

Table 1. Role descriptions of SIGs and Committees

Foundation Grants Committee	This Committee, is formed from individuals of Member Organisations, that reports to the Research Lead and will be responsible for finding and applying for grants to support activities related to the remit of IPT-HOPE.
Member Organisation (MO) Recruitment Committee	The MO Recruitment Committee reports to the Vice-President and is responsible for recruiting Member Organisations to seek membership status within the IPT-HOPE.
Marketing and Advertising Committee	This Committee reports to the Treasurer and is responsible for developing advertising and marketing IPT-HOPE events. They will also be responsible for the IPT-HOPE online store for merchandise.
WCPT Congress Planning Committee	This Committee, is formed from individuals of Member Organisations that promotes, mentors, coordinates, assists and reviews proposals for presentation at the WCPT Congress Meetings that may include: Focused Symposium, PLatforms, Education Sessions and Indabas, etc.
Quarterly Education Online Sessions Committee	This Committee, is formed from individuals of Member Organisations, that reports to the Education Lead and solicits experts in HIV/AIDS, Oncology and Hospice & Palliative Care to present at the Free IPT-HOPE Online Education Sessions.
Continuing Education Credit Coursework Committee	This Committee, is formed from individuals of Member Organisations, that reports to the Education Lead. It will develop coursework that earns professional development credits for training within HIV/AIDS, Oncology and Hospice & Palliative Care. It is the intent that this coursework will lead to IPT-HOPE

	Certifications for Training in our three focus areas of rehabilitation.
Nominations Committee	This Committee, is formed from individuals of Member Organisations, that reports to the Secretary. It organises and runs all Sub-Group elections, solicits nominations for Sub-Group positions, conducts due diligence on all nominees and liaises with all Member Organisations for matters within the Committee's remit. It also aspires to facilitate and advise on the succession planning and continuity of Sub-Group leadership.
Special Interest Groups in a) Oncology; b) HIV/AIDS; c) Hospice & Palliative Care; d) Lymphoedema; e) Paediatrics	The SIGs will develop networking, educational, service and research opportunities in their focus areas for online and WCPT Congress meetings. The Leads will attend (online and/or Congress Board Meetings representing their group. The SIGs report to the Vice-President.