

NH APTA Annual Meeting
Thursday November 12, 2009
6 – 9 pm

Franklin Pierce University – Manchester Campus

The regular Annual Meeting activities will be supplemented with presentations by Josh Cleland on Practice Variations in PT and the New Code of Ethics for Physical Therapists and Physical Therapist Assistants. 1.5 CEHs awarded

Below, please find important Chapter information: recommended bylaw changes to be voted on at the Annual Meeting and slate of candidates for NH APTA Board of Directors.

Should you desire input toward who will direct the activities of your professional association, please cast your ballot at the Annual Meeting. If you are unable to attend, kindly use the linked proxy ballot.

Candidates Brief Biographies

Two year terms unless otherwise indicated.

PRESIDENT

Marc Lacroix, PT, MBA, NHA

◆ BS in PT, University of Vermont, 1976
MBA, Southern New Hampshire University, 1985

Employment: Director, Rehabilitation Services, Parkland Medical Center, Derry, NH
APTA Member since 1976; member, Orthopedics, Geriatrics, HPA sections, National Medicaid Task Force

Presently serving as NHAPTA Chief Delegate; co-chair Finance committee; former President, former Vice President, actively involved with state and federal legislation, chaired many committees.

VICE PRESIDENT

Kristine Terrio, PT, MSHS

◆ PT, Boston University
MSHS, Southern New Hampshire University

Employment: Vice President Operations, Concord Hospital
APTA Member since 1988; NHAPTA Vice President; Director, Delegate, Active in Federal Government affairs 2003-2008, APTA Health Information Technology Resource Group
Special interests: Federal Government Affairs, Reimbursement, Medicare Regulations

CHIEF DELEGATE

Deb Nervik, PT, MHS, DPT

◆ PT, University of Vermont
MHS, University of Indianapolis
DPT, Franklin Pierce—NH

Employment: Asst. Professor, Franklin Pierce—NH
APTA Member since 1981. SACE item writer, Pediatric section national representative; past NHAPTA Director and Secretary, Delegate, member of several committees
Special interests: Health promotion, pediatrics, education

DIRECTOR – 2 positions open

Rebecca Brown, PTA

◆ Associates in Science, PTA, Endicott College
BS, Franklin Pierce College, General Studies
Franklin Pierce College, DPT (intended 2010)

Employment: PTA
APTA Member since 2001; presently NH Chapter PTA/Sig92004 – present) SIG President (2005-2007), PTA Caucus Rep to HOD (2008, 2009), Federal Advocacy Forum (2009), NH APTA Scholarship Committee Chair (2009), co-director NH APTA Wellness/ 5K workout (2009)
Special Interests: women's health, balance and falls, PTA issues, government affairs

Brian Verville, PT, DPT

- ◆ PT, University New England
DPT, Mass General Hospital Institute of Health Professions

Employment: Granite State Physical Therapy, owner
APTA member since 2003 Looking to become more involved in APTA at State and National level
Special interests: outpatient ortho, sports medicine, biomechanical eval, LE dysfunction

Willem Verweij, PT, COMT

- ◆ PT, Haagse Academic voor Fysiotherapie, The Netherlands

Employment: Willem Verwiej and Associates Physical Therapy, owner
APTA member since 2002
Special interest: Private Practice, ethics, orthopedics

DELEGATE

One year term

Joshua Brooks, PT, MPT

- ◆ BS in Biology, Notre Dame College
MPT, Notre Dame College

Employment: Lakes Region General Healthcare, Laconia
APTA Member since 1996; Chapter President (4 years), Director (4 years), Chair, PT Wellness Workout 2004 - 08
Special interests: Spinal Cord Injury, Aquatics, Advocacy/Legislation, Clinical Instruction, cycling, running, Army

PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT CAUCUS REPRESENTATIVE

Open

NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Three year term

Chad Howland, PT

- ◆ BS Allied Health Science, Lyndon State
MPT, University of Vermont
tDPT, currently enrolled, University of St. Augustine

Employment: Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center
APTA Member since 1997
Special Interests: Orthopedics and Manual Therapy

If you cannot attend the Chapter's Annual Meeting, November 12, 2009 complete the Proxy ballot and mail it before November 6, 2009.