



Board of Physical Therapy

To safeguard our communities' physical therapy experience by setting and upholding standards for professional competency and quality of care.

-Mission statement-

Empowering you to move through life.

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Public Meeting Agenda

May 5, 2025

10:00 a.m.

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Washington State Department of
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111 Israel Road
Tumwater, WA 98501
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1. Call to Order – DISCUSSION/ACTION – Dr. Kathryn Dale, Chair

- 1.1 Introductions
- 1.2 Approval of agenda
- 1.3 Approval of February 24, 2025 meeting minutes

2. Open Forum

The purpose of the open forum is to provide the public an opportunity to address the board on issues of significance affecting physical therapy practice that are not related to topics for which a rules hearing or workshop is scheduled.

3. Disciplinary Process Review Training—DISCUSSION – Catharine Roner-Reiter, SSA

Ms. Roner-Reiter will present an overview of the disciplinary process to the board.

4. Federation of State Boards of Physical Therapy—DISCUSSION/ACTION

- 4.1 Compact Commission updates
- 4.2 FSBPT Leadership Issues Forum and Annual Education Conference attendee selection

5. 2025 Legislative Update—DISCUSSION

The board will discuss bill tracking for the 2025 legislative session and staff will share any updates.

6. Spring Newsletter Review – DISCUSSION/ACTION

The board will review the spring newsletter draft and consider for approval.

7. Jurisprudence Exam Review-- DISCUSSION/ACTION

Dr. Foucrier will lead a board discussion regarding updates to the jurisprudence exam. The board will consider approving the draft presented.

8. Foreign Educated Applicants Delegation Discussion-- DISCUSSION/ACTION

Allyson will share updates regarding the 1724 rulemaking effective date, and ask that the board consider pre-approving TOEFL waiver requests when the applicant was educated in the English language.

9. Expired License Sanctions Discussion-- DISCUSSION/ACTION

The board will discuss and develop guidance for how to consistently approach situations where a PT or PTA has practiced with an expired license.

10. Correspondence—DISCUSSION/ACTION

The board will review any correspondence received since the last business meeting.

- 10.1 Lists and Labels - Oregon Health and Science University
- 10.2 Vestibular Rehabilitation Inquiry

11. Program Report – Information provided to the board by the Program Manager and Executive Director

- 11.1 Budget report
- 11.2 Credentialing updates
- 11.3 Rulemaking update
- 11.4 Board member recruitment update

11.5 Planning for upcoming meetings

12 Consent Agenda

Items listed under the consent agenda (informal items) are considered routine matters and are approved without discussion upon approval of the agenda. If separate discussion is desired, that item will be removed from the consent agenda and placed on the regular business agenda for discussion.

12.1 Q1 NPTE Survey Results

12.2 PT Compact Status Report

13. Adjournment

Next Scheduled Regular Meeting

Date: July 14, 2025

Time: 10:00 a.m.

Location: TBD/Webinar

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