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INTRODUCTION

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Physical Therapy practice ownership is a broad topic. In this compendium we wanted to include as much information as possible, starting with considerations for potential owners and then also getting specific and including articles on various ownership structures. A dialogue on practice ownership would not be complete without discussing succession planning and exit strategies as well so we have also included articles on this topic. As such, we have broken the included articles into three categories:

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- 1) Exploring Ownership
- 2) Ownership Structures
- 3) Succession Planning/Exit Strategies

In addition to this compendium of articles on practice ownership, the Private Practice Section has two additional publications that are excellent resources. The publication *Private Practice: The How To Manual* provides quite a few chapters that are helpful when considering practice ownership as well as the specifics of different ownership structures. Also, PPS published a work on succession planning called *Transitions: How to Position Your Physical Therapy Practice and Create Your Succession Plan*.

We hope you find this compendium to be helpful regardless of where you are in the physical therapy practice ownership process.