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The Delaware Chapter of the APTA and EDUCATA Announce Online Continuing Education Partnership

**Courses covering a wide range of topics are presented over a highly
interactive web 2.0 interface and fulfill CEU requirements**

(CALABASAS, Calif. September 16, 2009) — The [Delaware chapter of the American Physical Therapy Association \(DPTA\)](#) and [EDUCATA](#), an internet-based continuing education platform, announced a partnership to provide seamless access to [online continuing education for physical therapists](#) in the state. Courses, which are taught by top-ranked international educators, have an audio as well as visual component. Along with the ability to interact with the teacher, these features uniquely present a rich learning experience not unlike attending a seminar or conference.

“The mission of the DPTA is to further the physical therapist’s role as an enhancer of the physical health and functional abilities of people,” said Joe Lucca, PT, DPT, GCS, PhD and association president. “In these days of accelerated discovery and rapidly evolving clinical practices, continuing education is a key factor in the achievement of that goal. We are proud to partner with EDUCATA to make quality education easily available to our members and therapists at large.”

“We are very pleased to partner with the Delaware chapter of the APTA,” said EDUCATA President and CEO, [Marilyn Pink](#), PT, Ph.D. “All of our courses –which include in-depth, interactive classes on orthopedics, geriatric, oncology, pulmonology, cardiac and other clinical topics as well as several administrative

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and business classes—are available to Delaware association members through a series of co-hosted pages.”

Online courses available through this arrangement have been approved for continuing education credits with the Delaware licensing board.

About the Delaware Chapter of the APTA: The DPTA represents approximately 350 physical therapists, physical therapists assistants and students in the Delaware area. It’s mission is to further the profession's role in the prevention, diagnosis, and treatment of movement dysfunctions and the enhancement of the physical health and functional abilities of members of the public.

About EDUCATA: EDUCATA.com is a unique, interactive, Web 2.0 education platform that delivers online learning. It offers a broad spectrum of courses from orthopaedics and pulmonology to geriatrics and oncology that are taught by top-ranked educators and experienced clinicians. EDUCATA’s partners include the World Confederation for Physical Therapy. [Continuing education for physical therapists](#) and other medical professionals is the focus of the first launch. Subsequent launches will target additional professions.

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