



Northeast District Pennsylvania Physical Therapy Association

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Dear Northeast District Member,

Since 2018, the Northeast District (NED), in our commitment to facilitate professional involvement, have sponsored annual scholarships to PPTA members to attend the MovePA Annual Pennsylvania Chapter Conference. Our goal is to promote and grow professional involvement within our organization and encourage participation in APTA/PPTA activities. The NED serves the counties of Susquehanna, Northampton, Wayne, Lehigh, Luzerne, Lackawanna, Wyoming, Monroe, Carbon, and Pike.

We are currently seeking applicants for this year's PPTA conference to be held at Kalahari Resort and Conference Center, Pocono Manor, PA , October 16-18, 2020. Because the location is central to all of our district, this year **we are providing scholarships for registration cost only**. Specifically, we are hoping to award ten (10) student registration scholarships and two (2) full-member registration scholarships. The scholarships are open to physical therapists and physical therapist assistants as long as they are an APTA/PPTA member in good standing (non-members may apply with the expectation that they will become a member if accepted for the scholarship).

If you are interested in attending an established CEU event that will promote networking and enhance your resume, along with a providing an opportunity for lot of fun with your fellow PPTA peers, **please submit a Word Document expressing your interest, with an explanation on what you hope to gain from this experience**. Submissions can be made to Laurie Brogan (lbrogan@misericordia.edu) or by NED web submission link by Friday, Sept. 11. All submissions will be reviewed by an impartial committee and applicants will be notified of the board decision by Sept. 18. This is a great professional opportunity with many positive benefits. We are excited to offer this opportunity that encourages new exposure and participation in a long-standing chapter event.

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Chair NED PPTA