

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.