

AMERICAN PHYSIOTHERAPY ASSOCIATION

April 1, 1941

Dear Chapter Secretary:

A letter as you know has just gone out to the membership urging their utmost cooperation to gain the passage of bills S. 839 and H.R. 3790. In order that our campaign may be better organized and directed will you ask your Legislative or Relations Chairman to cooperate with the National Committee at once in the following campaign:+

1. To urge members to write their Senators and Representatives (to facilitate matters provide them with the names and address of Congressmen as well as those of the Military Affairs Committee.)

2. To write thank you letters from the Chapter to Senator Morris Sheppard and Representative Andrew May thanking them for their interest in presenting the Bill.

3. To urge friends and professional associates to write Senators, Representatives, and members of the Military Affairs Committee.

4. To contact local professional and lay organizations such as Academy of Medicine, Rotarians, Elks, Women's Clubs, etc., in an effort to gain their support.

5. To urge members to enroll with the Red Cross. Recent statistics show that your state has ~~only none~~ enrolled out of a membership of 32 .

6. Make a report to the National Committee in 4 weeks.

We as a small group are faced with a tremendous job and can only hope to make a success of this if we have the cooperation of every member. Will you therefore see that this matter is kept in the foreground and the members stimulated to action until the bill has been passed. Members of the Military Affairs Committee should be written at once.

Sincerely,

Helen Kaiser, Chairman
Committee to Support Legislation
for Physical Therapy Aides
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Miss Helen Kaiser,
1800 E. 105th Street,
Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Miss Kaiser,

The joint meeting in Washington was very interesting and pleasant from a personal as well as a professional angle. The Maryland State Chapter was glad for the opportunity to hear reports from the National Association. We are living in exciting times and the Maryland Chapter is very anxious to co-operate with the National Committee.

In response to your letter of April 1, I can report that the Maryland Chapter has co-operated with the request to urge members, friends, and professional associates to consider the bills S839 and H R3790 seriously. The responsibility of writing to Senators, Representatives, and members of the Military Affairs Committee rests with the individual.

^{Red Cross} We have just received answers from questionnaires in regard to enrollment and the result for Maryland is gratifying.

Questionnaires sent out-----	38
Enrolled-----	5
Applied-----	2
Applying-----	1
Intend to enroll-----	8
Deferred enrollment-----	1
Disability-----	5
Over age-----	2
Married-----	4
To be married-----	2

Total 30

The questionnaire was sent out before we received notice that married women were eligible. Since that time several of the married women have sent for enrollment blanks. The eight who intend to enroll were urged to do so promptly.

I think all points on the bulletin have been covered. We shall endeavor to answer all mail promptly.

I hope you will be able to find time to visit The Childrens Rehabilitation Institute when you come to the convention in Washington next September.

Very Truly yours,

Edna H. Blumenthal, Secretary
Maryland State Chapter