

# Josh Blair, MSPAS, PA-C

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## Education

- **Master of Science in Physician Assistant Studies (MSPAS)** New York Institute of Technology, Old Westbury, New York, September 2012 - May 2015
- **Bachelor of Science in Chemistry (BS)** Westfield State University, Westfield, Massachusetts, September 2009 - May 2012

## Academic Experience

- PACE University Pleasantville PA Program
  - September 2022 – present: **Clinical Assistant Professor**
  - October 2018 – August 2022: **Part-time Instructional Clinical Support Personnel**
- PACE University Lenox Hill PA Program
  - September 2017 – present: **Para-professional Instructor**
- Touro College Middletown PA Program
  - October 2020 – August 2022: **Clinical Coordinator, Assistant Professor**
  - April 2020 – September 2020: **Consultant/Founding Principal Faculty**

## Clinical Experience

- **Physician Assistant: Urgent Care**  
Optum Medical Care, Poughkeepsie/Rhinebeck/Fishkill, New York
  - Per-diem: December 2020 – present
- **Physician Assistant: Hospitalist/Internal Medicine**  
Garnet Health Medical Center, Middletown, New York  
Garnet Health Medical Center – Catskills, Harris, New York
  - *Emergency coverage during COVID-19 Pandemic: March 2020 – July 2020.*
  - Per-diem: September 2020 – August 2022.
- **Physician Assistant: Urgent Care**  
Garnet Health Doctors, Middletown, New York
  - August 2016 – September 2020
- **Physician Assistant: Addiction Medicine/Urgent Care**  
Cornerstone Family Healthcare, Newburgh, New York
  - August 2015 – July 2016.

## Credentials

- **Certification** by the National Commission on Certification of Physician Assistants (NCCPA), Certification #1127199, 2015 – present.
- **License:** New York State #018790, 2015 – present.
- **Controlled Substance Permit:** United States Department of Justice, Drug Enforcement Administration Controlled Substance Permit #MB3578157

## Certifications

- American Heart Association Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS) 2014 – present
- American Heart Association Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS) 2016 – present
- American Heart Association Basic Life Support (BLS) 2010 – present

- Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act 2014
- Infection Control 2014 – present
- National Institutes of Health, Protecting Human Research Participants 2013
- New York State Child Abuse and Neglect 2012
- Massachusetts Emergency Medical Technician – Basic (EMT-B) 2011 – 2013

## Professional Affiliations / Service

- American Academy of Physician Assistants Member 2012 – present
- New York State Society of Physician Assistants 2012 – present
  - HOD alternate 2022 – 2023
  - Elections Committee Chair 2017 – 2020
  - Scholarship Committee Member 2015 – present
- Association of Family Practice Physician Assistants 2013 – 2017
  - Webmaster 2016 – 2017
  - Advocacy Committee Member 2015 – 2016
  - Lead Student Representative 2014 – 2015

## Publications

- Blair, J., Gerbes, M., Savery, S., Scott, J., Jackson, D., (2015, May). *Metered-Dose Inhalers: A Comparison of Administration Amongst Healthcare Providers in New York State*. Poster session presented at the American Academy of Physician Assistants Annual Conference, San Francisco, CA.
- Blair, J. J., Doiron, J. A., Sullivan, R. M., Theis, K., Wojcik, K. E., (2011, April). *Response of E.coli to hyperactive variants of the DNA repair protein Mfd*. Poster session presented at the 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Massachusetts Statewide Undergraduate Research Conference, Amherst, MA.

## Graduate Thesis Faculty Advisement

- Blair, J., Troncone, M., (2021, February). *Environmental, Psychological and Genetic Factors that Contribute to Substance Abuse Vulnerability*. PACE University Pleasantville PA Program.

## Scholarships, Honors & Awards

### Faculty

- **Achievement Award**, Touro College Physician Assistant Program, July 2021

### Student

- **Alpha Eta Honor Society**, New York Institute of Technology; May 2015
- **John J. Theobald Graduate Achievement Award in Physician Assistant Studies**, New York Institute of Technology; May 2015
- **Outstanding Academic Performance Award**, Physician Assistant Studies, New York Institute of Technology; May 2015
- **Outstanding Service Award**, Physician Assistant Studies, New York Institute of Technology; May 2015
- **Graduate Scholarship**, New York Institute of Technology; September 2012 – May 2015
- **Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) Scholarship**, New York Institute of Technology; Fall 2012 – Spring 2014
- **Capital One Academic All-District Team**, College Sports Information Directors of America (CoSIDA), Academic All-America Team program; May 2012
- **Chemical Rubber Company Press Chemistry Achievement Award**, Westfield State University, Physical Science Department; May 2011