

AMERICAN COUNCIL OF ACADEMIC PHYSICAL THERAPY

Motion AC-3-20

1 <u>**TITLE**</u>: Opposition to direct monetary payment for clinical education experiences

2 3 <u>MOTION:</u>

- 4 The American Council of Academic Physical Therapy opposes direct monetary payment for the provision
- 5 of clinical education experiences in entry-level physical therapist education. Monetary payment
- 6 includes any form of currency (e.g. cash, check, direct deposit, gift card) given to a clinic site or clinical
- 7 instructor based on negotiations prior to the clinical education experience. Monetary payment does not include
- 8 costs associated with clinic site onboarding or payment provided for special projects, such as grant funded
- 9 research or training grants.