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## MEMO

**TO:** Alabama PT and PTA Licensees

**FROM:** Alabama Board of Physical Therapy

**DATE:** August 7, 2023

**RE:** Nominations for Board Membership and Renewal Reminder

Members of the Alabama Board of Physical Therapy are appointed for staggered terms of five years each; at least one member's term expires each year. Members of the board are appointed by the Governor from a list of five persons nominated for each place on the board by the current licensees and certified to him or her by the board.

The member position that is coming available this year:

- one physical therapist assistant position currently held by Nathan McGriff, representing the Northern Region.

The board is accepting nominations of

- **currently licensed physical therapist assistants who reside in the Northern Region to fill the physical therapist assistant position.**

We have included a map for details related to the location of the openings. Nominations, which must include a written, signed consent-to-serve letter from each nominee, may be submitted via mail, fax, or email to the board's office, but **must be received** no later than end of business on August 18th, 2023. In the event five qualified nominations from the above listed region are not received prior to the August 18th, 2023, deadline the board will request qualified nominations during the board's meeting on August 26th, 2023. Any person nominated from the floor must provide the board with a written, signed consent-to-serve letter within 30 days (that is, end of business on September 25, 2023) or be present to provide the consent-to-serve verbally.

In the event five qualified nominations from the above listed region are not received, nominations will be accepted from the state-at-large during the board's meeting on August 26th, 2023.

### **Qualifications for nominees for the position are:**

- (1) Be a resident and citizen of this state.
- (2) Have practiced physical therapy within the State of Alabama for the three years preceding his or her appointment.
- (3) Shall have no disciplinary action against their license for the three years preceding his or her appointment.
- (4) Must provide written, signed consent to serve.

In the event more than five qualified nominations from the above listed congressional districts are received prior to the August 18th, 2023, deadline, an election will be held to determine the five names to submit to the Governor. The election will occur at the board's meeting which will be held on Saturday, August 26, 2023, at Samford University, in conjunction with the Alabama Physical Therapy Association business meeting. All licensees are invited to attend.

If you have any questions about nominations/election/appointments, please contact the board office at (334) 242-4064 or [info@pt.alabama.gov](mailto:info@pt.alabama.gov).

Physical Therapists Assistant position open representing the northern section of the state: North of Prattville, north of Auburn, and north of Selma. Cities include: greater Birmingham area, Huntsville, Decatur, Gadsden. Tuscaloosa, Jasper, Florence, Cullman, Anniston.

