

AMTA Proposed Idea for a Position Statement Submission Form

Name of Submitter(s) and Chapter (if applicable):

Date Submitted:

Proposed Idea for a Position Statement

- Must be no more than two sentences and must clearly state the idea for AMTA to consider developing into an official position statement*.

**a position that would be held by AMTA on issues around the practice and profession of massage therapy.*

Summary Rationale

- Provide a summary rationale as to why AMTA should assign a work group to determine the validity and availability of research around this proposed idea. Include the value a position statement around this idea would have to AMTA, the profession, and consumers. Include any information that will explain its intent and meaning. This summary must be expressed in 400 words or less.

Research

List at least three research studies that relate specifically to this proposed idea for a position statement and massage:

- List the authors, date, title, and location of the study.
- Be sure to include what you learned after reviewing this research.
- See the document, Guidelines for Completing the Proposed Idea for a Position Statement Submission Form for examples on how to list the research studies.