

AAOMPT State Advocacy Grant Request

Purpose: AAOMPT is committed to assisting APTA and its Components in the quest for clinical practice consistent with the established [vision](#), [standards of practice](#) and [scope of practice](#) for the physical therapist profession.

Applications will be assessed by the AAOMPT Practice Affairs Committee as they are received, and recommendations will be made to the AAOMPT Board of Directors based on the merits of each request. Chapters may request up to \$5,000.00 per year. In situations in which members or a chapter seeks grant funding for financial support of legislative efforts, the AAOMPT Practice Affairs Committee and Board of Directors will use the following criteria to determine whether financial support will be provided.

CHAPTER:

DATE OF APPLICATION:

AMOUNT REQUESTED: \$

Submitted by:

1. OVERVIEW:

- *Summarize the legislative issue the chapter plans to address. Clearly state the chapter's position on the legislative issue:*

2. OBJECTIVES:

- *Explicitly state legislative goals, including regulatory goals (these goals could be in support or in opposition of legislation/regulation:*
 - a. GOAL:
 - b. GOAL:
 - c. GOAL:

3. HISTORY:

The chapter's past efforts to attain the legislative/regulatory goal increases the likelihood of success in the future.

- *Describe past efforts, success, & progress:*

- *Describe how likely your future efforts will be to succeed and why:*

4. TOTAL ANTICIPATED EXPENSES WITH ITEMIZATION:

Granted funds must be used towards future political action efforts. Funds will not be granted to recuperate cost from previously completed activities.

- *What is the TOTAL anticipated expenses?*
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- *Provide a line item budget(add lines as necessary):*

FUNDING AMOUNT	USE
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5. PREVIOUS FINANCIAL COMMITMENT:

The chapter must have previously made a substantial financial commitment to achieving the legislative or regulatory goal, including initiating a political action effort, using PAC funds where allowable, to achieve the legislative/regulatory goal.

- *What is the financial commitment made to date by the chapter directly related to this issue?*
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- *What percentage of your chapter's operating budget has the chapter devoted, or plans to devote, to this effort?*
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- *What is the amount of available funds your chapter has in reserve and the percentage of the chapter's operating budget covered by these reserve funds?*

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- *What is the amount of special funds the chapter has established specifically for legislative or legal issues, or funds raised by the chapter through other means to address this issue?*

FUNDING AMOUNT

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TOTAL \$

- *Describe any financial commitment made by any other organizations not listed above:*

6. TIMELINE:

If the chapter has initiated legislation, please include the timeline for legislative action, legislators identified as bill sponsors or authors, grassroots plan, and plan for political contributions (PAC).

- *What is the chapter's legislative plan & timeline to address the issue? List below:*

PLAN OF ACTION

DATE/TIMEFRAME

- *Do you have any strategic alliances with other organizations related to this grant proposal? If so, who?*
- *If other alternatives were considered, please describe and explain why a legislative or legal option was chosen now:*

7. AAOMPT ALIGNMENT:

The legislative action must not be contrary to [AAOMPT's position statements](https://bit.ly/3a8OJFL):
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- *Are your goals in any way in opposition to [AAOMPT's positions](#)?*
- *How will the outcome of the activities be assessed and reported to AAOMPT & others? (A report is due to the AAOMPT Practice Affairs Committee no later than 1 year after funding is received.)*