



Ohio Physical Therapy Association

BENEFITS of MEMBERSHIP

Organized in 1951, OPTA aims to promote the practice of PT as a medical profession for preventative and rehabilitative purposes, bringing the collective influences of our members together in to a single voice on issues that affect our profession. **Why should you join?**

LEGISLATIVE EFFORTS

Strong, ongoing representation in legislative and regulatory affairs at the state and national level, including a recently-held Advocacy Day at the Ohio Statehouse—your voice for your profession.

OPTA PAYMENT POLICY SPECIALIST

An expert in payment policy is available to answer your questions and provide timely updates on changes and trends.

PERSONAL CONNECTIONS

According to a Harvard University study, 15% of the reason a person gets, keeps or advances in a job is due to knowledge and skills. The other 85% is connecting with people and making personal connections. Whether it's exciting the next generation of PTs, sharing information with local colleagues or meeting peers from across the U.S., OPTA helps you build lasting connections.

WEEKLY MEMBER UPDATE

OPTA's weekly email newsletter keeps you up-to-date on Ohio PT news and national issues from APTA.

CONTINUING EDUCATION

Professional development courses and conferences sponsored by OPTA to enhance your expertise at a discount rate.

OPTA WEBSITE AND MyOPTA

Exclusive access to members-only information on OPTA's member portal, myOPTA, including an online member directory, legislative information and other member documents.

ACCESS MAGAZINE

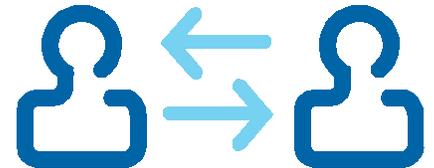
Members receive OPTA's quarterly magazine, including district updates, event information and exclusive articles on your profession.

OPTA CAREER CENTER

Gain access to the exclusive Career Center, giving you access to inside career opportunities only available through OPTA.

OPTA STAFF ASSISTANCE

A dedicated staff ready to answer questions and help you reach your professional goals.



WHAT OUR MEMBERS SAY:

Membership is not an option for me. It is a requirement. Not for everything it has to offer, but for everything PT has given me. It is a payback to the profession that allows me to help people recover back to living.

-Kyle Schumm, PT, MS

It is members who drive the association, and members who move the profession forward. It is evident that Ohio has a strong voice at the national level, and I am proud to be a member for our state chapter

-Megan Heiser, SPT

Not only is it vital for all of us to be engaged association members, we also need to use our membership for important actions, such as voting.

-Sanaz Holcomb, PTA

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