

**GENETICS AND GENOMICS COMPETENCY FOR PHYSICAL THERAPISTS HOD P06-19-51-56** [Initial: HOD P06-01-28-27]  
[Previously Titled: Genetics Literacy For Physical Therapists] [Position]

The American Physical Therapy Association supports the concept of genomics competency whereby the knowledge of genetics and genomics can inform patient and client management by physical therapists. Such competence and knowledge support the ability to refer to genetics professionals for genetic testing and counseling, and the ethical, legal, and social issues related to genomics.

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