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**Education:**

2002-2006 Walden University Minneapolis, MN  
PhD in Health Service/Health Administration

1993-1997 University of North Carolina at Wilmington, Wilmington, NC  
MBA

1985-1989 University of Scranton, Scranton, PA  
BS Physical Therapy

**Licensure:**

Pennsylvania: November 1989 to present. # PT002043E.  
New York: October 1989 to present, currently inactive. # 010701-1.  
North Carolina: October 1992 to present. # 4651.

**Professional Certification and Appointments:**

Geriatric Certified Specialist (GCS): May 1998- June 2028. #2066  
Specialization Academy of Content Experts (SACE) Geriatrics January 1, 2013 through  
December 31, 2018.  
The Federation of State Boards of Physical Therapy (FSBPT) Standards Setting Committee  
2017.

**Present Work Responsibilities:**

**Teaching:** Geriatrics, Organization and Management, Basic Patient Management, Advanced  
Patient Management, Scientific Inquiry III.

**Past Teaching Experience:** on-line t-DPT Pharmacology, Home Health module, Teaching  
in PT.

**Scholarship:**

**Peer –Reviewed Publications:**

Collins, TL. (2006). The therapy threshold within the Medicare prospective payment system:  
Associated ethical dilemmas and influence of therapy practice patterns and quality of  
patient care. *Home Healthcare Nurse* 24(9), p. 581-589.

Collins, TL, Herness, J, Martenas, J, Roberson, A. (2007). Medicare Prospective Payment  
Before and After Implementation: A Look at the Number of Visits and Physical

- Performance Among Medicare Home Health Patients After Total Knee Replacements. *Home Healthcare Nurse* 25(6), p. 401-407.
- Collins, TL, Ballantyne, M, Czerw, S, Potkulski, S. (2009). Evaluation of the Fall Risk Assessment at a Hospital Based Home Health Agency: Case Report. Abstract. *The Quarterly Report: a publication of the Home Health Section –APTA*, 44(3), p. 9-10.
- Collins, TL. (2011). Characteristics of the Home Health Practice Setting that Attract and Retain Physical Therapists: Results of a Survey and Implications for Home Health. *Home Healthcare Nurse* 29(3), p. 156-167.
- Collins, TL. (2012). Reflections of a Hospice Physical Therapist: Patient-Centered Care Bringing Quality Toward End-of-Life. *Home Healthcare Nurse* 30(3), p. 199-200.
- Collins, TL (2012). Characteristics of Geriatric Practice Settings that Attract and Retain Physical Therapists. *Physical and Occupational Therapy in Geriatrics* 30(2), p. 124-137.
- Collins, TL (2013). Characteristics of Geriatric Practice Settings that Attract and Retain Physical Therapists in the SNF/ICF Practice Setting. *Physical and Occupational Therapy in Geriatrics* 31(4), p. 310-327.
- Holdren, D, Jacobi, A, Meyer, A, Pauley, A, Collins, TL. (2014). A Systematic Review of the Most Appropriate Fall Assessment Tool to Predict Falls in the Home Care Setting for the Geriatric Population. Abstract. *The Quarterly Report: a publication of the Home Health Section –APTA*, 49(2), p. 25.
- Collins, TL (2015). Writing a Case Report. *The Quarterly Report: a publication of the Home Health Section –APTA*, 50(3), p. 25-27.
- Reale, N, Fleagle, P, Collins, TL (2015). Teaching Models in Home Care: A Literature Review. *The Quarterly Report: a publication of the Home Health Section –APTA*, 50(3), p.15-17.
- Buckley, ME., Calabrese, JE, Cristiano MR., Piatt BN., Collins, TL (2016). Does Continuity of Care Affect Patient Outcomes in the Home Healthcare Setting: A Systematic Review. Abstract. *The Quarterly Report: a publication of the Home Health Section –APTA*, 51(2), p.22.
- Collins, TL, Reale, N, Fleagle, PE, (2016). Teaching Models in Home Care: A Literature Review. Abstract. *The Quarterly Report: a publication of the Home Health Section –APTA*, 51(2), p.25.

- Collins, TL, Fleagle, P, Reale, N (2016). Common Causes and Rates of Readmissions in Home Health Following Total Hip Arthroplasty or Total Knee Arthroplasty: A Systematic Review. Abstract. *The Quarterly Report: a publication of the Home Health Section –APTA*, 51(2), p.26.
- Pierce G, Principe D, Collins TL. (2016). Patient Quality of Life and Satisfaction Outcomes in Home-Based Cardiac Telerehabilitation Versus Other Settings: A Literature Review. *The Quarterly Report: a publication of the Home Health Section –APTA*, 51(3), p.17-18.
- Principe D, Pierce G, Collins TL. (2016). Patient Satisfaction in Older Adults using Telerehabilitation in Home Health: A Systematic Review. *The Quarterly Report: a publication of the Home Health Section –APTA*, 51(4), p 25-27.
- Pierce G, Principe D, Collins TL. (2017). Patient Quality of Life and Satisfaction Outcomes in Home-Based Cardiac Telerehabilitation Versus Other Settings: A Literature Review. Abstract. *The Quarterly Report: a publication of the Home Health Section –APTA*, 52(2), p.16.
- Principe D, Pierce G, Collins TL. (2017). Patient Satisfaction in Older Adults using Telerehabilitation in Home Health: A Systematic Review. Abstract *The Quarterly Report: a publication of the Home Health Section –APTA*, 52(2), p 14.
- Gilman, S, Grenaldo J, Principe D, Scarpelli, Collins TL. (2017). The Effects of Physical Therapy on Quality of Life in Adult Patients on Hospice or Palliative Care: A Systematic Review. Abstract. *The Quarterly Report: a publication of the Home Health Section –APTA*, 52(2), p 15.
- Taylor M, Wilkie B, Collins TL. (2018). The Association of Medications and Falls in the Home Care Setting: A Systematic Review. Abstract. *The Quarterly Report: a publication of the Home Health Section –APTA*, 53(2), p 30.
- Counihan C, Massar A, Mulroy K, Collins TL. (2018) Impact of Home Modifications on the Promotion of Aging in Place by Improving Physical Performance in Older Adults: A Systematic Review. Abstract. *The Quarterly Report: a publication of the Home Health Section –APTA*, 53(2), p 31.
- Yong K, Miller KL, Talbout J, Gilroy N, Berman M, Marchetti M, Collins T, Falvey J, Booths B, Harbour V, Anderson E. (2018) Value Statement for Home Health Physical Therapy. *The Quarterly Report: a publication of the Home Health Section –APTA*, 53(1), p 10.
- Collins TL, Wong KW, Marchetti, MT, Miller KL, Booths B, Falvey JR. (2019) The Value of Home Health Physical Therapy. *Home Healthcare Now* 37(3), 145-151.

### **Other Publications:**

Collins, TL. (2008) Fasten Your Seat Belts: Advice on Preparing for the Economy Ahead: Manage Debt. *PT Magazine* April 2008, p. 36.

Miller, KL, Anderson, B, Berman, M, Chimenti, C, Collins, TL, Mayer, S. (June 2, 2015) Student Roadmap and Toolkit: Home Health. *Home Health Section of the APTA* retrieved from <http://c.ymcdn.com/sites/www.homehealthsection.org/resource/resmgr/Practice/HHStudentRoadMapBkmrks.pdf>.

### **Presentations:**

Collins, TL, Herness, J, Martenas, J, Roberson, A. (June 23, 2006) Medicare Prospective Payment Before and After Implementation: A Look at the Number of Visits and Physical Performance Among Medicare Home Health Patients After Total Knee Replacements. Poster presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA, Orlando, FL.

Collins, TL. (June 23, 2006) The Relationship Between the Therapy Threshold in Home Health and Therapy Practice Patterns: Ethical Dilemmas and Quality of Care. Poster presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA, Orlando, FL

Collins, TL, Corsetti, M, L'Heureux, A, McGeehan, E, Hakim, RM. (February 8, 2008) Using a Computerized Balance Training System to Improve Static and Dynamic Balance in an Individual with Multiple System Impairments: A Case Report. Poster presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA Nashville, TN.

Collins, TL, Calogero, C, Grieboski, T, Voltz, L (February 9, 2008). The Therapy Threshold within the Medicare Prospective Payment System: Associated Situational Ethical Dilemmas and Influence to Therapy Practice Patterns and Quality of Patient Care. Poster presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA Nashville, TN.

Hakim, R, Leininger, L. Collins, TL. (February 11, 2009) Outcomes of a Modified Constraint Induced Movement Therapy (mCIMT) Program with One Year Booster Training for Adults with Chronic Stroke. Poster Presentations at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA Las Vegas, NV.

Collins, TL, Ballantyne, M, Czerw, S, Potkulski, S. (February 11, 2009) Evaluation of the Fall Risk Assessment at a Hospital Based Home Health Agency: Case Report. Platform Presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA Las Vegas, NV.

Collins, TL, Ballantyne, M, Czerw, S, Potkulski, S. ( February 18, 2010) Characteristics of Individuals Who Fell While Receiving Services at a Hospital Based Home

- Health Agency: Case Report. Poster presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA San Diego, CA.
- Collins, TL. (February 12, 2011). Characteristics of the Home Health Practice Setting that Attract and Retain Physical Therapists. Poster Presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA New Orleans, LA
- Collins, TL. (February 9, 2012). Characteristics of Geriatric Practice Settings that Attract and Retain Physical Therapists. Platform Presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA Chicago, IL.
- Collins, TL, Prall, J. (January 22, 2013). Characteristics of the SNF/ICF Practice Setting that Attract and Retain Physical Therapists. Poster Presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA San Diego, CA.
- Aucker, A, Endres, G, Puhalla, A, Collins, TL. (January 22, 2013). A Systematic Review of the Effectiveness of the LSVT Big Protocol on Improving the Speed and Amplitude of Movements in Patients with Parkinson's Disease. Poster Presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA San Diego, CA.
- Colvin, G, Kiner, J, Powers, J, Shieck, A, Collins, TL. (January 22, 2013). A Systematic Review of the Effects of Whole Body Vibration on Bone Mineral Density in Post-Menopausal Women. Poster Presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA San Diego, CA
- Collins, TL, Kosmahl, E., Reddien-Wagner, B. (January 24, 2013). Patient-Centered Care: Bringing Quality Toward End of Life. Presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA San Diego, CA.
- Holdren, D, Jacobi, A, Meyer, A, Pauley, A, Collins, TL. (February 5, 2014). A Systematic Review of the Most Appropriate Fall Assessment Tool to Predict Falls in the Home Care Setting for the Geriatric Population. Platform Presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA Las Vegas, NV.
- Collins, TL. (February 4, 2014). DPT Student Self-Assessment of the Section on Geriatrics of the APTA Essential Competencies in the Care of Older Adults at the Completion of the Entry-level Physical Therapist Professional Program of Study: A Case Study. Poster Presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA Las Vegas, NV.
- Collins, TL. (February 6, 2015) DPT Student Self-Assessment of the Section on Geriatrics of the APTA Essential Competencies in the Care of Older Adults at the Completion of the Entry-level Physical Therapist Professional Program of Study. Poster Presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA Indianapolis, IN.

- Miller, KL, Berman, M, Collins, TL, Mayer, S. (October 2, 2015) Developing a Student Clinical Education Program in Home Health. 2015 Education Leadership Conference of the APTA. Baltimore, MD.
- Miller, KL, Collins, TL, Berman, M. (February 18, 2016) Developing a Student Clinical Education Program in Home Health. Presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA Anaheim, CA.
- Janes, M, Collins, TL, Marchetti, M. (February 19, 2016). Home Health Research Review. Presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA Anaheim, CA.
- Reale, N, Fleagle, P, Collins, TL (February 20, 2016). Teaching Models in Home Care: A Literature Review. Poster presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA Anaheim, CA.
- Fleagle, P, Reale, N,, Collins, TL (February 20, 2016). Common Causes and Rates of Readmissions in Home Health Following Total Hip Arthroplasty or Total Knee Arthroplasty: A Systematic Review. Poster presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA Anaheim,CA
- Buckley, M., Calabrese, J., Cristiano M., Piatt B., Collins, TL (February 20, 2016) Does Continuity of Care Affect Patient Outcomes in the Home Healthcare Setting: A Systematic Review. Poster presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA Anaheim, CA.
- Gilman, S, Grenaldo J, Principe D, Scarpelli, Collins TL. (February 18, 2017). The Effects of Physical Therapy on Quality of Life in Adult Patients on Hospice or Palliative Care: A Systematic Review. Poster presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA San Antonio, TX.
- Pierce G, Principe D, Collins TL. (February 18, 2017). Patient Quality of Life and Satisfaction Outcomes in Home-Based Cardiac Telerehabilitation Versus Other Settings: A Literature Review. Poster presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA San Antonio, TX.
- Principe D, Pierce G, Collins TL. (February 18, 2017). Patient Satisfaction in Older Adults using Telerehabilitation in Home Health: A Systematic Review. Poster presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA San Antonio, TX.
- Collins TL, Fleagle P, Reale N. (February 16, 2017) Patient –Centered Care: Motivational Interviewing and Health Coaching. Presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA, San Antonio, TX.
- Collins TL, Marchetti M, Greaves D, Janes M. (February 18, 2017) Home Health Research Review. Presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA, San Antonio, TX.

- Counihan C, Massar A, Mulroy K, Collins TL. (February 24, 2018) Impact of Home Modifications on the Promotion of Aging in Place by Improving Physical Performance in Older Adults: A Systematic Review. Poster Presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA, New Orleans, LA.
- Collins TL, Taylor M, Wilkie B. (February 24, 2018) The Association of Medications and Falls in the Home Care Setting: A Systematic Review. Poster Presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA, New Orleans, LA.
- Krasucki LE, Pankey JA, Serzan CA, Vondercrone JL, Collins TL. (February 23, 2018) The Use of Topical Olive Oil as an Effective Preventative Measure for Pressure Ulcers: A Systematic Review. Poster Presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA, New Orleans, LA.
- Collins TL, Marchetti M, Greaves D, Janes M. (February 24, 2018) Home Health Research Review. Presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA, New Orleans, LA.
- Wong KW, Miller KL, Falvey JR, Collins TL, Booths B (January 25, 2019) The Value of Home Health Physical Therapy. Presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA, Washington, DC
- Cavanaugh W, Huller J, Mullery N, Pichiarello J, Collins TL (January 25, 2019). The Impact of Home Health Care on Cost Effectiveness Compared to Other Post-Acute Settings in Individuals Status Post Total Joint Arthroplasty: A Systematic Review. Platform Presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA, Washington, DC.
- McGowan M, Collins TL. (January 25, 2019). The Use of Cognitive Behavioral Therapy on Patients with Chronic Pain in Home Health Physical Therapy: A Systematic Review. Platform Presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA, Washington, DC.
- McGraw L, Collins TL. (January 25, 2019). The Effect of Home Health Care in Reducing Hospital Readmissions: A Systematic Review. Platform Presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA, Washington, DC.
- Collins, TL, Mikula D, Nemeth N, Pieroni K, Szczesniak M. (February 14, 2020). The Value of Home Health for Individuals Living with Heart Failure. Platform presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA, Denver, CO.
- Collins, TL, Mikula D, Ochalski N. (February 14, 2020). The Effect of Home Health Care in Reducing Hospital Readmission for Individuals with Heart Failure. Platform presentation at Combined Sections Meeting of the APTA, Denver, CO.

**Service to the University:** Library Advisory Committee (2002- present), Information Literacy Proposal Subcommittee (2006-2007), Library Allocations Subcommittee (2014-2015), University Goals Subcommittee, Co-Chair Disabilities Conference 2006, Mentor-Mentee Program (2011-2012, 2015-2016), University Review Board (2010-present), Faculty representative to the Sexual Harassment Review Panel (2010-present), Northeastern Pennsylvania Inter-professional Education Coalition Collaborative Care Summit Facilitator Meeting (2013, 2015, 2018), PCPS Curriculum Review Committee (2013-present), PCPS Interdisciplinary Committee for CHED 2017.

**Service to the PT Department:** Department Master Schedule Committee Chair (2005-2013), Department DPT Admissions Committee (2005-2018), New Faculty Search Committee(2006), (2010-2011), (2017-2019), OT/PT DRB (2009- present), Program Director t-DPT Spring 2011. PT Department Public Relations (2010- present).

**Service to the Community:** Consortium for Faculty Development to Advance Geriatric Education 2008, Home Safety and Fall Prevention Program 2/22/2012, VNA Health Fair Balance Screening Friday 11/17/12, Geriatric Functional Assessment at The Commonwealth Medical College 2012-2015. OLP Career Day at the University of Scranton 01/25/16.

**Service to the Profession:**

Service to the Profession: Treasurer of North Carolina Physical Therapy Association 1997-2000, Finance Committee for the Geriatric Section of the APTA 2003-2011, Research Committee for the Home Health Section of the APTA 2012-2016, Research Chair of the Home Health Section of the APTA 2016-present, Home Health Section of the APTA Student Program Task Force 2014-2015, APTA Academic Council 2011-2019, reviewer for the Journal of Geriatric Physical Therapy 2011-present, reviewer for the Journal of Neurologic Physical Therapy 2010-present, reviewer for CNS Press 2012-present, reviewer for Home Healthcare Nurse 2013-present, reviewer for Physical and Occupational Therapy in Geriatrics 2017 to present, Specialization Academy of Content Experts (SACE) item writer for Geriatrics January 1, 2013 through December 31, 2018. FSBPT Standards Setting Committee July13-16 2017. Associate member of the FSBPT 2017-present.

## **Past Work Experience:**

2009-Present Visiting Nurse Association, Olyphant, PA  
PRN Home Health and Hospice Physical Therapist

- Evaluate and Treat Adult and Geriatric Patients

2002-Present University of Scranton, Scranton, PA  
Assistant Professor Tenured in 2008

- Teaching Responsibilities: Geriatrics, Organization and Management, Basic Patient Management, Advanced Patient Management, Teaching in PT (2002-2016), Pharmacology (2004-2013), Scientific Inquiry III.
- Developed proposal for Organization and Management in in PT to be accepted as a Writing Intensive Course.
- Developed Home Health Module, t-DPT on-line Pharmacology course and Advanced Patient Management

2002-Present Mercy Home Health and Hospice/NEPA  
Homecare/Commonwealth Home Health and Hospice Scranton, PA  
PRN Home Health and Hospice Physical Therapist

- Evaluate and Treat Adult and Geriatric Patients

1996-2001 Coastal Physical Therapy, Wilmington, NC  
Independent Contractor for Home Health PT

- Evaluation and Treatment of Adult and Geriatric Home Health Patients
- Recommended more efficient paperwork methods
- Provided in-services on continuing education material.

1995-1996 Hillhaven Rehabilitation, Wilmington, NC  
Director of Physical Therapy

- Management of PT Department in Wilmington as well as Burgaw and Kenansville
- Evaluation and treatment of rehab patients on both Sub-acute Care, and Long Term Care
- Evaluation and Treatment of Home Health Patients
- Clinical Instructor

1993-1995 Mariner Health Care, Wilmington, NC

Lead Physical Therapist

- Management of Physical Therapy Department
- Evaluation and Treatment of rehab patients on both Sub-acute care and Long Term Care
- Coordinator of Clinical Education
- Clinical Instructor
- Established Prosthetic and Orthotic Clinic

1992-1993 Physical Therapy Services of Wilmington, Wilmington, NC

Staff Physical Therapist

- Evaluation and Treatment of Outpatients for various orthopedic and neurologic conditions
- Clinical Instructor

1992 Tioga Nursing Facility, Waverly, NY

Director of Physical Therapy

- Management of Physical Therapy Department
- Evaluation and Treatment of Long Term Care patients
- Established Prosthetic and Orthotic Clinic
- Coordinator of Clinical Education
- Clinical Instructor

1992 Bradford County Home Health, Towanda. PA

PRN Physical Therapist

- Evaluation and Treatment of Geriatric and Pediatric Home Health patients

1989-1992 Robert Packer Hospital, Sayre, PA

Staff Physical Therapist

- Evaluation and Treatment of inpatient and outpatient populations
- School district contract
- Evaluation and treatment of pediatric patients
- Clinical Instructor

**Continuing Education:**

- Geriatric Orthopedics with Carol Lewis, October 1994.
- Geriatric Certification Preparation with Jennifer Bottomly, March 1995.

- Geriatric Home Study Series October 2000-March 2001.
- Community Based Participatory Research May 2002.
- Cultural Competency Workshop June 2002.
- APTA National Conference June 2006 Orlando, FL.
- “Beginning My Way Back”: Neuropathic Plantar Ulcer in a Patient with Diabetes Who Is Homeless June 2006.
- Guide in Action: Patient With Total Hip Replacement June 2006.
- The Keys to Fall Prevention in the Geriatric Population October 2006.
- Fall Prevention Among the Elderly February 2007.
- APTA CSM 2008 Nashville, TN.
- Cardiovascular and Pulmonary Issues with the Older Adult January 2009.
- APTA CSM 2009 Las Vegas, NV.
- Human Simulation: Effecting a New Paradigm for Acute Care Education February 9, 2009.
- Musculoskeletal Considerations with Aging Populations July 2009.
- APTA CSM 2010 San Diego, CA.
- “Make Sure You Measure Up” Home/Self-Study 3/24/2010.
- Promoting Early Mobility and Rehabilitation in the Intensive Care Unit 5/18/2010.
- APTA CSM 2011 New Orleans, LA.
- Biopsychosocial Implications of Treating Older Adults 7/11/2011.
- APTA CSM 2012 Chicago, IL.
- Practical Ethics in the Home Health Setting 6/01/2012.
- APTA CSM 2013, San Diego, CA.
- APTA CSM 2014, Las Vegas, NV.
- Ethics Pennsylvania Physical Therapy 8/24/2014.
- APTA CSM 2015, Indianapolis, IN.
- APTA CSM 2016, Anaheim, CA.
- APTA CSM 2017, San Antonio, TX
- APTA CSM 2019, Washington, DC
- APTA CSM 2020, Denver, CO

**Memberships:**

- Member of APTA 1987-present
- Member of Home Health Section of APTA
- Member of Geriatric Section of APTA
- Member of the Education Section of APTA.
- Member of Pennsylvania Physical Therapy Association