



WASHINGTON PA PRACTICE PROFILE



Number of PAs
in Washington:

4,150+

Number of PAs
in the United States:

178,700

**Percent of PAs
by Specialty
in Washington**



- 28.9% Surgical subspecialties
- 24.0% All other specialties
- 20.9% Family medicine
- 9.5% Internal medicine subspecialties
- 6.1% Emergency medicine
- 4.9% Urgent care
- 3.4% General peds, general IM

**Percent of PAs
by Setting
in Washington**



- 52.7% Physician office or clinic
- 35.7% Hospital settings
- 5.8% Urgent care center
- 5.8% Other settings

In Washington:

- ▶ A typical PA completes 56 patient visits per week
- ▶ A typical PA is on call 72 hours per month
- ▶ 60.3% of Washington PAs would choose their career over again

24.3%
of PAs specialize
in Primary Care

Two PA Programs in Washington:

- ▶ Northwest University
- ▶ University of Washington

40.5%
of PAs are employed
by a Physician Group
or Solo Practice