

APTA Student Council



This document describes the qualifications and responsibilities of the component representative of the APTA Student Council.

Council Composition

APTA Student Council is composed of APTA component representatives who are selected or elected by APTA components annually and serve a minimum of a 12-month term. The purpose of the APTA Student Council is to unite students from the components at the national level. Council members act as a liaison between APTA National and their components. Each component may identify one representative to the council and one or more alternate representatives to support the APTA Student Council.

Student Council Representatives

Components may identify a Student Council Representative to facilitate two-way communication of member questions and issues, as well as guidance and resources related to the purpose of the council as mentioned above. Student Council Representative role and responsibilities may vary to meet component needs.

Expectations and Responsibilities

Commitment & Participation

- Attend council meetings in alternating months.
- Serve as an ambassador for their component and APTA.
- Participate in council activities throughout the year
- Attend in person council activities at APTA conferences.

Responsibilities

- Assist student council leadership with volunteer initiatives including about not limited to PTMovesMe initiatives, advocacy, and social media.
- Contribute to discussion on APTA Community.
- Update your component leader(s) on the council's activities on a regular basis.
- Select student delegates to the House of Delegates, council steering group and council chair through annual elections process.
- Implement council initiatives at the component level.

Eligibility Criteria and Qualifications

Eligibility Criteria

- Must be a student member of APTA in good standing.
- Must be currently enrolled in a PT or PTA program.
- Must be a member of the component you represent.
- All member engagement group participants shall adhere to the Volunteer Consent to Serve Agreement, which includes the APTA Code of Conduct and Conflict of Interest and Disclosure policies.

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