



Logging into the APTA Orthopedics website (<http://www.orthopt.org>)

After clicking “Login” from the APTA Orthopedics homepage, the page below will display.

Be sure to read these instructions carefully.

If you are a current member, you will not “Create an Account”. Instead, simply click “Password Recovery”. Please keep in mind, if **you have just joined the APTA Orthopedics**, it *may* take up to 1-2 days for your information to be imported into our system from APTA, and for you to gain access to the website.

If you already have a password: enter the email address (associated with your APTA record) and your password in the fields shown below. **When logging into the APTA Orthopedics website for the first time, you will need to create a password.**

A screenshot of the APTA Orthopedics website's sign-in page. The header is blue with the APTA Orthopedics logo and the text "An Academy of the American Physical Therapy Association". Below the header is a white "Sign In" box containing fields for "Username" and "Password", a blue "Sign In" button, and links for "Forgot username?", "Forgot password?", and "Create a new account". Below the sign-in box is a blue footer with social media icons and the text "Connect with us". An arrow points from the "Create a new account" link to the footer area.

Did you forget your password? Click here and you'll see the screen below.

Password request

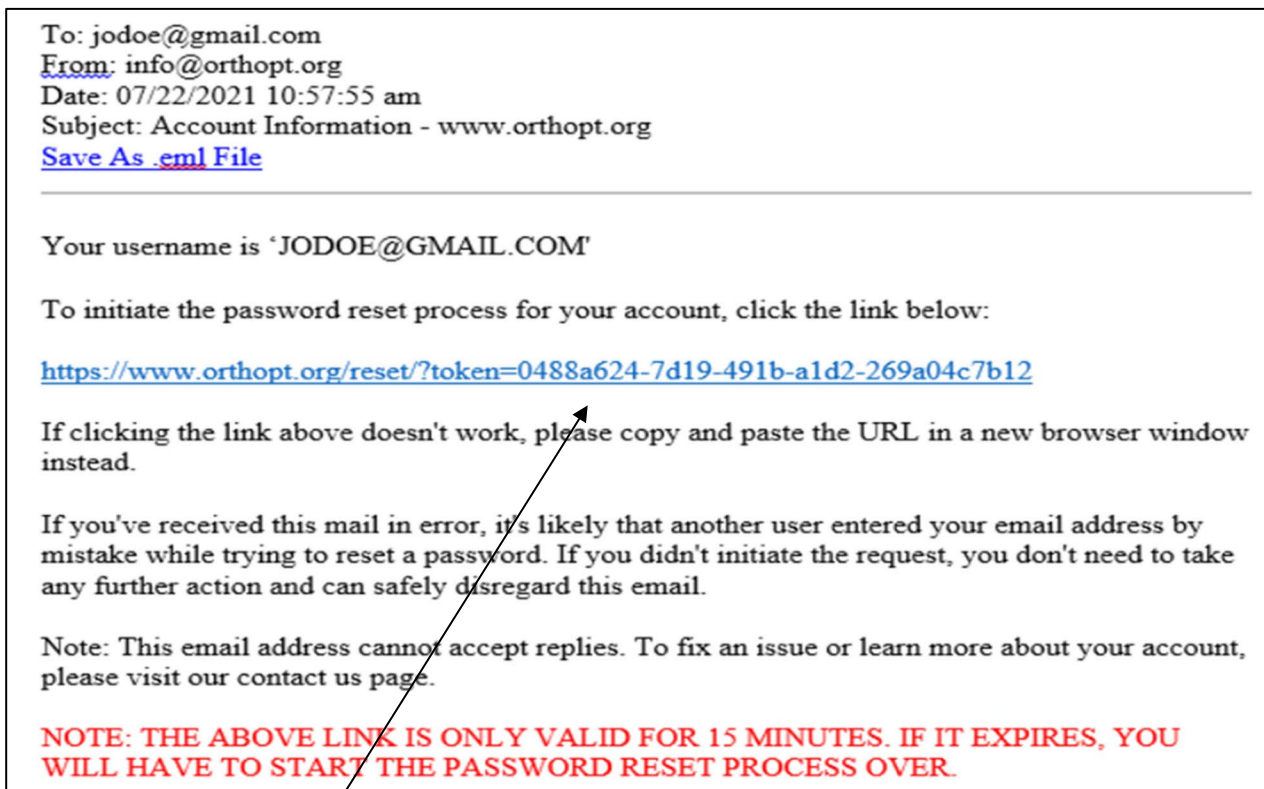
Enter the Username for your user account, then click Submit. We will email you a link to a page where you can easily create a new password.

*Username [Forgot username?](#)

After entering your email address, you will receive an email that looks similar to the example shown below.

Note, you will only have 15 minutes to click on the reset link, or you will need to request a reset email again.

Password reset email example:



Simply click on the link provided in this password reset email, and you will be directed to the password reset page (shown below).

Below is the screen that will display after clicking on the password reset link.

Note the requirements for passwords:

A screenshot of the APTA Orthopedics password reset page. The header features the APTA logo and social media icons. The main heading is 'Change Your Password'. Below it, a message states: 'New passwords must contain at least one capital letter, one lower case letter, one number, one special character (non letter or number) and be at least 8 characters long. Previous passwords can not be reused.' A note says 'All fields below are required'. The 'New Password required' field is a text input with a red border. Below it, a progress bar shows the password strength. To the right of the progress bar, there are five red 'X' icons indicating requirements: 'At least 8 characters', 'At least one lower case letter', 'At least one capital letter', 'At least one number', and 'At least one special character'. The strength is labeled 'Strength: Very Weak' with a note 'Use a few words, avoid common phrases'. The 'New Password Verification required' field is another text input with a red border, labeled 'Retype what you entered in "New Password"'. At the bottom, there is a checkbox for 'I am human' and an hCaptcha logo. A 'Change Password' button is at the bottom left.