

To WCPT Member Organisations

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Dear Member

Outcome Measures: International tool to measure patient satisfaction

The World Confederation for Physical Therapy (WCPT) works to improve global health by encouraging high standards of physical therapy research, education and practice; supporting communication and exchange of information among its regions and member organisations; and collaborating with national and international organisations.

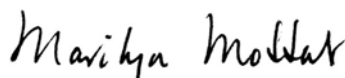
WCPT supports research initiatives and projects that:

- further international collaboration and data collection;
- strengthen outcomes;
- improve resources available to physical therapists globally; and
- improve patient care.

From time to time WCPT facilitates research endeavours by sharing the contact details of our member organisations with reputable research groups whose objectives fit with WCPT's priorities and work programme. This does not imply endorsement of the research project or its outputs.

The development of an international tool to measure patient satisfaction is something that WCPT does see as having potential value to member organisations and individual physical therapists. We therefore encourage our member organisations worldwide to view this opportunity favourably by promoting it to their members.

Yours sincerely,



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