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A seasoned Emergency Medicine Physician Assistant and Assistant Clinical Professor, bringing over 15 years of practical experience across diverse emergency settings and a deep understanding of medical best practices. I provide expert analysis and testimony in emergency medicine cases, specializing in evaluating adherence to standards of care, critical care interventions, and patient outcomes. My extensive experience in teaching, curriculum development, and medical publications underscores my capacity to articulate complex medical principles clearly and persuasively for legal review and courtroom presentation.

EDUCATION:

- Master of Physician Assistant Studies | Northeastern University Bouvé College of Health Sciences, Boston, MA – Aug 2005 - Aug 2007 • 3.7 GPA
- Bachelor of Science: Kinesiology - Minor in Psychology | Gordon College, Wenham, MA – Aug 2000 - May 2004 • Dean's List all four years; 3.7 GPA • Graduated Magna Cum Laude

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE:

- **Sep 2015 - Present: *Physician Assistant*** | Beverly Hospital Emergency Dept, Beverly, MA Full-time clinician until 2019, transitioned to 50 hrs/mo at present. Busy, 55k patients/year community ER with trauma, cath lab, and stroke care capabilities.
- **Oct 2014 - Jun 2020: *Physician Assistant*** | Brigham & Women's Emergency Department, Boston, MA Per Diem Staff working 2-4 shifts per month in a top-ranking, busy teaching hospital. Participated regularly in simulations, trainings, and didactic learning as well as helping educate students and residents.
- **May 2014 - Jun 2014: *Adjunct Faculty*** | Northeastern University Physician Assistant Program Responsible for teaching Emergency Medicine didactic course and precept second year students on-site in the ED.
- **Sep 2012 - Sep 2015: *Chief Advanced Practice Clinician*** | Holy Family Emergency Departments, Methuen & Haverhill, MA Coverage included both the fast track and the main department. Administrative duties including scheduling advanced practice providers and supervising new graduates/hires. Developed and initiated innovative advanced triage methods to alleviate wait times.
- **Dec 2007 - May 2013: *Physician Assistant*** | Melrose-Wakefield Emergency Department, Melrose, MA Coverage included both the fast track and the main department of a fast-paced community ED.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE:

- **Jul 2020 - Present: *Assistant Clinical Professor*** | Northeastern University Physician Assistant Program, Boston MA Full-time Faculty Member working in both didactic and clinical education. Course Director of Professional Issues and Healthcare Delivery including lecturing duties in physical exam and diagnosis classes, leader of didactic year clinical skills training, experience simulation facilitator, and responsible for site development, student remediation, and advising, while currently serving as chair of the Badging Committee and on Interprofessional Education Development Committee.
- **Dec 2018 - Jul 2020: *Assistant Director of Clinical Education*** | Boston University Physician Assistant Program, Boston, MA Course Director for Advanced Clinical Medicine, also taught in Introduction to Clinical Medicine as well as developed new curriculum and technologies. Served on the full-time faculty and its accompanying office, committee, and mentorship responsibilities.
- **Oct 2015 - 2018: *Adjunct Faculty*** | Tufts University PA student preceptor Primary preceptor for about 3-4 PA students per year during their 4-week rotations in EM and enjoyed teaching and learning alongside students. Also, helped in procedural training.
- **Jan 2015-Jun 2015 & Jan 2007-May 2009: *Adjunct Faculty*** | Gordon College Kinesiology Department, Wenham, MA Professor of Anatomy & Physiology I & II for two years, now back to teach Advance Human Anatomy Cadaver lab to upperclassmen in a new state-of-the-art cadaver dissection lab.

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PROFESSIONAL SERVICE:

- **Dec 2024- Present: Academy of Physician Associates in Legal Medicine (APALM) Board Member**
- **Oct 2020 – Oct 2022: Director at Large, Membership Committee Chair** | Massachusetts Association of Physician Assistants (MAPA) While Chair of the Membership Committee, MAPA has grown to its highest membership ever. Also, regular speaker/instructor at fall and winter conferences.
- **Nov 2017 - Present: Founder and Sole Writer for Educational Website** | EMPALife.com, LLC A not-for-profit website housing many of the great lessons and insights gained in a career in EM.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS & CERTIFICATIONS

- NCCPA Certification 2007/Recertification 2013 & 2019
- ACLS Certification since 2016
- ATLS Certification since 2015
- Member and Contributor to the Membership and Website Committee of the Society of Emergency Medicine of Physician Assistants ([SEMPA](#)) 2018
- [MAPA](#) Director at Large 2020-2022
- [APALM](#) Board Member 2024-present

PUBLICATIONS:

- Adam Broughton, PA-C. **High Stakes Pediatrics: Resuscitation and the MISFITS.** Physician Assistant Clinics, Volume 8, Issue 1, 2023, Pages 95-108, ISSN 2405-7991, ISBN 9780323960670, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cpha.2022.08.012>
- Adam Broughton, PA-C. **The Evolving Role of Ultrasound in Prehospital and Emergency Medicine.** Physician Assistant Clinics, Volume 8, Issue 1, 2023, Pages 225-236, ISSN 2405-7991, ISBN \9780323960670, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cpha.2022.08.004>
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- Shehade, K. A., & Broughton, A. (2024). **Planting the Seeds of Lifestyle Medicine for Physician Associate Students.** American Journal of Lifestyle Medicine, 18(6), 748–749. <https://doi.org/10.1177/15598276231223917>
- Broughton, Adam MS, PA-C; Landry, Alexis MS, PA-C; Showstark, Mary MPAS, PA-C; Barry, Carey L. MHS, PA-C; Najmabadi, Shahpar PhD, MPH; Rolls, Joanne MEHP, MPAS, PA-C; Honda, Trenton PhD, MMS, PA-C. **Military Veteran Matriculation in US Physician Associate/Assistant Programs.** The Journal of Physician Assistant Education 35(2):p 156-161, June 2024. <https://doi.org/10.1097/JPA.0000000000000568>
- Shehade, Karen A. MBA, MHP, PA-C; Broughton, Adam MSc, PA-C. **Incorporating the Pillars of Lifestyle Medicine into Physician Assistant/Associate Education: A Benefit for Patients, Physician Assistants/Associate Education, and Physician Assistants/Associates.** The Journal of Physician Assistant Education 35(4):p 406-410, December 2024. <https://doi.org/10.1097/JPA.0000000000000622>