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Agency: TEXAS BOARD PHYSICAL THERAPY EXAMINERS

First Name: Somer

Last Name: Meyers

Title:

Organization you are affiliated with:

Email:

City: Dallas

State: Texas

Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed: I am a student physical therapist finishing up my first year in Texas. I SUPPORT the Sunset Commission's recommendation that the Texas Board of Physical Therapy Examiners join the national Licensure Compact. This would allow therapists to more easily move state to state without having to go through an unnecessary process of jumping through hoops to get an additional license that certifies them to do exactly what he or she did within another state.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: I OPPOSE the recommendation to strip the Continuing Competence Approval Program (CCAP) program administration away from the TPTA and the Texas Board of Physical Therapy Examiners (TBPTE). CCAP is a collaborative program between the TBPTE and the TPTA. CCAP involves 109 doctoral trained Physical Therapy professionals representing 22 distinct medical specialty areas using a double-blind professional review process. The CCAP program insures the very purpose for which the TBPTE exists - providing for public protection.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree