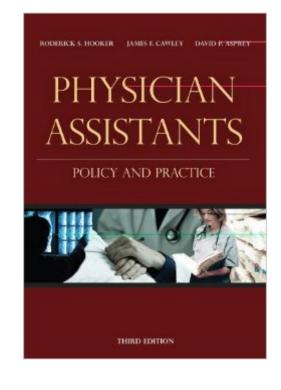
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# Physician Assistants: Policy And Practice





## Synopsis

Explore the past, present, and future of PA practice. The authors, noted educators, researchers, and practitioners, draw on extensive research to trace the evolution of the PAâ <sup>™</sup>s roles and responsibilities in the delivery of health care services. Their presentation of historical content balanced with discussions of the ethical, educational, legislative, and economic forces that are shaping that the profession makes this the perfect classroom tool for PAâ <sup>™</sup>s learning their field and their professional role.

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I found this book to be informative but, not something I would pick up and read. This was on the required reading list for my graduate program. Throughout the semester we were assigned chapters.Some of the statistics were inspiring as a student coming into the field. I enjoyed the sections on the history of Physician Assistants.The book is laid out in a logical fashion progressing through the chapters. Some of the studies and statistics have become outdated but, still valid based on the findings. There are some outdated statistics on salaries and numbers of PAs as this is a constant changing market.Overall I think this book is worth the money, even though it was a required book I am glad I read through the chapters. Knowing the history of PAs is essential to becoming a Physician Assistant.

This is a wonderful resource regarding the role of PAs include their education and clinical and

non-clinical roles. There is even a chapter that reviews the roles and responsibilities of PAs in various specialties.

I'm sure it's a useful text, and I'm glad that a textbook for PAs like this exists. However, speaking as a student, it was an incredibly tedious read. Also, the information it presents is dated.

Required purchase for a PA school class. I did not find it helpful for anything. The facts were outdated and it was not an interesting or helpful read.

Recieve quicker than expected, in brand new wrapping. It was exactly what I needed and saved a lot of money not getting it at the bookstore!

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