

3rd International Conference and Exhibition on Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation (Physical Medicine-2015)

Date & Venue: May 18-20th 2015 in San Antonio, USA

(Theme: Trends and New Approaches in Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation)

Summary:

There are 227 accredited and developing Physical Therapy Schools in USA. Within USA, there are 49 societies which are actively involved in working towards the field of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation. The U.S. News & World Report Doctor Finder has detailed profiles for 81 physiatrists in San Antonio, Texas. The most profitable Orthopedic and Spine Device Companies of the world related to physical medicine are located in Texas. Physical Medicine-2015 aims to gather audiences from universities, hospitals, rehabilitation centers, societies and others and give them a platform to share about latest improvements in this field and showcasing of new items by businesses.

Importance & Scope:

Physical medicine and rehabilitation (PM&R), also called physiatry, is the branch of medicine emphasizing the prevention, diagnosis, and treatment of disorders – particularly related to the nerves, muscles, bones and brain – that may produce temporary or permanent impairment.

Common conditions that are treated by the rehabilitation therapists include amputation, spinal cord injury, sports injury, stroke, musculoskeletal pain syndromes such as low back pain, fibromyalgia, and traumatic brain injury. Cardiopulmonary rehabilitation involves optimizing function in those afflicted with heart or lung disease. Chronic pain management is achieved through a multidisciplinary approach involving psychologists, physical therapists, occupational therapists, exercise therapists, anesthesiologist, and interventional procedures when indicated.

Why San Antonio?

San Antonio is the 7th largest city in the United States of America and the 2nd largest city within the state of Texas, with a population of 1.33 million. Famous for Spanish missions, the Alamo, the River Walk, the Tower of the Americas, the Alamo Bowl, Marriage Island and host to SeaWorld and Six Flags Fiesta Texas theme parks, the city is visited by approximately 26 million tourists per year according to the San Antonio Convention and Visitors Bureau.

The city is home to the four-time NBA champion San Antonio Spurs and the annual San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo, one of the largest in the country. San Antonio has a strong military presence. It is home to Fort Sam Houston, Lack Land Air Force Base, Randolph Air Force Base, and Brooks City-Base, with Camp Bullis and Camp Stanley outside the city. Kelly Air Force Base was operated out of San Antonio until 2001, when the airfield was transferred over to Lakeland AFB and the remaining portions of the base became Port San Antonio, an industrial/business park. San Antonio is home to five Fortune 500 companies and the South Texas Medical Center, the only medical research and care provider in the South Texas region.

San Antonio hosts over 100,000 students in its 31 higher-education institutions. Publicly supported schools include the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio, the University of Texas at San Antonio, Texas A&M University–San Antonio, and the Alamo Community College District. The University of Texas at San Antonio is San Antonio's largest university.

Conference Highlights:

- Diet and Physical Health
- Disability and Management
- Occupational Therapy and Physical Rehabilitation
- Rehabilitation Techniques
- Spinal Cord Injury
- Exercise and Trauma
- Sports Injury and Rehabilitation
- Pain and Injury Management
- Industrial Health and Management
- Addiction and Rehabilitation

Why to attend???

An international conference provides a common platform to share knowledge among academicians and researchers from various countries.

It also gives opportunities to the related companies to share information about their latest products and also provides a platform for advertisement of their companies, hence increasing their popularity.

A Unique Opportunity for Advertisers and Sponsors at this International event:

<http://physicalmedicine.conferenceseries.com/Sponsorship.pdf>

World Confederation for Physical Therapy	The Japanese Physical Therapy Association
International Association of Healthcare Practitioners	Korean Physical Therapy Association
American Physical Therapy Association	New Zealand Society of Physiotherapists
Australian Physiotherapy Association	Norwegian Physiotherapy Association
Canadian Physiotherapy Association	Singapore Physiotherapy Association
Danish Physiotherapy Association	South African Society of Physiotherapy

Finnish Association of Physical Therapists	Spanish Physiotherapy Association
German Physiotherapy Association	Swedish Association of registered Physiotherapists
Icelandic Physiotherapy Association	(UK) Chartered Society of Physiotherapy
Indian Association of Physiotherapists	The Physical Therapy Association of The R.O.C.

Table 1: Major Associations around the globe

Societies/Associations relevant to Physical Medicine in USA:

Federation of State Boards of Physical Therapy	Missouri Physical Therapy Association
American Physical Therapy Association	Montana Physical Therapy Association
Arizona Physical Therapy Association	Nebraska Physical Therapy Association
Arkansas Physical Therapy Association	Nevada Physical Therapy Association
California Physical Therapy Association	New Hampshire Physical Therapy Association
Colorado Physical Therapy Association	New Jersey Physical Therapy Association
Connecticut Physical Therapy Association	New Mexico Physical Therapy Association
Delaware Physical Therapy Association	New York Physical Therapy Association
Florida Physical Therapy Association	North Carolina Physical Therapy Association
Georgia Physical Therapy Association	Ohio Physical Therapy Association
Hawaii Physical Therapy Association	Oklahoma Physical Therapy Association
Idaho Physical Therapy Association	Oregon Physical Therapy Association
Illinois Physical Therapy Association	Pennsylvania Physical Therapy Association
Indiana Physical Therapy Association	Rhode Island Physical Therapy Association
Iowa Physical Therapy Association	South Carolina Physical Therapy Association
Kansas Physical Therapy Association	South Dakota Physical Therapy Association
Kentucky Physical Therapy Association	Tennessee Physical Therapy Association
Louisiana Physical Therapy Association	Texas Physical Therapy Association
Maine Physical Therapy Association	Utah Physical Therapy Association
Maryland Physical Therapy Association	Virginia Physical Therapy Association
Massachusetts Physical Therapy Association	Washington Physical Therapy Association
Michigan Physical Therapy Association	West Virginia Physical Therapy Association
Minnesota Physical Therapy Association	Wisconsin Physical Therapy Association
Mississippi Physical Therapy Association	Wyoming Physical Therapy Association

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Target Audience:

Physiatrists, Orthopedics, Kinesiologists, Chiropractors, Researchers, DPT students and healthcare professionals related to the field of rehabilitation.

Target Audience:

Industry 50%

Academia 30%

Others 20%

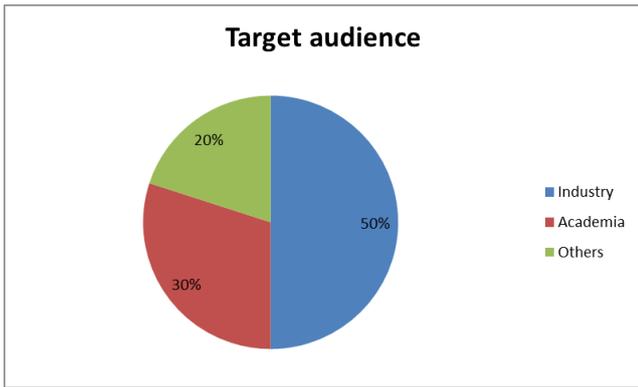


Figure 2: Target Audience for Physical Medicine-2015

Top Universities in USA:

- University of Southern California
- University of Delaware
- University of Pittsburgh
- Washington University in St. Louis
- University of Iowa
- U.S. Army-Baylor University

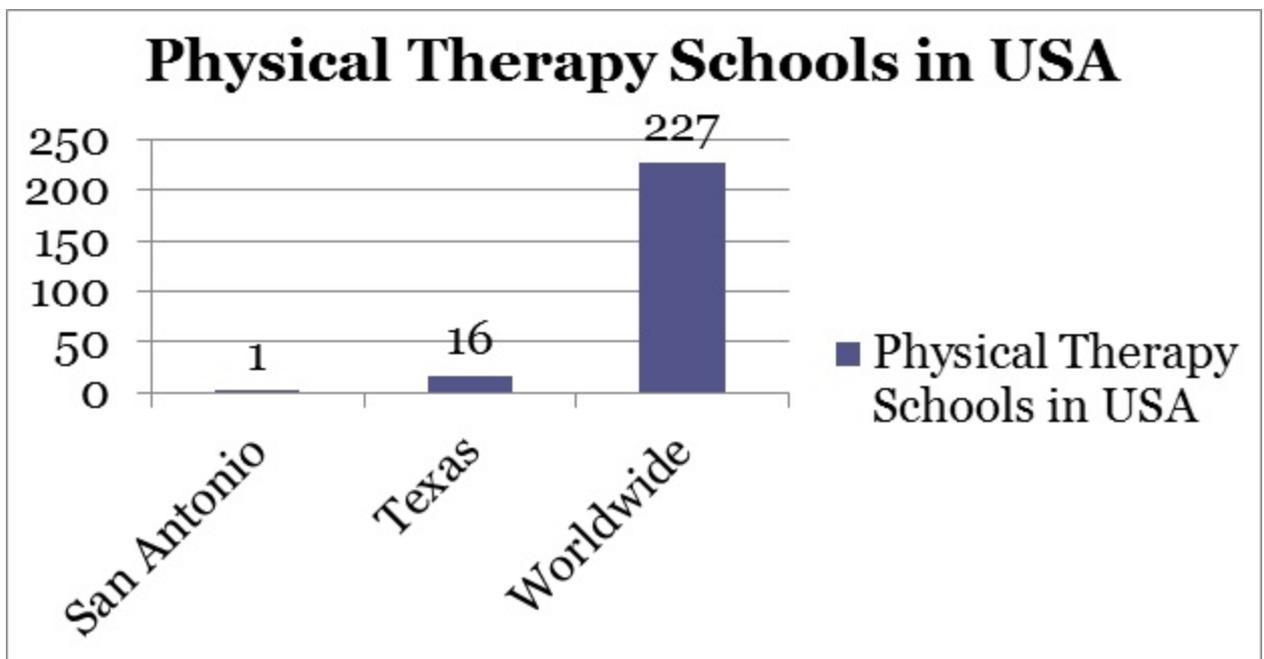


Figure 3: Top Universities in USA

Source Reference

San Antonio Vs. Texas Physical Therapy employment growth

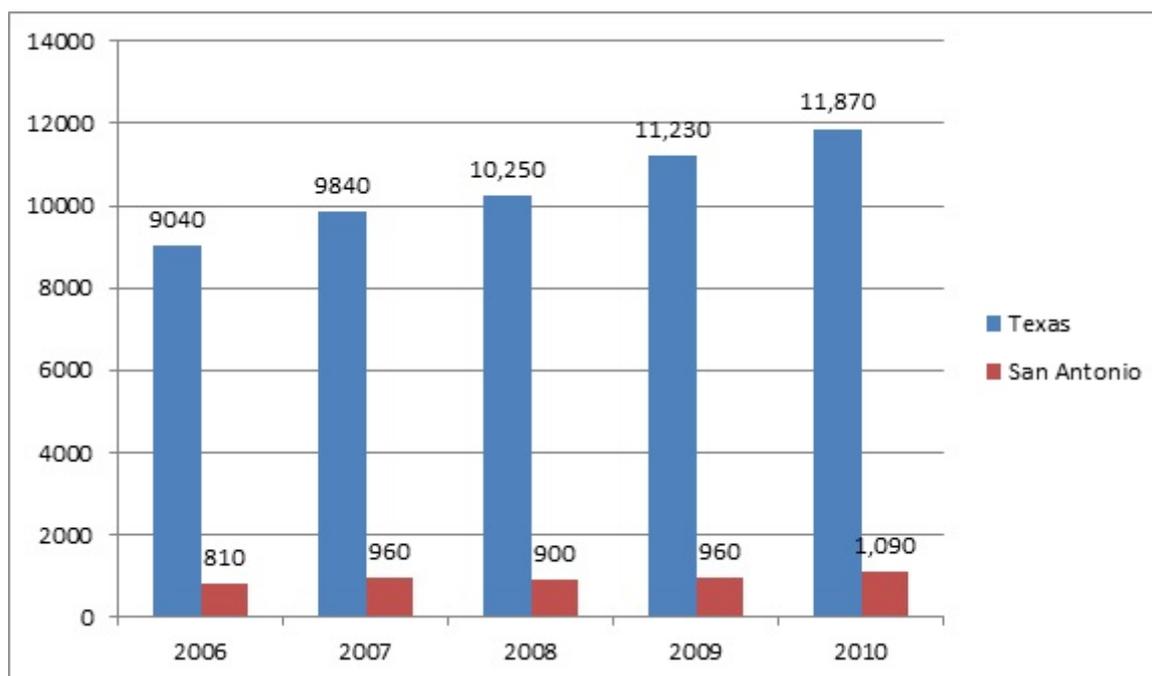


Figure 4: San Antonio Vs. Texas Physical Therapy employment growth

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