

SIG Purpose Statement

The goals of the GHAA SIG are to increase awareness of the practice of geriatric physical therapy across the globe, advance geriatric PT practice globally, encourage international clinician and student activities, and facilitate global partnerships.

FY 2022 Aligned Work Plan

Goal/Outcome	APTA Geriatrics Priorities	FY2022 Projects/Initiatives
Trusted Resource	Share information thats relevant and bite-sized, incorporating movement and mobile-first accessibility in a variety of formats.	Continue to grow the GHAA Quarterly Newsletter Provide a forum for members interested in geriatric aspects of global health through the provision of timely and useful information on the GHAA website.
Lifelong Learning	Increase the accessibility and participation in educational offerings, expanding our reach in diverse learning formats. Identify target audiences and their education needs, to expand our reach with diverse learning formats.	 Grow the GHAA Journal Club task force to support the March 2023 Journal club presentation. Develop educational programming ideas to support APTA Geriatrics Conference as well as CSM.
Advocacy	Identify ways to promote wellness and healthy ageing through the lifespan and profession.	Develop a research task force to encourage the development and publication of research in the field of global health for ageing adults Create a student task force to develop and implement solutions for increased student engagement and participation. Utilize collaboration with IPTOP to support healthy ageing