



## Citizen Advocacy Center

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William Hatherill, CEO  
Federation of State Boards of Physical Therapy  
124 West Street South  
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Alexandria, VA 22314

Dear Bill:

The Citizen Advocacy Center (CAC) is pleased to enthusiastically support the new Physical Therapy Licensure Compact (PTLC). We believe this interstate licensing agreement will meet the needs of patients and licensees while preserving the regulatory authority of the individual states. The compact will benefit patients by promoting improved access to physical therapy services.

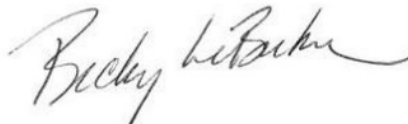
We are pleased to see that the Physical Therapy Compact Commission will seek public comment as it develops rules and regulations for the promulgation of the compact. CAC looks forward to participating in this rule development process.

We urge the Federation to include at least one public member on the new commission and its executive board.

Sincerely,



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President and CEO



Rebecca LeBuhn  
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