



**Final Agenda for Federal Advocacy Forum 2018**  
*The Multiple Ways You Can Advocate for Your Profession*

Sunday, April 29

4 pm – 7 pm: Registration (Outside Regency B)

5 pm – 6:30 pm: Moderated APTA Staff Town Hall (Regency B) 7 pm – 8 pm: Welcome Reception (Capitol Room)

Monday, April 30

7 am – 8 am: Registration (Outside rom Regency B) 8 am –

8:30 am: Breakfast (Regency B)

8:30 am – 9:30 am: Ballast Research Presentation: Where Advocacy Has Gotten Us (Regency B)

9:30 am – 9:45 am: Break

9:45 am – 10:45 am: 3 Concurrent Breakout Sessions

- Brad Fitch: Advocating From Home and School (Concord/Lexington)
- Regulatory: Where We are and How to Advocate Through Comments (Regency D)
- Key Contacts: Time as Advocacy (Capitol Room A) 10:45

am – 11 am: Break

11 am – 12 pm: 3 Concurrent Breakout Sessions

- The Registry: Role of Data in Advocacy (Concord/Lexington)
- Regulatory: Where We are and How to Advocate Through Comments (Capitol Room A)
- Students: Advocating Through Social Media and School (Regency D)

12 pm – 12:15 pm: Break

12:15 pm – 1:45 pm: Lunch and Keynote Speaker, Amy Walter, National Editor of the *Cook Political Report*; Former Political Director of ABC News (Regency B)

1:45 pm – 2:15 pm: PT-PAC: Advocating Through Dollars (Regency B)

2:15 pm – 2:30 pm: Break

2:30 pm – 4 pm: Mandatory Hill Visit Prep Session (Regency B)

4 pm – 4:15 pm: Break

4:15 pm – 5 pm: Hill Visit Breakout Sessions

- Session A (Capitol Room A)
- Session B (Regency D)
- Session C (Concord/Lexington)

8 pm – 11 pm: PT-PAC Event (201 Bar, 201 Mass Ave NE)

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Tuesday, May 1

7 am – 8:30 am: Breakfast, Awards Presentation, and  
Congressional Speaker (Regency B)

9 am – 12 pm: Senate Hill Visits

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10 am – 5 pm: Hill Visit Debriefing Center (Congressional A)

12 pm – 5 pm: House Hill Visits