

Pediatric Physician Assistant

Jessica Collins

Professional summary

Compassionate and skilled Pediatric Physician Assistant with experience in providing high-quality care for children. Proven track record in patient assessment, diagnosis, treatment, and education. Adept in working in fast-paced environments, collaborating with multidisciplinary teams, and ensuring a positive patient experience. Dedicated to improving the health and well-being of children through careful attention and clinical expertise.

Experience

Pediatric Physician Assistant

2021 - Now

New York Children's Hospital / New York, NY

- Provide direct pediatric care to patients in inpatient and outpatient settings.
- Assist pediatricians in diagnosing and managing acute and chronic conditions.
- Educate families on treatment plans, preventive care, and lifestyle modifications.
- Perform physical exams, order lab tests, and interpret diagnostic results.
- Administer immunizations and manage medication regimens.
- Participate in multidisciplinary team discussions to enhance patient care.

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2018 - 2021


St. Mary's Pediatric Clinic / Brooklyn, NY


- Delivered care for children aged 0 to 18 years, focusing on common pediatric conditions.
- Supported pediatricians with routine check-ups, vaccinations, and growth assessments.
- Managed patient records and coordinated care with specialists for complex cases.
- Counseled parents on childhood nutrition, development, and behavioral issues.
- Provided emergency care and triage for pediatric patients in urgent care settings.

Additional Information

- Fluent in Spanish
- Member of the American Academy of Physician Assistants (AAPA)
- Volunteer at the Children's Health Initiative, providing free health screenings to underserved children in the New York area.

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Education

Master of Physician Assistant Studies (MPAS)

Columbia University | New York, NY

Graduated: May 2018

Bachelor of Science in Biology

University of Southern California | Los Angeles, CA

Graduated: May 2014

Certifications

- National Commission on Certification of Physician Assistants (NCCPA)
- Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS)
- Basic Life Support (BLS)

Skills

Pediatric care and assessment	<div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div></div>
Patient education and family support	<div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div></div>
Health history documentation	<div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div></div>
Immunization administration	<div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div></div>
Pediatric pharmacology	<div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div></div>
Clinical procedures and treatments	<div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div></div>
Family-centered care	<div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div><div></div></div>