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Research Perch: MassageNet Study Now Recruiting MTs

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Research study now recruiting MTs! Learn more in *Research Perch*, as MTF Research Committee Chair, researcher Dr. Niki Munk, interviews doctoral student Sami Zabel, about her **MassageNet** study exploring **massage therapists' knowledge and attitudes about mental health and mental illness—and how you can participate!**

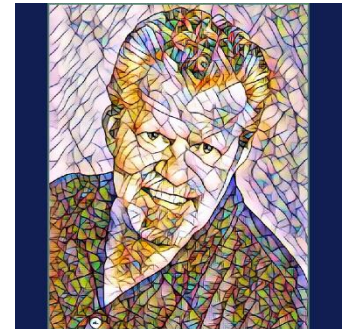
[Check out the podcast & blog here](#)

Bob King School Community Service Grant—Now Open

Through the generosity of our donors, the Bob King Legacy fund is now accepting grant applicants!

Does your school have a program providing service to your community—or are you seeking funds to begin one?

[Check out details and grant guidelines](#)



MTF Case Report Contest Webinar

FREE CE RESEARCH WEBINAR
MTF Case Report Contests

Recording now available

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Precision
Neuromuscular Therapy
Thanks to Precision Neuromuscular Therapy for their generous sponsorship of this webinar

Did you miss this month's free webinar about MTF's Case Report Contests for students and practitioners? The recording is now available!

Follow along as members of MTF's Case Report Contest Committee review guidelines for writing up and submitting your most interesting cases.


Take the quiz at the end to earn one free CE!

[Watch the recording](#)



Special Call: Breast Cancer-Related Community Service Grants

Apply through June 1!



Do you work for an organization providing MT to cancer patients, survivors, caregivers, or healthcare professionals? Through the generosity of The Jacquelyn Project special fundraising initiative led by Marshall Dahneke to honor his daughter, Jacquelyn (Dahneke) Penrose, funds are now available to support this important work.

[Check Out Grant Guidelines and Apply](#)

Boston 2023: Theresa Seitz

Team MTF runner Theresa Seitz has run over 40 marathons; now she is taking on the incomparable Boston Marathon®, to raise funds for Massage Therapy Foundation research, education, and community service initiatives!

Read on to learn more about what inspired Theresa to run Boston to fundraise for MTF; and learn more about the rest of the team in previous and upcoming *Communicator* issues.



[Read Theresa's Blog and Support her Road to Boston](#)

Donate to Theresa's charity run by scanning the QR code or visiting:

<https://www.givengain.com/ap/theresa-seitz-raising-funds-for-massage-therapy-foundation/#donations>



Happy Now, Healthy Later: The Jacquelyn Project Blog



When Marshall Dahneke's then 26-year old daughter was diagnosed with cancer, he joined her in making sweeping lifestyle changes, deepening his awareness of clean living as a personal investment opportunity. Learn more about his journey as he prepares to run the 2023 Boston Marathon in memory and honor of his late daughter, Jacquelyn, while raising funds for MTF.

[Read this month's Jacquelyn Project Blog](#)

Grants and Contests Open Now

Submission deadlines:

- Community Service Grant: June 1, 2023
- Breast Cancer Community Service Grant: June 1, 2023
- Bob King School Community Service Grant: June 1, 2023
- 2023 Student Case Report Contest: June 1, 2023
- 2023 Practitioner Case Report Contest: June 1, 2023

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Sponsor a Mile for Team MTF



Looking for a way to bring service to your community and cheer on Team MTF? You or your organization can now [Sponsor a Mile](#) of the 26.2-mile Boston Marathon route!

To learn more about this opportunity contact Marla Gamze at mgamze@massagetherapyfoundation.org.



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