

NEWSLETTER



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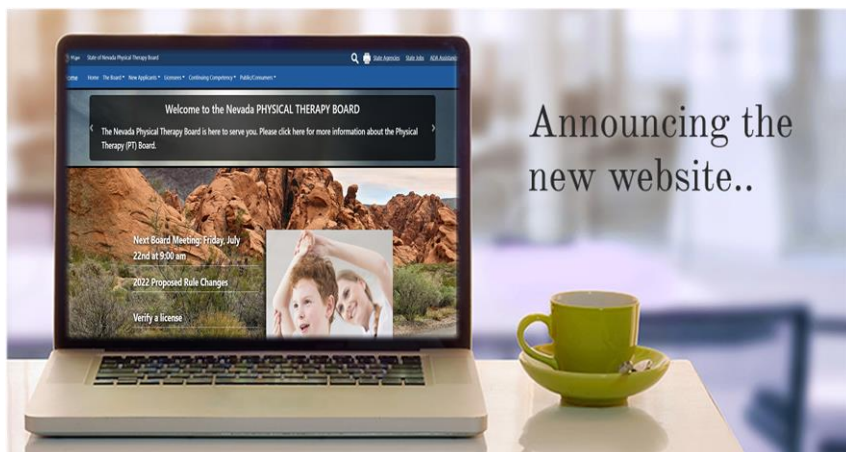
The Nevada Physical Therapy Board will be the leader in public protection, promotion of wellness, and access to care.

MISSION

The Nevada Physical Therapy Board protects and promotes the health and safety of Nevadans by pursuing physical therapy practice through education, communication, licensing, legislation, regulation, and enforcement.

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Announcing the new website..

Next Board Meeting

September 9, 2022

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MESSAGE FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



Happy Summer. It is hard to believe that we are already half-way through 2022, and what a busy year it has been!

The Board continued its mission of public protection through credentialing of new licensees and renewal of active licenses, regulation of the profession and promotion and regulation of continued competence requirements.

The number of licensees continues to increase, as does the need for physical therapy services in the State of Nevada.

In Fiscal Year 2022, the Nevada Physical Therapy Board added more than 300 new physical therapists and physical therapist assistants. The Board's Advisory Committee on Continuing Competence (ACCC) reviewed and approved over 1,500 course applications.

During this period, the Board also engaged in several significant projects, including:

- **Administrative Rulemaking:** Reviewed rules of practice and submitted proposed regulatory changes of NAC 640 to the Legislative Counsel Bureau for review and revision. A Small Business Impact Survey was completed in March 2021. The Board is soliciting addition input to consider the impact of the regulation on small businesses. *Please see page six for more information on the [Small Business Impact Questionnaire](#).*
- **Software Modernization:** Selected a new licensing system which will upgrade and streamline the online application, licensing, and renewal processes.
- **Website Redesign:** Improved website layout, functionality, and optimization for mobile devices.



Remember to renew your licenses early. June, July and August represent our busiest workload with more than 80% of licenses expiring during this three-month period. Licensees are reminded to complete their renewal process as early as possible to avoid last-minute system or processing delays. A license may be renewed at any time in the two months prior to its expiration date. Please remember that it is illegal to continue to practice with an expired license.

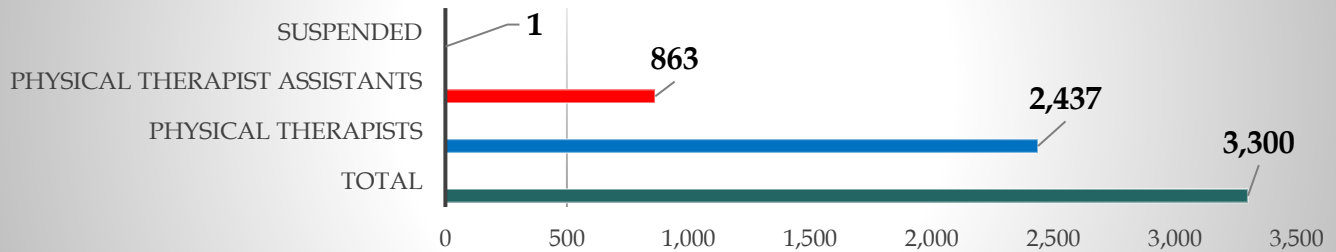
If you have any questions, need assistance with licensing or information about the Practice Act, I invite you to contact us at the Board office.

Charles D. Harvey, MPA
Executive Director

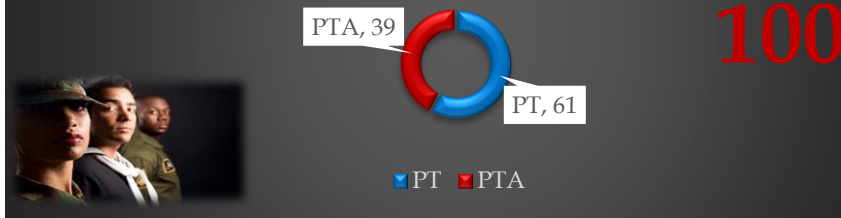
LICENSING STATISTICS

(AS OF MAY 31, 2022)

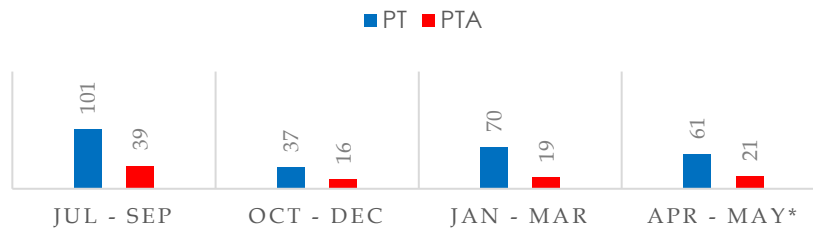
TOTAL ACTIVE LICENSEES



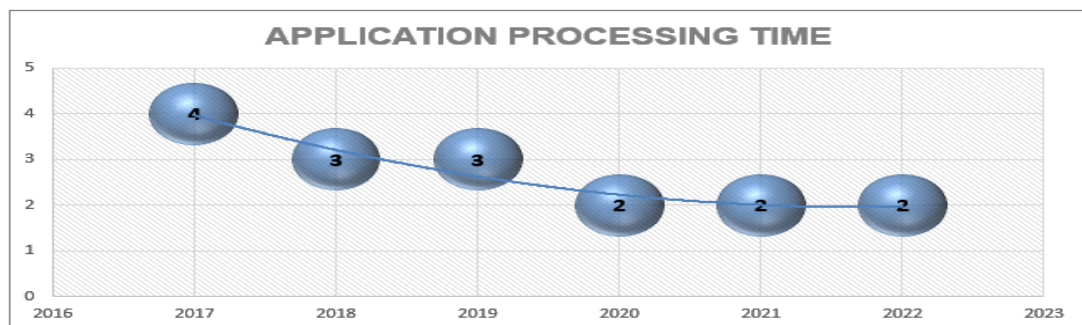
Active Licensees - Military, Veterans & Spouses



Quarterly Applications



AVERAGE DAYS TO LICENSURE



FRAUDULENT COMMUNICATIONS

The Nevada Physical Therapy Board has been made aware that some licensees have received fraudulent communications from individuals claiming to be from the Board.

Please note:

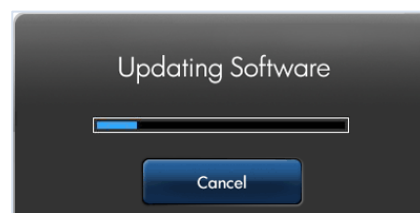
- Phone calls may appear to be from the Board telephone number
- You may verify the identity of a Board investigator or inspector by calling (702) 876-5535 or emailing ptapplication@govmail.state.nv.us.
- The Board will never demand that you provide personally identifying information, such as social security number, date of birth, bank or credit card account numbers over the phone.
- The communication may threaten arrest, demand personal information or require the payment of fines.



The Nevada Physical Therapy Board does not send such communications. If you believe that you are the recipient of a fraudulent communication claiming to be from the Board, you should refuse the demand and contact the Nevada Physical Therapy Board at (702) 876-5535 or ptapplication@govmail.state.nv.us.

LICENSING SOFTWARE UPDATE

The Nevada Physical Therapy Board is in the early stages of implementing a new licensing database. The Board will be replacing its current database and utilizing Thentia's licensing software and database solution to provide online applications, license renewals and verifications, online payments, CCU tracking and complaint/investigation tracking.



Why is this important



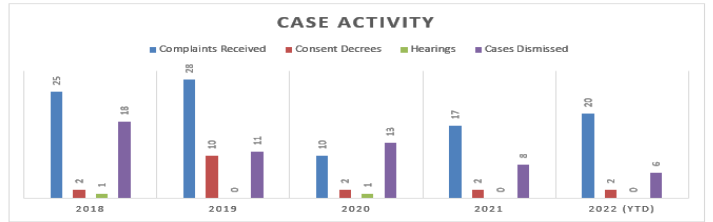
The new modernized system will significantly expand functionality for licensees and offer improved online capabilities. Most notably, the secure online self-serve licensee portal will provide new applicants and licensees with the ability to input and manage their personal and professional profile information, upload/download documents, track and manage continuing competence requirements, apply for new and renewal licenses and make payments. Expected implementation - fall 2022.

PUBLIC PROTECTION IS OUR PRIORITY

The Nevada Physical Therapy Board is responsible for regulating this profession and protecting the public in matters related to physical therapy. The Board conducts random inspections and investigates complaints to determine compliance. The Board’s complaint process is a critical tool in reporting issues concerning inadequate or incompetent treatment, licensee misconduct or any other violation of the laws and rules governing physical therapy. However, it is not limited to patients being treated. According to NAC 640.550(7), each licensee has an obligation to report unlicensed, unauthorized, unqualified or unethical practice by another person. The Board investigates each complaint and takes appropriate action when a violation of the practice act has occurred.

BOARD INSPECTORS NEEDED

The Nevada Physical Therapy Board is seeking to fill a part-time intermittent Inspector position. Board Inspectors work on an as-needed basis and are responsible for conducting routine inspections on establishments where physical therapy is practiced to ensure compliance with the Practice Act. Interested parties should contact the Board office for additional information: pted@govmail.state.nv.us



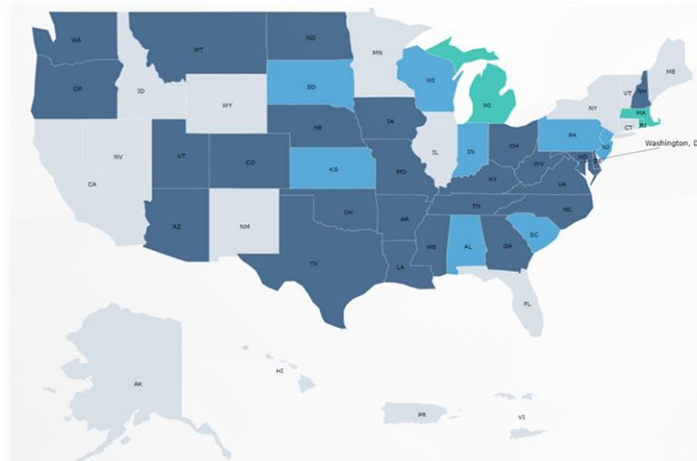
PT COMPACT UPDATE

The Physical Therapy Compact is an agreement between member states to protect the public by increasing consumer access to physical therapy services by reducing regulatory barriers and increasing the mobility of eligible physical therapy providers to work in multiple states.

The Nevada Physical Therapy Board will be seeking legislative approval to join the Interstate Physical Therapy Compact at the 82nd (2023) Session of the Nevada Legislature which begins on February 6, 2023.



PT · COMPACT



- Member State – Actively Issuing and Accepting Compact Privileges
- Enacted Legislation – Not Yet Issuing or Accepting Compact Privileges
- PT Compact Legislation Introduced
- Non-Member States Without Legislation Introduced

NAC 640 – PROPOSED CHANGES



The Nevada Physical Therapy Board is making a concerted effort to determine whether proposed regulations are likely to impose a direct and significant economic burden upon a small business or directly restrict the formation, operation, or expansion of a small business. A small business is defined in NRS 233B.0608(1) as a business conducted for profit that employs fewer than 150 full-time or part-time employees.

If you have a small business that may be impacted by proposed changes to Nevada Administrative Code Chapter 640, please review, complete, and return the attached **Small Business Impact Questionnaire**.

The questions pertain to how the changes in the Nevada Administrative Code presented in the enclosure will affect your business. If it is determined that the proposed regulation is likely to impose a direct and significant economic burden upon a small business; or directly restrict the formation, operation, or expansion of a small business; then the agency will take any or all of the following actions:

1. Insofar as practicable, consult with owners and officers of affected small businesses,
2. Consider methods to reduce the impact of the proposed regulation, and
3. Prepare a small business impact statement and make copies of the statement available to the public at the workshop conducted and the public hearing held pursuant to NRS 233B.061.

A copy of the Small Business Impact Questionnaire is attached to this Newsletter for review. You may review the proposed regulations at the following website:

[https://ptboard.nv.gov/uploadedFiles/ptboardnv.gov/content/Home/V3/November%2012%202021%20-%20NAC%20640%20PROPOSED%20CHANGES\(1\).pdf](https://ptboard.nv.gov/uploadedFiles/ptboardnv.gov/content/Home/V3/November%2012%202021%20-%20NAC%20640%20PROPOSED%20CHANGES(1).pdf) or contact the Board office at (702) 876-5535 or pted@govmail.state.nv.us.

Please answer each of the questions that apply and add any qualifying remarks that may help us to understand your position. **Mail, fax or email your completed form on or prior to August 15, 2022.**



BACKGROUND: In 2021, the Nevada Physical Therapy Board put forth proposed changes to Nevada Administrative Code Chapter 640. Public comment was solicited when the Board submitted the proposed changes to the licensing community and other potentially affected parties, to survey their thoughts regarding the proposed revisions. The Board received public comments through workshops and a public hearing before submitting the proposed regulation to the Legislative Counsel Bureau in November 2021. Due to comments that have been submitted since that time, another Small Business Impact Survey is requested.

MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD CHAIR



Hello Nevada Licensees!

I hope that your summer is off to a good start. As our state continues to be burdened with waves of COVID, I thank all of you for showing up each day to serve the residents of Nevada. I am honored to be the current Chair of the Nevada Physical Therapy Board and excited to share a bit with you of what we have been working on.

This year, we welcomed two new members to our board, Jessie Fisher and Aaron Stevens. Both reside in northern Nevada and bring great energy and experience to the board.

- ❖ Jessie Fisher graduated with her Masters in Physical Therapy in 2000 and has worked in the Reno/Sparks area her entire career. She obtained her ABPTS Board Certification in Orthopedic Physical Therapy in 2016 and her Masters in Business Administration from the University of Nevada, Reno in 2018.
- ❖ Aaron Stevens joins our board as the public member. He is a certified Orthotist/Prosthetist who began his career as an occupational therapist. He is also the founder of the RENO SPARKS Ambucs, a service organization that adapts bikes for kids with mobility deficits.

Together, the Board and staff, work daily to enhance services for our members while keeping to our mission of public protection. Most recently our efforts have been focused on upgrading communication through board office wireless access, updating the website, and transitioning to a new software management system. The ACCC committee continues to meet bimonthly to approve valuable and diverse CC courses and are working to improve the CCU list by categorizing approved courses by patient population. Additionally, we are already preparing for the new legislative session where we plan to again bring a compact bill.

Legislative Counsel Bureau feedback on the Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) revisions is expected back this summer and we are hopeful to complete the process this year. This process which began in 2018, updates the code language including removal of the PTA supervision hours requirement.

For those of you who renew in July, I hope your renewal process runs smoothly. Please make sure to follow us on Facebook and remember you can attend a board meeting via zoom. You can also send us a message via the “how are we doing” link on the website.

Warmest regards,

Jen Nash

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q: Am I required to do continuing education to maintain my license?

A: Yes. Every physical therapist or physical therapist assistant must complete 15 hours of approved continuing competence within the year immediately preceding their application for license renewal. Additional information may be found on the Board website at

https://ptboard.nv.gov/Home/V3/Home_Competency/.

Q: How many CCUs do I need every year?

A: 15 CCUs (15 hours)

Q: What do I need to submit for proof of CCU credit for an approved course during renewal?

A: You need to submit a signed course completion certificate with the date completed and number of CCU hours stated.

Q: May I receive 15 CCUs for an APTA nonclinical (business-related) course?

A: No, however, 8 hours of a non-clinical course can be applied toward the 15-hour annual requirement.

Q: How do I report a name change and/or request an updated license?

A: Changes in name must be submitted in writing to the Board administrative office, along with documentation supporting the change (i.e., marriage certificate, divorce decree). Please include your name and license number. If you wish to receive a duplicate copy of your license reflecting the updated name, you must specify this in your request and include a check or money order in the amount of \$25.00, made payable to the Nevada Physical Therapy Board.

Q: When are licenses renewed?

A: Licenses issued prior to October 1, 2017, expire at midnight on July 31st of each year. Licenses issued on or after October 1, 2017 expire 1 year after their date of issuance.

Q: What happens if I let my license expire?

A: You will have up to two years to renew and will need to pay the renewal fees and late fees and submit continuing competence for each year.

Q: I am applying for a license in another state and need license verification. How do I obtain this?

A: Requests for license verification must be submitted in writing to the Board. The license verification form can be found on the Board website. Please include your name, license number and the name and address to which the verification must be sent.

Q: How is a complaint filed?

A: Anyone, including the Board, may file a complaint against a licensed PT or PTA. The complaint form can be found on the Board website. After receipt, the Board may contact you for additional information.

Q: I have moved and/or changed my place of employment. How do I update my address with the Board?

A: Changes in address must be submitted in writing to the Board administrative office within 30 days. Please include your name, license number, old address and new address. Please also specify if the change is to your mailing or practice address.

CONTINUING EDUCATION OR CONTINUING COMPETENCE

What is the difference?

Q: Why did Continuing Education Units (CEUs) change to Continuing Competence Units (CCUs)?

A: Continuing education is the former term and now the current term is continuing competence as it is more inclusive to other activities besides just educational courses.

Q: How do I know what is approved by the Board for Continuing Competence credit?

A: The approved course list can be found on the Board website at https://ptboard.nv.gov/Home/Vd/Home_Competency/.

Q: Are all APTA sponsored courses automatically on the Board's Approved Course List?

A: No. However, on July 22, 2022, the Board approved all American Physical Therapy Association (APTA) Combined Sections Meetings (CSM) and APTA Learning Center courses for continuing competence licensure renewal requirements.

Q: Can I get credit for the Continuing Competence course I teach?

A: You can get up to 8 CCUs under the professional activities category. When submitting proof of CCU, make sure to include the CCU verification form for the professional activity along with 7 CCUs from the certified activities category.

Q: What type of activities are approved for CCU credit?

A: Three different avenues (categories) are available to the licensee to obtain 15 CCUs each year.

1. CERTIFIED ACTIVITIES

These activities are conferences or individual continuing education courses that are on the [ACCC approved list](#). Contact April at board office if you have questions about your specific course. If not already on the approved list, licensees may submit a course application. (Fees may apply if not APTA course). Licensees can accumulate a total of 15 CCUs from this category to complete the minimum requirement, unless otherwise specified.

Certified Activities:

Conferences: As awarded by the ACCC

Individual Continuing Education Courses: As awarded by the ACCC

Non-Clinical Continuing Education Courses: As awarded by the ACCC* (i.e. Business-related course material)

**Licensees are able to accumulate a MAXIMUM of 8 CCUs from the non-clinical category.*

2. ADVANCED COMPETENCY ACTIVITIES

These activities are advanced coursework or specialization in a sub-specialty that demonstrates ongoing, contemporary learning **in the field of Physical Therapy**. A CCU [Verification form](#) is required for proof of activity completion. Licensees can accumulate a total of 15 CCUs from this category to complete the minimum requirement.

Advanced Competency Activities:

Passing score on the Certified Specialist Examination through ABPTS **

Participation in an Accredited Residency

Participation in an Accredited Fellowship

***Credit is given for the licensing year during which participation in the activity is > 6 months.*

3. PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

These are activities that the NVPTB has deemed appropriate to receive CCUs without the need for ACCC review. A CCU [Verification form](#) is required for proof of activity completion. Licensees can accumulate half their yearly total (**MAXIMUM of 8 CCUs**) from this category towards completion of the minimum requirement.

Professional Activities:

In-Person Attendance at NPTB/APTA NV meetings: 1 CCU/meeting for max of 4 CCUs/year

NPTB/APTA NV Board/Committee work: 1 CCU/ 5 hours of work for max of 4 CCUs/year

College Coursework: 1 CCU/ credit for max of 8 CCUs/year

In-service (attending an in-service): 1 CCU/hour for max 4 CCUs/year

Pro-Bono PT service: 1 CCU/ event (≥2 hours) for max 4 CCUs/year

Primary Clinical Instructor: 1 CCU/ 40 hours of supervision for max of 8 CCUs

Primary Instructor of Continuing Competence Course: Max of 8 CCUs for the first year a course is taught

Peer-Reviewed Publication: 1 article/year for 8 CCUs for max of 8 CCUs/year

Q: Where do I find the CCU Application Form?

A: The CCU application form is located on the front page of the Board website, or use this link:
<https://ptboard.nv.gov/uploadedFiles/ptboardnvgov/content/CE/CourseReviewApplication.pdf>

Q: Where do I find the CCU Verification Form for categories 2 & 3?

A: The CCU verification form can be found on the Board website or use this link:
https://ptboard.nv.gov/uploadedFiles/ptboardnvgov/content/CE/ACCE/otherCCU_Verification_Form.pdf

PRIMARY INSTRUCTOR OF CONTINUING COMPETENCE COURSE

On July 22, 2022, the Board added Primary Instructor of a Continuing Competence Course as an approved professional activity. Licensed clinicians teaching continuing education courses may now receive up to 8 CCUs for the first year a continuing competence course is taught.

TELEHEALTH



Nevada law defines telehealth as “the delivery of services from a provider of health care to a patient at a different location through the use of information and audio-visual

communication technology, not including standard telephone, facsimile or electronic mail” (NRS 629.515). This statute encourages and facilitates the provision of services through telehealth for public health and to lower the cost of health care in the State of Nevada.

Accordingly, the Nevada Physical Therapy Board recognizes that using telehealth services offers potential benefits in the delivery of physical therapy services. While the Practice Act (NRS/NAC 640) does not specifically address telehealth, NRS 629.515 includes physical therapists in its list of “*health care providers*”. Therefore, licensed physical therapists in good standing may practice physical therapy via telehealth to a patient within the jurisdiction of Nevada.

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Key points:

- A physical therapist must be licensed by Nevada Physical Therapy Board.
- Both physical therapist and client must be in Nevada when services are performed
- The practitioner is responsible for determining that telehealth services are appropriate for the client, ensuring that billable services are performed over the telehealth platform, and adhering to applicable laws and standards of care.
- Please see the following statutes for more information on telehealth in the State of Nevada. NV Rev Stat § 629.515 (2017)



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NEW PHYSICAL THERAPISTS LICENSED JAN – MAY 2022

The Nevada Physical Therapy Board is pleased to welcome the following new licensees to the physical therapy community in Nevada.

Last	First, Middle	License No.
Hunt	Camille	4737
Lew	Nicole	4738
Schottler	Abby	4739
Ruiz	Virjil Canen	4740
Nourmohammadi	Badreddin	4741
Fox	Jaclyn	4742
Cortez	Zarah Mae H	4743
Cubero	Julius	4744
Nuguid	Pauline Rina Denise	4745
Alipio	Vaysa Y	4746
Manalansan	Eric	4747
Tabacolde	Clydel June	4748
BollingerLunder	Linda	4749
Nicholson	Hannah	4750
Ligason	Donn Ramon Ortizo	4751
Bagacina	Marianne Bernardo	4752
Krum	Anthony Michael	4753
Beeler	Jerome Harrison	4754
Khair	Irene	4755
Fung	Lea M K	4756
Posnick	Nicole	4757
Johnson	Erin Kay	4758
Serrano	Kristie	4759
Ivanov	Ivan Emilov	4760
Vazquez Garcia	Aileen	4761
Walker	Jacob Ryan	4762
Villero	Charles Reuben Felicen	4763
Nix	Valeri	4764
Abello	Jerald	4765
Andre	Mattie Bernadette	4766
Plausinaitis	Adam	4767
Casale	Emily M	4768
Woytek	Hannah	4769
Holland	Alyssa	4770

Last	First, Middle	License No.
Griswold	Astrida	4771
Fung	Andrew Jo Wing	4772
Gustin	Emily Jean	4773
Lagunilla	Jane	4774
OToole	Tyler	4775
Hokanson	William	4776
Honest	Stephanie	4777
Cartagena	Miguel	4778
Magdael	Kevin	4779
Cubero	Letecia Lalaine Balisado	4780
Patterson	Julia	4781
Flint	Darcy	4782
Fell	Francesca	4783
Witmer	Lauren	4784
Chadd	Joanna M	4785
Rupp	Gregory	4786
Ventura	Anthony	4787
Chandler	Maurie	4788
Krist	Daniel	4789
Behnken	Jenna	4790
Contos	Nikolos	4791
Pica	Javier C	4792
Roldan	April Tolibas	4793
Tabaquero	Allain	4794
Arizala	Keiko	4795
Westrup	Jacob	4796
Romero	Pedro	4797
Joseph	Rebecca	4798
Pavlich	Anthony	4799
Grindstaff	Charles Jay	4800
Itterman	Kelsie Anne	4801
Narasimhan	Shannon	4802
Enerio	Thara Kristelle V	4803
Gregerson	Elaina Scott	4804

Last	First, Middle	License No.
Enerio	Ivan Riel S	4805
Abadir	Nancy Atef Nashed	4806
Schott	Allison Aguilar	4807
Gebhardt	Margaret	4808
Somoza	Alison	4809
Studer	Michael	4810
Gutierrez	Connie	4811
Oakry	Kiana	4812
Langevin	Seth M	4813
Hyde	Jennifer	4814
Tsay	Michael	4815
Roca	Jovelyn Cadiz	4816
Entienza	Louie Anton Ang	4817
McMillan	Eleanor	4818
Neves	Carey	4819
Butts	Michele	4820
Yergensen	Abigail	4821
Mick	Adam	4822
Lu	Marc Lawrence	4823
Evangelista	Jed Edison M	4824
Evangelista	Veal Eunice T	4825
Ye	Mandy	4826
Lei	Lesley	4827
Yerro	Vincent Fallaria	4828
Agustin	Maria Concepcion Chua	4829
Bandales	Antonio Basilio Maligaya	4830
Ronconi	Alessandro Harlow	4831
Mariano	Edison Antonio	4832
Cutler	Jason	4833
Klarberg	Joseph	4835
Simon	Karli J	4836
Hough	Megan	4837
OMara	Todd Michael	4838
Follens Jones	Jaleesa Kumara	4839
Cargnoni	Jayne Leigh	4841
Solomon	Karissa	4842
Madriaga	Austin	4843
Grosleske	Kaitlyn	4844
Everett	Zoe	4845

Last	First, Middle	License No.
Murata	Andrew J	4846
Montes	Jennifer	4847
Wolf	Elena	4848
Barton	Mark L	4849
Guerrero	Kristina Faye	4850
Hammar	Ryan Bronson	4851
Martinez	Andrew	4852
Roys	Christopher	4853
Nguyenton	Derrick	4854
Durham	Rachael	4855
Ruiz	Samantha S	4856
Turley	Matthew Jay	4857
Scruggs	Rondale	4858
Perez	Daniel E	4859
Eckard	Kameron	4860
Uptain	Danielle	4861
Owens	Braden	4862
Santos	Karen Aleyda	4864
Peterson	Jessie L	4865
Lee	Benjamin	4866
Bonczyk	Alexander J	4867
Elquist	Marissa	4868
Garcia	Jonathan Robert	4869



NEW PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANTS LICENSED JAN – MAY 2022

Last	First, Middle	License No.
Arce	Marlon	A-1455
Clausen	John Wayne	A-1456
Rodriguez	Raquel Marie	A-1458
Nelson	Kristen Michelle	A-1459
Spellman	Isaiah Matthew	A-1460
Vivier	Sherry L	A-1461
Pros	Martha S	A-1462
Kohler	Danielle Ann Kohler	A-1463
Robertson	Alysha	A-1464
Townsend	Heather	A-1465
Galindo	Alyssa R	A-1466
Grano	Kirk	A-1467
Lorico	Jonathan	A-1468
Morano	Michael Patrick	A-1469
Zare	Mina	A-1470
Musch	Christina	A-1471
Austin	Brooks	A-1472
Vorobey	Yaroslav	A-1473
Spelts	Rebecca	A-1474
Couch	Camille	A-1475

Last	First, Middle	License No.
Caronan II	Jose	A-1476
Nario	Dan	A-1477
Booth	Sarah Rose	A-1478
Basco	Ryan	A-1479
Mueller	Ashley	A-1480
ODell	Heidi	A-1481
Malkiewicz	Makenzi	A-1482
Adair	Whitney	A-1483
Gaden	Bianca	A-1484
Maher	Truman	A-1485
Cruz	Stephanie	A-1486
Alonte	John	A-1487
Hirz	Samantha	A-1488
House	Amanda	A-1489
Roberts	George	A-1490
Sanchez	Adriana Marie	A-1491
Marcinkowski	Alison	A-1492
Horn	Andrew	A-1493
Romero	Serafina	A-1494
Neeser	David	A-1495

MENTORS WANTED!

The Nevada Physical Therapy Board is creating a database of locations & Physical Therapists and Physical Therapist Assistants that could provide aspiring PT students observation time in their clinical setting. This can be very helpful to those who are not connected in the PT community or have good mentors to facilitate observation opportunities.



If you are interested in serving as a Mentor to a PT or PTA, please email April at the Board office (aramirez@govmail.state.nv.us) with the following information to join our database.

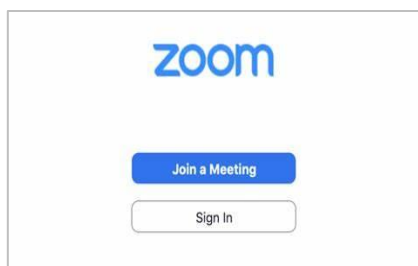
- Name
- Email
- Telephone
- Clinical Setting
- Address
- Hours

MEETINGS OF THE BOARD

The Nevada Physical Therapy Board conducts public meetings throughout the year for purposes of conducting administrative business concerning ratifying licenses, promulgating rules, disciplinary matters, etc.

The five (5) members of the Board are appointed by the Governor and serve three (3) year terms. A quorum of three (3) members is required to conduct public business. Nevada Open Meeting Law requires that board meetings be open to the public and that any such governmental body give adequate notice of such meetings.

Open meeting notices can be accessed on the Board website at <https://ptboard.nv.gov/About/Meetings/>.



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2022 BOARD HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Board Office Closed	Day(s) of Week	Date(s)
Labor Day	Mon	Sep 5, 2022
Nevada Day	Fri	Oct 28, 2022
Veteran's Day	Fri	Nov 11, 2022
Thanksgiving Day	Thu & Fri	Nov 24 - 25, 2022
Christmas	Mon	Dec 26, 2022



State of Nevada
Physical Therapy Board

2022 BOARD MEETINGS



September 9, 2022

November 4, 2022

PHYSICAL THERAPY PRACTICE ACT

NRS 640: Nevada Revised Statutes

Governs the profession of physical therapy in the State of Nevada.



NAC 640: Nevada Administrative Code

The regulation or rules that further define and explain the statutes.

NEVADA PHYSICAL THERAPY BOARD
SMALL BUSINESS IMPACT QUESTIONNAIRE:
Proposed Changes to Nevada Administrative Code 640

The Nevada Physical Therapy Board is making a concerted effort to determine whether proposed regulations are likely to impose a direct and significant economic burden upon a small business or directly restrict the formation, operation, or expansion of a small business.

If you have a small business that may be impacted by proposed changes to Nevada Administrative Code Chapter 640, please review, complete and return the attached **Small Business Impact Questionnaire**. [NRS 233B.0382 “Small Business defined.”](#) “Small business” means a business conducted for profit, which employs fewer than 150 full-time or part-time employees.

The following questions pertain to how the changes in the Nevada Administrative Code presented in the proposed changes will affect your business. If it is determined that the proposed regulation is likely to impose a direct and significant economic burden upon a small business; or directly restrict the formation, operation, or expansion of a small business; then the agency will take any or all of the following actions:

1. Insofar as practicable, consult with owners and officers of affected small businesses,
2. Consider methods to reduce the impact of the proposed regulation, and
3. Prepare a small business impact statement and make copies of the statement available to the public at the workshop conducted and the public hearing held pursuant to NRS 233B.061.

To review the proposed regulations please go to the following website:
[https://ptboard.nv.gov/uploadedFiles/ptboardnvgov/content/Home/V3/November%2012%202021%20-%20NAC%20640%20PROPOSED%20CHANGES\(1\).pdf](https://ptboard.nv.gov/uploadedFiles/ptboardnvgov/content/Home/V3/November%2012%202021%20-%20NAC%20640%20PROPOSED%20CHANGES(1).pdf).

Please answer each of the questions that apply and add any qualifying remarks that may help us to understand your position. ***Mail, fax, or email your completed form on or prior to August 15, 2022, to:***

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Question 1. Please provide the following information:

NAME:			
ORGANIZATION:		DATE:	
CONTACT INFO:			

Question 2. How many employees are currently employed by your business?

- 1 - 150
- 151 or more

If more than 150 employees, you will not need to answer the rest of the questions. Please EMAIL, MAIL, or FAX the questionnaire to the above address. If less than 150, please continue with the remaining questions.

Question 3: Will a specific regulation have an adverse economic effect upon your business?

If so, please indicate the estimated dollar amount(s) you believe the adopted regulations will cost you over one calendar year with a brief explanation as to how the dollar amount was calculated.

- Yes
- No

Explain: _____

Question 4: Will the regulation(s) have any beneficial effect upon your business?

If so, please include any cost savings you believe the adopted regulations will save you over one calendar year with an estimated dollar amount if applicable.

- Yes
- No

Explain: _____

Question 5: Do you anticipate any indirect adverse effects upon your business?

- Yes
- No

Explain: _____

Question 6: Do you anticipate any indirect beneficial effects upon your business?

- Yes
- No

Explain: _____

Other Comments:

Signature