

Form 990-EZ

## Short Form

## Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

2017

► Do not enter social security numbers on this form as it may be made public.  
 ► Information about Form 990-EZ and its instructions is at [www.irs.gov/form990ez](http://www.irs.gov/form990ez).

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Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

A For the 2017 calendar year, or tax year beginning 01-01-2017

, and ending 12-31-2017

B Check if applicable  
 Address change  
 Name change  
 Initial return  
 Final return/terminated  
 Amended return  
 Application pending

C Name of organization  
 South Dakota Academy of Physician Assistants

Number and street (or P O box, if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite  
 PO Box 46

City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code  
 Fort Pierre, SD 57532

D Employer identification number

46-0379893

E Telephone number

(605) 670-8923

F Group Exemption Number ►

G Accounting Method  Cash  Accrual Other (specify) ► \_\_\_\_\_H Check ►  if the organization is not required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

I Website: ►N/A

J Tax-exempt status (check only one) -  501(c)(3)  501(c)(6) (insert no)  4947(a)(1) or  527K Form of organization  Corporation  Trust  Association  Other

L Add lines 5b, 6c, and 7b to line 9 to determine gross receipts If gross receipts are \$200,000 or more, or if total assets (Part II, column (B) below) are \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ ► \$ 84,389

## Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (see the instructions for Part I)

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part I . . . . . 

1	Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received . . . . .	1	945
2	Program service revenue including government fees and contracts . . . . .	2	83,414
3	Membership dues and assessments . . . . .	3	
4	Investment income . . . . .	4	30
5a	Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory . . . . .	5a	
b	Less cost or other basis and sales expenses . . . . .	5b	0
c	Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a) . . . . .	5c	
6	Gaming and fundraising events		
a	Gross income from gaming (attach Schedule G if greater than \$15,000) . . . . .	6a	
b	Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ _____ of contributions from fundraising events reported on line 1) (attach Schedule G if the sum of such gross income and contributions exceeds \$15,000) . . . . .	6b	0
c	Less direct expenses from gaming and fundraising events . . . . .	6c	0
d	Net income or (loss) from gaming and fundraising events (add lines 6a and 6b and subtract line 6c) . . . . .	6d	
7a	Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances . . . . .	7a	
b	Less cost of goods sold . . . . .	7b	0
c	Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a) . . . . .	7c	
8	Other revenue (describe in Schedule O) . . . . .	8	
9	<b>Total revenue.</b> Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6d, 7c, and 8 . . . . . ►	9	84,389
10	Grants and similar amounts paid (list in Schedule O) . . . . .	10	1,100
11	Benefits paid to or for members . . . . .	11	
12	Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits . . . . .	12	
13	Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors . . . . .	13	19,253
14	Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance . . . . .	14	179
15	Printing, publications, postage, and shipping . . . . .	15	1,885
16	Other expenses (describe in Schedule O) . . . . .	16	60,260
17	<b>Total expenses.</b> Add lines 10 through 16 . . . . . ►	17	82,677
18	Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9) . . . . .	18	1,712
19	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return) . . . . .	19	196,872
20	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O) . . . . .	20	490
21	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 18 through 20 . . . . .	21	199,074

Part II Balance Sheets (see the instructions for Part II)

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Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part I

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	<b>(A) Beginning of year</b>	<b>(B) End of year</b>
<b>22 Cash, savings, and investments</b> . . . . .	196,872	<b>22</b> 199,074
<b>23 Land and buildings</b> . . . . .		<b>23</b>
<b>24 Other assets (describe in Schedule O)</b> . . . . .		<b>24</b>
<b>25 Total assets</b> . . . . .	196,872	<b>25</b> 199,074
<b>26 Total liabilities (describe in Schedule O)</b> . . . . .		<b>26</b>
<b>27 Net assets or fund balances</b> (line 27 of column (B) <b>must</b> agree with line 21)	196,872	<b>27</b> 199,074

**Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments** (see the instructions for Part III)

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part III

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#### What is the organization's primary exempt purpose?

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To promote the delivery of quality, accessible healthcare, provide continuing educational programs to PAs and other health care providers, and promote the PA profession

Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. In a clear and concise manner, describe the services provided, the number of persons benefited, and other relevant information for each program title.

**28**  
See Additional Data Table

(Grants \$ )

If this amount includes foreign grants, check here . . . ►

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(Grants \$ )

If this amount includes foreign grants, check here . . . ►

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(Grants \$ )

If this amount includes foreign grants, check here . . . ►

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(Grants \$ ) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here . . . ►  31a

**Part IV List of Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees** (list each one even if not compensated — see the instructions for Part IV)

<b>(a) Name and title</b>	<b>(b) Average hours per week devoted to position</b>	<b>(c) Reportable compensation (Forms W-2/1099-MISC) (if not paid, enter -0-)</b>	<b>(d) Health benefits, contributions to employee benefit plans, and deferred compensation</b>	<b>(e) Estimated amount of other compensation</b>
Louise Papka President	0 50	0		
Nancy Trimble Vice President	0 50	0		
Dayna Semchenko Treasurer	0 50	0		
Patricia Gilbert Treasurer	0 50	0		
Corey Anderson Director	0 50	0		
Joel Reynolds Director	0 50	0		
Betty Hulse Director	0 50	0		
Kayla Weisbeck Director	0 50	0		

**Part V Other Information** (Note the Schedule A and personal benefit contract statement requirements in the instructions for Part V) Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part V. . . . .

**33** Did the organization engage in any significant activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," provide a detailed description of each activity in Schedule O

**34** Were any significant changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the amended documents if they reflect a change to the organization's name. Otherwise, explain the change on Schedule O (see instructions)

**35a** Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year from business activities (such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a, among others)?

**b** If "Yes," to line 35a, has the organization filed a Form 990-T for the year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O

**c** Was the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization subject to section 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III

**36** Did the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significant disposition of net assets during the year? If "Yes," complete applicable parts of Schedule N

**37a** Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions ► **37a**

**b** Did the organization file **Form 1120-POL** for this year?

**38a** Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee **or** were any such loans made in a prior year and still outstanding at the end of the tax year covered by this return?

**b** If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved

**39** Section 501(c)(7) organizations Enter

**a** Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9

**39a** 0

**b** Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities

**39b** 0

**40a** Section 501(c)(3) organizations Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under

section 4911 ► \_\_\_\_\_, section 4912 ► \_\_\_\_\_, section 4955 ► \_\_\_\_\_

**b** Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year, or did it engage in an excess benefit transaction in a prior year that has not been reported on any of its prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I

**c** Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958 ► \_\_\_\_\_

**d** Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization ► \_\_\_\_\_

**e** All organizations At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? If "Yes," complete Form 8886-T

**41** List the states with which a copy of this return is filed ► \_\_\_\_\_

**42a** The organization's books are in care of ► Louise Papka Telephone no ► (605) 670-8923  
Located at ► PO Box 46 Fort Pierre, SD ZIP + 4 ► 57532

**b** At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?

If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ► \_\_\_\_\_

See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for **FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR)**

**c** At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside the U.S.?

If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ► \_\_\_\_\_

**43** Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of **Form 1041** - Check here ►  and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year ► **43**

**44a** Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ

**b** Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ

**c** Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the year?

**d** If "Yes," to line 44c, has the organization filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O

**45a** Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?

**45b** Did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," Form 990 and Schedule R may need to be completed instead of Form 990-EZ (see instructions)

	Yes	No
<b>33</b>		No
<b>34</b>		No
<b>35a</b>		No
<b>35b</b>		No
<b>35c</b>		No
<b>36</b>		No
<b>37b</b>		No
<b>38a</b>		No
<b>40b</b>		
<b>40e</b>		No
<b>42b</b>		No
<b>42c</b>		No
<b>43</b>		
<b>44a</b>		No
<b>44b</b>		No
<b>44c</b>		No
<b>44d</b>		No
<b>45a</b>		No
<b>45b</b>		No

**46** Did the organization engage, directly or indirectly, in political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I . . . . .

	Yes	No
46		No

**Part VI Section 501(c)(3) organizations only**

All section 501(c)(3) organizations must answer questions 47-49b and 52, and complete the tables for lines 50 and 51. Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part VI . . . . .

**47** Did the organization engage in lobbying activities or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II . . . . .

	Yes	No
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**48** Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E . . . . .

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**49a** Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? . . . . .

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**b** If "Yes," was the related organization a section 527 organization? . . . . .

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**50** Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated employees (other than officers, directors, trustees and key employees) who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None".

(a) Name and title of each employee	(b) Average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Reportable compensation (Forms W-2/1099-MISC)	(d) Health benefits, contributions to employee benefit plans, and deferred compensation	(e) Estimated amount of other compensation
NONE				

**f** Total number of other employees paid over \$100,000 . . . . . ►

**51** Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated independent contractors who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None".

(a) Name and business address of each independent contractor	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		

**d** Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over \$100,000. . . . . ►

**52** Did the organization complete Schedule A? **NOTE.** All Section 501(c)(3) organizations must attach a completed Schedule A . . . . . ►  Yes  No

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge

**Sign Here**

***** Signature of officer Louise Papka President Type or print name and title	2018-11-09 Date
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<b>Paid Preparer Use Only</b>	Print/Type preparer's name Charles A Nelson	Preparer's signature	Date	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN P00506490
	Firm's name ► Nelson & Nelson CPAs LLP				Firm's EIN ► 46-0376568
	Firm's address ► 1701 S Minnesota Ave Sioux Falls, SD 571051751				Phone no (605) 336-1988

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions . . . . . ►  Yes  No

## Additional Data

**Software ID:** 17005038  
**Software Version:** 2017v2.2  
**EIN:** 46-0379893  
**Name:** South Dakota Academy of Physician Assistants

### Form 990EZ, Part III - Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. In a clear and concise manner, describe the services provided, the number of persons benefited, and other relevant information for each program title.	Expenses (Required for section 501 (c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations; optional for others.)
<p><b>28</b> To promote the delivery of quality, accessible healthcare, provide continuing educational programs to PAs and other health care providers, and promote the PA profession (Grants \$ )      If this amount includes foreign grants, check here . . . ► <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p><b>28a</b></p>

**SCHEDULE O**  
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury

~~Internal Revenue Service~~

Name of the organization

South Dakota Academy of Physician  
Assistants**Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ**

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on  
Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.

- ▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.
- ▶ Information about Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at  
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**990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information**

Return Reference	Explanation
Other Expenses 1001	Advertising and Promotion \$100

# 990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Other Expenses 1002	Office Expenses \$6233

# 990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Other Expenses 1003	Information Technology \$9263

# 990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Other Expenses 1007	Conferences, Conventions, and Meetings \$23684

# 990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Other Expenses 1012	Insurance \$525

# 990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Other Expenses 1	Room Rental \$14213

# 990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Other Expenses 2	Legislative Expenses \$5557

# 990 Schedule O, Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Other Expenses 4	SalesTax \$685