



Center for Professional Advocacy Innovation Grants

APPLY BY SEPTEMBER 15, 2022!

The APMA Center for Professional Advocacy's (CPA) Scope of Practice Advocacy Initiative, presents the advocacy innovation grants to component societies in states that include ankle in their scope of practice. These grants incentivize state component leaders to develop innovative advocacy initiative to advance the profession of podiatry.

CPA wants to encourage states to explore new and creative techniques that will move podiatry forward and inspire other states to do the same.

2023 Innovation Grant Timeline

- June 1, 2022:
Application opens
- September 15, 2022:
Application submission
deadline
- October 2022:
CPA Advisory Group
reviews applications and
makes recommendations to
the APMA Board of
Trustees
- November 2022:
APMA Board of Trustees
meets and makes final
determination of awards
- December 1, 2022:
Grantees announced, and
disbursements mailed
- June 30, 2023:
Grantees provide mid-year
report to CPA
- January 31, 2024:
Grantees provide final report

CPA Grant Purposes

State components can use CPA Innovation Grants for the following purposes:

- update their scope law to better align with APMA's Scope of Practice template;
- change state law to define DPMs as physicians; or
- educate payers, policymakers, and MD/Dos about the podiatric medical profession.