KBPT vs. KPTA
Differences in Purpose and Functionality

Kentucky Board of Physical Therapy

• Board Members: Appointed by the Governor
• Mission: Protects the Public by Ensuring Credential Holders are Qualified and Competent to Practice Safely
• Regulates the Practice of Physical Therapy
• Issues, Renews and Reinstates PT Licenses and PTA Certificates
• Interprets and Enforces the Laws and Regulations, Investigates Complaints, and Orders Disciplinary Action, as warranted
• Ensures Compliance with Code of Ethics and Standards of Practice, Supervision, and Documentation
• Conducts Audits to Ensure Compliance with Continuing Competence Requirements
• Serves as a Member Board of the National Federation of State Boards of Physical Therapy (FSBPT)
• Call (502) 429-7140 or email kybpt@ky.gov for information.

Kentucky Physical Therapy Association

• Board of Directors: Elected by KPTA Membership
• Mission: Lead, Educate, Mentor, and Respond to the Needs and Interests of its Membership
• Advocates and Lobbies for Advances to the Practice and Profession through the Legislative Process
• Promotes the Membership by Providing Personalized Services and Benefits
• Emphasizes Statewide Public Relations Efforts and Develops District Level Programming to Increase the Benefits and the Public’s Knowledge of Physical Therapy
• Reviews and Approves Continuing Competency Courses for Host Sponsors and Individual Attendees
• Is a state chapter of the American Physical Therapy Association (APTA)
• Call (859) 458-2812 or email info@kpta.org for information.