JULIAN MERCER

PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Certified Physician Assistant with 4+ years in urgent care and internal medicine at MinuteClinic and Cleveland Clinic. Evaluates patients, builds treatment plans, and works with physicians to deliver safe, timely, well-documented care.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Physician Assistant II Feb 2025 - Present
Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, OH

- See about 18 patients a day in an internal medicine clinic, managing chronic conditions such as diabetes and hypertension with physician collaboration.
- Raised patients with A1c under 8% in my panel from 61% to 72% through medication reviews, education, and scheduled follow-ups.
- Precept two PA students per rotation on exams and case presentations, and both received strong evaluations from the program.
- Contribute to a clinic protocol for same-day visits that reduced average wait for a sick appointment from five days to two.

Physician Assistant Feb 2024 - Jan 2025

- Performed histories, exams, and diagnostic orders for adults, and supervising physicians rated my notes complete on chart audits.
- Developed treatment plans and counseled patients on medications and lifestyle, and visit satisfaction averaged 4.8 out of 5.
- Performed procedures such as suturing, joint injections, and skin biopsies safely under protocol for about 15 patients a month.
- Coordinated referrals and test follow-up with nurses and specialists, closing 95% of open test results within a week.

Physician Assistant Aug 2022 - Jan 2024
MinuteClinic, Columbus, OH

- Evaluated and treated 25 patients a day for acute illness, minor injuries, and screenings under collaborative protocols.
- Used clinical guidelines for antibiotic decisions and kept prescribing in line with stewardship targets across audits.
- Provided vaccines and wellness education to families and referred complex cases promptly to primary care or the emergency department.
- Documented every visit in the electronic record the same day and kept charting current with no overdue notes.
- Handled busy walk-in volume while keeping patient wait times near the clinic's 20-minute goal.

CORE SKILLS

Patient evaluation | Treatment planning | History and physical exams | Chronic disease management | Diagnostic ordering | Minor procedures | Patient education | Electronic health records | Epic | Clinical protocols | Preceptorship | Antibiotic stewardship | Referral coordination

EDUCATION

Master of Physician Assistant Studies, Duke University, Durham, NC

CERTIFICATIONS

PA-C, NCCPA | State Physician Assistant License | BLS and ACLS