 2023 to Tuesday July 25, 2023.

<http://www.apta.org/FederalForum/>

**Eligibility:** This monetary scholarship is open to all Neurologic PT Residents **who are members of the ANPT** with an interest in learning more about advocacy work at the PT on Capitol Hill Day. Applicants must also be in good standing within their residency programs. Applicants must submit the Verification of Good Standing within Residency Program Form printed on the program's letterhead and signed by the residency program director.

**Application Criteria:** In an essay that is at least 500 words, describe

(1) why you should be selected as a recipient for this scholarship (Please include your current advocacy accomplishments)

(2) a unique way you could encourage PT/PTA colleagues or patients in advocacy related to the physical therapy profession

(3) how this scholarship will help advance you in the neurologic physical therapy profession. Highlight your passion, commitment, and creativity! Submission of your video entry grants permission to the ANPT for use of this video on various social media platforms and educational sessions.

**Submission & Review of Applications:** Please submit the following to [Info@neuropt.org](mailto:Info@neuropt.org) by Wednesday, April 30, 2023 at 11:59 pm CST. In the Subject line please state: PT on Capitol Hill Day Resident Scholarship

- Applicant's advocacy essay
- Completed Verification of Good Standing within Residency Program Form
- Current resume

**Award Notification & Duties:** ACA Committee will review applications and **select the recipient by May 8. The winner will be notified by May 19, 2023.** One scholarship will be awarded. Recipient will self-register for PT on Capitol Hill Day and make their own travel arrangements. Recipient will have opportunities to mentor and network with ACA committee members prior to and during PT on Capitol Hill Day After the Forum, recipient will submit receipts to ANPT for reimbursement of **allowable expenses up to \$1000.** Recipient will also share about their advocacy experience on Capitol Hill in the ANPT Newsletter, and by engaging with other residents through social media from programs that will be selected by the ACA Committee.

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Resident PT's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Resident's Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

APTA Membership Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Yes, I am a member of ANPT

Residency Program Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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### Verification of Good Standing within Residency Program Form

As the Residency Program Director for \_\_\_\_\_ (name of accredited residency program) in \_\_\_\_\_ (city and state),

I verify that \_\_\_\_\_ (resident's name) is a neurologic physical therapy resident in good standing within our program. I recommend this person for consideration for the Academy of Neurologic Physical Therapy Resident Scholarship to attend the APTA Federal Advocacy Forum in Washington, DC.

Additional Comments (optional):

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Residency Program Director's Name (Print)

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Residency Program Director's Signature

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_