



February 8, 2018

Leona Rodriguez, PT, MSPT, EdD
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Dear Leona:

Your support of \$325 provided the resources for the Foundation to accomplish so much to advance our mission during 2017. Thank you!

Because of your support:

- annual award funding held steady at \$1 million;
- a total of \$310,000 in Promotion of Doctoral Studies (PODS) I & II Scholarships and a New Investigator Fellowship Training Initiative (NIFTI) were awarded to 20 deserving physical therapists;
- a total of \$250,000 in Florence P. Kendall Doctoral Scholarships and Research Grants were awarded to 8 deserving physical therapists;
- funding of CoHSTAR for health services research continued; as the project moves into its third year, it has published 28 articles, submitted 30 abstracts for scientific presentations at conferences, and participated in over 18 speaking engagements/meetings.

Your giving is the key to our ability to continue funding the next generation of physical therapist researchers. We look forward to what we can accomplish together with your backing in 2018.

With gratitude,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Barbara Malm'.

Barbara Malm, MBA
Chief Executive Officer