



### Free Research Webinar

The Massage Therapy Foundation (MTF) and the National Certification Board for Therapeutic Massage and Bodywork (NCBTMB) FREE Research Webinar Series continues!

Join us on Thursday, May 21, 2020 at 1p.m. CST, for *Research Webinar Part IV: Case Reports*.

Ruth Werner, BCTMB, an NCBTMB-Approved Continuing Education Provider and author, will discuss the role case reports play in research, their impact on the profession, and resources for students and professionals. Complete a short quiz after the presentation to earn one free CE. **We hope to see you there!**

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### New Research Perch Episodes

Looking for the perfect podcast to accompany your quarantine workout routine? MTF continues to put out new episodes of Research Perch to help you increase your knowledge and improve your practice. Check out our two newest episodes.

## Research Perch



## MTF Community Service Grant Program

**Learn more about the MTF Community Service Grant program.** Host Doug Nelson, LMT, BCTMB, and MTF Community Service Grant Review Committee Chair, Adrienne F. Asta, BA, LMT, discuss the purpose and value of MTF Community Service Grants and describe some of the projects that have been funded over the program's history.

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## Join the Research World: Submit a Case Report to *IJTM*B

**How can you become involved in research?** Join us as we speak with Executive Editor of the *International Journal of Therapeutic Massage & Bodywork (IJTM*B), Dr. Ann Blair Kennedy, LMT, BCTMB, DrPH, about the value of submitting a case report to *IJTM*B. Learn how to move the profession forward through writing about the work you do with clients.

[Learn About Submitting a Case Report to \*IJTM\*B](#)

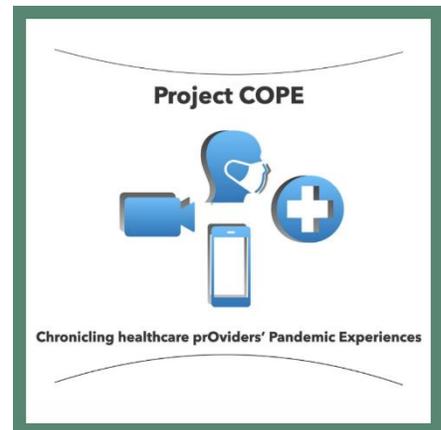
## Project COPE: Share Your Story

**Project COPE is an ongoing study chronicling the experiences of healthcare and wellness providers during the COVID-19 pandemic.** We encourage you to be a part of capturing a unique moment in history by sharing your experiences with study investigators.

[Take the Project COPE Survey](#)

**Want to learn more about the implications of this important work and how you can help?** Check out our recent *Research Perch* podcast episode about Project COPE:

[Project COPE Research Perch](#)



## MTF Resources for Online Lesson Planning



**Attention educators! Are you looking for resources to build online lesson plans for your students?** Check out MTF resources including podcasts, e-Books, and research articles that can be used to help you build online courses.

Stay tuned for additional guidance for making the most of this content in your electronic classrooms.

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## New Extended Grant and Contest Deadlines

In light of current events, the Massage Therapy Foundation has extended upcoming grant and contest deadlines:

- **Student Case Report Contest Deadline: Extended to July 1, 2020**
- **Research Award Pre-proposal Application Deadline Extended to September 1, 2020**

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