**[Date]**

Dear [**Insert Employer's Name**],

To support [**Insert your facility**]’s goal of providing our patients with high-quality patient care grounded in the most current science, treatment approaches, and technology, I would like to attend AAPA 2023, the national conference of the American Academy of PAs. The event will be held Saturday, May 20 – Wednesday, May 24, 2023, in Nashville, TN.

**I am requesting approval for expenses related to this CME activity, including registration fees, travel expenses, time away from work, and hotel accommodations.** (Hotel rooms are available at a reduced rate for AAPA 2023 attendees.)

**Summary of Benefits**

AAPA 2023 is the preeminent event for PAs to earn high-quality continuing medical education. The conference offers more than 28 AAPA Category 1 CME credits over five days.

The conference includes a wide variety of courses, lectures, and workshops focused on:

* Critical health issues and conditions such as diabetes, hypertension, obesity, and more
* Specialties like emergency and trauma medicine, pediatrics, surgery, orthopaedics, and cardiology
* Improving patient communication and outcomes
* Preparing for the PA National Recertifying Exam (PANRE)

I am most looking forward to the sessions focused on **[Insert your topics of interest, reference aapa.org/conference sessions, or use some of the suggestions above**.] as they will be directly applicable to what I do each day. I’ll return to work ready to put these new skills into practice and look forward to sharing this new knowledge with my colleagues.

**Costs**

AAPA offers its fellows a reasonable and special pricing rate of [**Staying outside the AAPA hotel block - $850/$950/$1150 through December 31/February 28/May 24 or staying inside the AAPA hotel block - $650/$750/$950 through December 31/February 28/May 3**]. The registration fee includes access to the Main Stage Events, Opening Reception, CME sessions, Exhibit Hall, clinical ePoster sessions, and networking events with more than 5,000 PAs and other healthcare thought leaders.

My estimated cost for travel is $ [**Cost**] and cost for hotel accommodations is $ [**Cost**]. The total cost associated with attending this conference is $ [**Cost**].

Attending AAPA 2023 will enhance my professional knowledge and skills and enable me to provide better care to our patients. I would be thrilled to have the opportunity to attend.

Thank for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

**[Signature]**

**[Your Name]**