

## Resident Scholarship Application for American Physical Therapy Association PT on Capitol Hill Day

<u>Purpose:</u> ANPT's Advocacy and Consumer Affairs (ACA) Committee would like to support neurologic physical therapy residents' participation at the 2025 APTA PT on Capitol Hill Day in Washington D.C. This is an annual event and it will take place from **Monday July 14, 2025 to** Tuesday July 15, 2025. <a href="https://www.apta.org/your-career/courses-and-events/calendar-of-events/2025/07/14/capitol-hill-day-2025">https://www.apta.org/your-career/courses-and-events/calendar-of-events/2025/07/14/capitol-hill-day-2025</a>

**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!

<u>Submission & Review of Applications:</u> Please submit the following to <u>Info@neuropt.org</u> by **Wednesday, May 28th, 2025 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 **June 8th.** The winner will be notified by **June 8th, 2025**. 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.



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

Resident PT's Name:
Resident's Phone Number:
APTA Membership Number:  Yes, I am a member of ANPT
Residency Program Name:



## Resident Scholarship Application 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	
physical therapy resident in good standing wit	hin our program. I recommend this person for
consideration for the Academy of Neurologic P	hysical Therapy Resident Scholarship to attend the
APTA Federal Advocacy Forum in Washington,	DC.
Additional Comments (optional):	
Residency Program Director's Name (Print)	Residency Program Director's (Signature)
Email:	
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