## Honorary Membership Nomination Form



This form is in accordance with: Honorary Membership Proposal Submissions BOD R09-09-05-07 & Honorary Membership Proposals BOD R06-75-11-26

The following person is nominated by the the American Physical Therapy Association:	Chapter for consideration as an Honorary Member of
Nominee Contact Information	
Name:	
Mailing Address:	
Phone:	
E-mail:	
Nominating Chapter Contact	
Nominating Chapter Contact	
Name:	
Mailing Address:	

Phone:

E-mail:



Supporting Documents – Please attach to this form the following items:

- Letter of nomination that specifically highlights the nominee's contributions as: -significant to the profession of physical therapy
  - -national in recognition and scope, and -of unique quality
- Nominee's curriculum vitae or resume
- Proposed resolution language (Sample Resolution Language See appendix A)

Other appropriate background materials may be included as deemed appropriate.

Once complete, please submit all documents as required in one single email to <u>honorsandawards@apta.org</u>. All submissions must be received by December 1 to be considered.

Approved by the: \_\_\_\_\_Chapter

Signature of Chapter President

Date



Appendix A

## Sample Resolution Language

## Formatting Notes:

- A resolution should always begin with the words "ELECTION TO HONORARY MEMBERSHIP IN THE AMERICAN PHYSICAL THERAPY ASSOCIATION:" in all capital letters followed by the nominee's name.
- In the "Whereas" section the first letter of "Whereas" and first letter of the word following "Whereas" is always capitalized. "Whereas" is always followed by a comma, and sentences starting with "Whereas" should end with a semi-colon.
- At the end of the clause immediately preceding the last "Whereas" statement of the resolution, place the word "and" after the semi-colon followed by a comma.
- The first letter of "Resolved" and first letter of the word following "Resolved" is always capitalized. "Resolved" is always followed by a comma, and the sentence should end with a period. There may be more than one "Resolved" in a resolution.

ELECTION TO HONORARY MEMBERSHIP IN THE AMERICAN PHYSICAL THERAPY ASSOCIATION: [insert name of nominee – e.g. Bill Jones, PT, PhD]

Whereas, Dr. Bill Jones has made significant contributions to the practice of physical therapy;

Whereas, Dr. Jones has co-authored over 100 peer reviewed articles with physical therapists; and

Whereas, Dr. Jones was instrumental in conducting research in ten studies that contributed significantly to the understanding of a major illness commonly seen in physical therapist practice; and,

Whereas, Dr. Jones has advocated for and won increased funding for physical therapy research

Resolved, That Dr. Bill Jones be elected as an Honorary Member of the American Physical Therapy Association.