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## Board of Directors: Director



### **Jennifer L. Vincenzo, PT, MPH, PhD**

I am an Associate Professor in the Department of Physical Therapy at the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences and a Board Certified Geriatric Clinical Specialist in Physical Therapy with over 20 years of experience. I

also conduct research in falls prevention. I have served in numerous roles in APTA Geriatrics that qualify me to serve on the Board of Directors. I serve as the Arkansas State Advocate for APTA Geriatrics and as the current Chair of the Balance and Falls Special Interest Group (BFSIG). Under my tenure, and with a very talented group of members, the BFSIG produced a Falls Prevention Toolkit and an Outcomes Measures Toolkit as well as other products to support falls prevention. I serve on the APTA Geriatrics/National Council on Aging Task Force as one of the research leads, contribute to the *Journal of Geriatric Physical Therapy* and *GeriNotes*, and helped craft the Senate Special Committee on Aging Falls Prevention response. I also serve on other national and state councils. I have a passion for serving our profession and older adults. I would appreciate the opportunity to serve on the Board of Directors to facilitate APTA Geriatrics' growth in line with the strategic framework.