

I WISH TO BE A SCAPTA-PAC KEY CONTACT
The South Carolina Physical Therapy Association's Political Action Committee

The Key Contact Program is a grassroots lobbying network of physical therapy practitioners who serve as the primary contact with their state senator. The purpose of this program is to establish valuable relationships with state senators to increase their awareness of the physical therapy profession. These friendships are crucial to keep the SC Senate aware of the issues that face physical therapy both on a daily basis and in the long term.

Your help in ensuring that every legislator in the State of South Carolina knows a physical therapist will make a huge difference in our efforts to promote the profession. Our goal is to identify a key contact for every Senate. We are asking that, as a Key Contact, you make contact with your Senator at their district office to discuss pertinent issues and legislation regarding physical therapy. In order to maximize the impact of every PAC dollar contributed to a Legislator, attendance at fundraisers by constituents in the Legislator's home district is highly effective. Therefore, as a Key Contact, you may be asked to attend fundraisers for your Legislator in your district. The SCAPTA-PAC will provide the contribution to get you in the door. All you have to do is show-up and mingle.

Key Contact Roles & Responsibilities

- Establishing and maintaining a relationship with their state senator. Identify yourself to the Senator as a constituent, a PT (or PTA), and a member of SCAPTA. Offer to be a resource on issues related to health care and rehab in South Carolina.
- Provide information on critical physical therapy issues to their state senator.
- Meet at least once a year with their state senator (either in Columbia or at home in the district)
- Communicate with their state senator on issues of importance to the PT profession when asked.
- Communicate with their state senator via holiday cards, "Good Luck with the session" card, "thank you for your service" notes, and other non-issue related communications to maintain the relationship.

Key Contact Sign-Up Sheet

If you are interested in becoming a Key Contact, please complete this form and fax or email it to the SCAPTA Office at (703) 706-8575 or southcarolina@apta.org.

Name _____

Address _____

SCAPTA District _____

Phone (day) _____ (eve) _____ (mobile) _____

Email _____

Would you like to become a SCAPTA Legislative Advocacy Mentor in your legislative district?

Yes, I would like to serve as a District Legislative Mentor No, Thank you

The fastest way to reach me is by: Phone (day) Phone (mobile) Phone (eve) Email

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!