## PROCESS FOR DIRECT ACCESS LETTERS

## STUDENTS/FACULTY

- Informational Direct Access letters will be provided to PT and PTA Program Directors asking them to also forward to Clinical Coordinators of Education.
- Program Directors and/or CCEs will educate students on the letter purpose...obtaining signatures. Copies of the letter will be sent home with students for signatures from family/friends, to be returned to Program Director/CCE within two weeks.
- It is requested that each Student and Faculty Member provide a minimum of 5 signed letters.
- Signed letters will be collected on an ongoing basis by the school CCE, tallied in the attached spreadsheet, with a weekly e-mail of total number of letters collected to date and sent to each regional GAC Representative (please see below).
- All signed letters will be collected with the intent of delivering them to state legislators. They will be maintained at each clinic, school or company in a banker's box and picked up by a state PT representative in Mid-November 2019.

Thank you for your participation in this endeavor to improve access to our physical therapy profession, saving time, money and promoting a healthier Alabama!

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