

Strategy Mountain 2023 – 2026 (initiated June 2023)

Mission

Elevating physical therapy to optimize movement and well-being for those at risk for or impacted by neurologic conditions.

Vision

All people with neurologic conditions living their best lives.

Core Strategies (2023 - 2026)

#1 Quality Resources:
Advance neurologic physical therapy through knowledge creation and translation

#2 Expand and Engage
Membership: Create a
connected and diverse community
of neurologic physical therapy
providers

#3 Operational Excellence: Cultivate an organizational culture and infrastructure that strengthens efficiency, transparency and sustainability #4 Advocacy & Awareness:
Expand the influence of neurologic
physical therapy with all
stakeholders through advocacy and
awareness

Status Scale













2024 ANNUAL PRIORITIES

	2024				
Core Strategy #1: Quality Resources: Advance neu	rologic physical therapy thr	ough knowledge crea	tion and translatior	1	
Annual Priority	Responsible Parties	Performance Measure	Resource Implications	Status	
Facilitate the assimilation of the entry-level competencies by academic educators Continue developing materials such as presentations, ancillary materials, social media, etc	Director of Education	Survey of academic institutions by end of 2028 with plan to publish (using Peds as a model) to measure the use in PT programs with a goal of 80%.		Underway as of 6/23. Will continue for a year or more	
Strengthen conferences and events to a wider/diverse audience a. Evaluate success and format (synchronous and asynchronous) of ANPT Annual Conference and ICVR	Annual Conf Committee and ICVR Task Force Research Committee	Annual Conf: Metrics associated with Annual Conference (already in place through exec office) ICVR: establish metrics Identify clinician researchers in registration; Estimate # of clinician researchers and first-time submitters submissions in 2022; increase 10% in 3 years (2026)		3 rd AC completed. Needs further discussion after AC 2025	
Strengthen conferences and events to a wider/diverse audience. b. Increase successful conference submissions from clinician researchers and first-time submitters, i.e. mentors prior to submission and resources	Annual Conf Committee and ICVR Task Force CSM Program Committee Research Committee	Annual Conf: Metrics associated with Annual Conference (already in place through exec office) ICVR: establish metrics		Discussing/Planning	

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		Identify clinician		
		researchers in		
		registration; Estimate		
		# of clinician		
		researchers and first-		
		time submitters		
		submissions in 2022;		
		increase 10% in 3		
		years (2026)		
3. Establish a process for identifying & selecting topics for	Director of Knowledge Synthesis	Update policy &	Librarian	
high impact evidence-based documents	& EBD Committee	procedure EBD	-User experience design	
a. Review and update policy/procedures in EBD		manual &	(website)	
Manual to reflect best practices	Executive Office	communicate	-Stipend	In process – 75%
·		throughout	-Trainings	complete(in Nov
	VP, Director of Comm, &	organization, sharing	-Delphi software	2023)
	Director of Practice	results of needs	(needs assessment)	2023)
		assessment with BOD	-Reference management	
			software	
		Initiate one EBD		
		product/year if		
		supported by needs		
		assessment		
		Disseminate the P&P		
		for review of		
		products		
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high impact evidence-based documents	& EBD Committee	procedure EBD	-User experience design	
		manual &	(website)	
b. Complete a need and resource assessment for	Executive Office	communicate	-Stipend	
ensuring quality and sustainability of EBD		throughout	-Trainings	Complete but needs
products	VP, Director of Comm, &	organization, sharing	-Delphi software	Complete but needs
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		supported by needs		
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3. Establish a process for identifying & selecting topics for high impact evidence-based documents C. Establish a policy and procedure for review of materials and consistent labeling stating level of review across all products	Director of Knowledge Synthesis & EBD Committee Executive Office VP, Director of Comm, & Director of Practice	Disseminate the P&P for review of products Update policy & procedure EBD manual & communicate throughout organization, sharing results of needs assessment with BOD Initiate one EBD product/year if supported by needs assessment Disseminate the P&P for review of	Librarian -User experience design (website) -Stipend -Trainings -Delphi software (needs assessment)	Done
4. Collaborate with related sections and academies for further development of movement system examination and diagnosis b. Gather collaborators in pediatrics and geriatrics to develop and disseminate a process for task analysis and movement system diagnoses relevant across neuro diagnoses and the life span-including walking impairment	Director of Practice/ Practice Committee; Collaboration with Academies of Pediatrics and Geriatrics	products Completion of KT resources for current papers Material downloading metrics from website Attendance at webinars and in- person presentations		Discussing/Planning

2024				
Core Strategy #2: Expand and Engage Membership: Create a connected and diverse community of neurologic physical therapy providers				
Annual Priority	Responsible Parties	Performance	Resource Implications	Status
		Measure		
1. Highlight benefits of membership to non-members	SIGs, KT Task Force, & Practice	5% increase in new	SIGs, KT Task Forces &	
and the value of membership to members	Committees	members	Practice Committees'	
a. Determine the most engaging methods that			time to develop video	
highlight ANPT resources across all social media				Waiting for action

platforms such as a membership campaign targeted at student members for when they transition to full members from professional training or residency; monthly audit of social media data to determine topics and formats receiving highest engagement.	Member-PR Committee for gathering performance measure data and completing analyses Awards Committee	# engagements with video walkthrough Increase by 5-10% in # of unique site visits Retain 50% of student/resident members upon completion of training program (document currently baseline) Present infographic in time for business	walkthroughs for new publications EO support needed for expertise in best practices and communication to target audience	
Highlight benefits of membership to non-members and the value of membership to members b. Develop and publish (in JNPT) infographic to illustrate how resources (member dues) are being utilized	President's Message? SIGs, KT Task Force, & Practice Committees Member-PR Committee for gathering performance measure data and completing analyses Awards Committee	meeting at CSM 2024 5% increase in new members # engagements with video walkthrough Increase by 5-10% in # of unique site visits Retain 50% of student/resident members upon completion of training program (document currently baseline) Present infographic in time for business meeting at CSM 2024	SIGs, KT Task Forces & Practice Committees' time to develop video walkthroughs for new publications EO support needed for expertise in best practices and communication to target audience	Waiting for action
Increase member networking and engagement opportunities	Member PR Committee ANPT Nomination committee	Number of participants in mentoring relationship;		in progress

Redesign mentoring program and explore strategies for collaboration among new educators	ANPT HOD/ Advocacy Historical archive committee Education	evaluation collaboration % of those interested in volunteering are matched with an opportunity within 2 years % from volunteer list used (esp. new)	
3. Integrate the ANPT's DEI Committee's work into membership, engagement, and other aspects of the organization a. Develop criteria for an award to attend Annual Conference for underrepresented populations and/or individuals working in the DEI arena	Member/PR Awards Committee	Track # of successful initiatives/programs started, collect "baseline" data on demographics of membership	Planning in 2024 and first awarded in 2025

	2024					
Core Strategy #3: Operational Excellence: Cultivisustainability	Core Strategy #3: Operational Excellence: Cultivate an organizational culture and infrastructure that strengthens efficiency, transparency and sustainability					
Annual Priority	Responsible Parties	Performance Measure	Resource Implications	Status		
Complete an ANPT governance review a. Distribute an RFP for a partner in the governance review process and (2024) hire an outside consultant to conduct the governance review. During the review identify the following: b. Has the complement of our content become so large such that members are unable to readily	Executive Office & Board of Directors	% of members on survey state that organization structure of ANPT meets member need 1 year after completed review	EO support for RFP for consultant Outside consultant for governance review – associated contract and fees	Discussing/Planning		
access best resources?		% of focus group participants agree to the statement "ANPT governance	Potentially: Time/ personnel support to design and analyze survey &			

c. Is there redundancy (e.g. in org chart) that could be eliminated by narrowing our focus or strengthening existing initiatives? d. Are KT groups and SIGs competing with each other? e. Expectations/timelines for initiatives f. What are the roadblocks to good communication among groups?		meets member needs" 1 year after completing review % of Board of Directors, SIG Officers, and Committee/Task force chairs state the organizational structure meets their needs by 1 year after review is completed	Time/ personnel to design and analyze focus group data	
Review report and determine which of ANPT's programs should be retired, improved, or further enhanced	Executive Office & Board of Directors	_% of members on survey state that organization structure of ANPT meets member need 1 year after completed review % of focus group participants agree to the statement "ANPT governance meets member needs" 1 year after completing review % of Board of Directors, SIG Officers, and Committee/Task force chairs state the organizational structure meets their needs by 1 year after review is completed	EO support for RFP for consultant Outside consultant for governance review – associated contract and fees Potentially: Time/ personnel support to design and analyze survey & Time/ personnel to design and analyze focus group data	Discussion/Planning

Redesign the ANPT Website to increase awareness, user accessibility, and information organization a. (Starting 2023) Develop a plan to remove or replace old/outdated material on website	Director of Comm & Digital Communication Committee (All committees and SIGs to look over their part as directed)	Baseline satisfaction score established prior to redesign Increase satisfaction score by 10% after redesign Increase Google ranking on pages by 5 positions Website traffic increased by 15% All resources on website are accessed within 5 clicks	Membership and Communications Specialist (EO) for support Outside group/ consultant for website design – associated contract and fees New staff for website feedback Utilize content experts in each area	In process – work groups to help with update/edits
2. Redesign the ANPT Website to increase awareness, user accessibility, and information organization b. (2023) Examine the best platform for member engagement and communication redesigning the Website to include page for various topics such as: o starting your own practice o curriculum o clinical practice questions o resources for clinicians o resources for consumers	Director of Comm & Digital Communication Committee (All committees and SIGs to look over their part as directed)	Baseline satisfaction score established prior to redesign Increase satisfaction score by 10% after redesign Increase Google ranking on pages by 5 positions Website traffic increased by 15% All resources on website are accessed within 5 clicks	Membership and Communications Specialist (EO) for support Outside group/ consultant for website design – associated contract and fees New staff for website feedback Utilize content experts in each area	Discussing/Planning Lower priority based on other web priorities. Move to 2024

Redesign the ANPT Website to increase awareness, user accessibility, and information organization Provide website training for all work groups, committees, and executive office staff	Member/PR	Increase satisfaction score by 10% after redesign Increase Google ranking on pages by 5 positions Website traffic increased by 15% All resources on website are accessed within 5 clicks	Specialist (EO) for support Outside group/ consultant for website design – associated contract and fees New staff for website feedback Utilize content experts in each area	In discussion
Ensure that executive office resources are operating to best and highest levels	President & President-Elect; Board of Directors; Executive Director	Staffing workload is meeting budgetary projections within 10%	Consider GMP FTE revisions	In discussion – 2024
4. Establish thorough and inclusive communication both within leadership and to membership (following best practices) a. Pursue agenda items for regularly scheduled leadership calls from work group leaders	President, EO All SIGs and Committees as appropriate	90% of BOD, SIG leadership, and committee/task force leadership report that they are satisfied with ease and efficiency of communication		Waiting for action Seek leaders input on agenda items for CSM leadership meeting. Consider open BOD meeting and/or virtual business meeting
5.Investigate the economics of free vs. paid resources to find the optimum balance & model for the future financial stability a. Identify in-house or consulting resources to conduct the evaluation	Board of Directors – President (lead)	Yes/No - Information gathered from other Sections/Academies Yes/No - Identify external resource	Consultant - fees; Executive Office	Waiting for action

5. Investigate the economics of free vs. paid resources to find the optimum balance & model for the future financial stability b. Include APTA & other Section/Academies to determine best practice models	President (lead), Board of Directors	Yes/No - Information gathered from other Sections/Academies Yes/No - Identify external resource	Consultant - fees; Executive Office	Waiting for action
determine best practice models		external resource		

2024 Core Strategy #4: Advocacy & Awareness: Expand the influence of neurologic physical therapy with all stakeholders through advocacy and awareness **Responsible Parties Annual Priority** Performance **Resource Implications** Status Measure 1. Evaluate and expand patient-facing documents for All SIGs (key contact) Add at least 5 breadth, consistency, visibility, accuracy, best-practice patient fact sheets **Advocacy & Consumer Affairs** a. Ensure website accessibility (in conjunction with per year. Committee Website redesign having more on the Consumer tab) Moving ahead – use Review Fact Sheets & Advoc Cmte guidelines **Digital Communication** patient facing docs, for work groups to **Committee & Website Team** create a depository assess their pages for Advocacy to evaluate for reading **HPW** committee level. **INPA** Website update to consumer page Advocacy & Consumer Affairs 2. Advocate for the appropriate utilization of neuro PT to serve the comprehensive needs of our patients Committee Primary care **Patients Practice Committee** In discussion **Payers** Generate marketing materials for patients and ANPT delegates PTs to take to primary care and specialist physicians/primary care providers Specialization & Advanced **Proficiency Committee** With Evidence Elevates group

2.Advocate for the appropriate utilization of neuro PT to serve the comprehensive needs of our patients Primary care Patients Payers B. Engage patients and caregivers in advocacy activities to emphasize the relevance of PT within the healthcare system and to focus ANPT advocacy initiatives Partner with patients for lobby-day events and possibly include videos of pre/post-PT to tell their story	Advocacy & Consumer Affairs Committee Practice Committee ANPT delegates Specialization & Advanced Proficiency Committee With Evidence Elevates group		In discussion
2.Advocate for the appropriate utilization of neuro PT to serve the comprehensive needs of our patients • Primary care • Patients • Payers c. Develop a "What can a Neuro PT do?" resource for other health care providers including information about value of services over time (after an acute event or throughout a disease process)	Evidence Elevates Advocacy & Consumer Affairs Committee Practice Committee ANPT delegates Specialization & Advanced Proficiency Committee With Evidence Elevates group		In discussion
Complete Evidence Elevates national campaign to consumers, payors and non-PT providers a. Encourage patients and caregivers to advocate for themselves for evidence-based best practice care through national campaign, Evidence elevates	SIGs Evidence Elevates TF/ Practice Cmte (key contact) Advocacy & Consumer Affairs Committee		In discussion
Complete Evidence Elevates national campaign to consumers, payors and non-PT providers b. Help consumers of neuro PT understand high quality of care	SIGs Evidence Elevates TF/ Practice Cmte (key contact) Advocacy & Consumer Affairs Committee		In discussion

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3. Complete Evidence Elevates national campaign to consumers, payors and non-PT providers	3105		
d. Launch the "5 things patients and therapists	Evidence Elevates		
should ask about neuro PT" (see example below)			In discussion
https://www.choosingwisely.org/societies/american-	Advocacy & Consumer Affairs		
physical-therapy-association/	Committee Specialization & Advanced		
	Proficiency Committee		