

PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS, MIDWIVES AND ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONALS

NOC 31303

Provide primary health care in conjunction with physicians and other health professionals. This unit group includes physician assistants, midwives, genetic counsellors, orthoptists and pathologists' assistants.



3-YEAR OUTLOOK



Undetermined

3-YEAR JOB OPENINGS

3

MEDIAN HOURLY WAGE

$49.34

$32.18 LOW — $55.35 HIGH

TYPICALLY REQUIRED



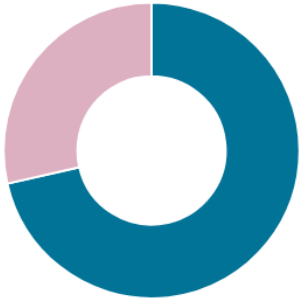
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EMPLOYED

31

AVERAGE SALARY

$76,000



EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY

71.4%	Health care and social assistance
Suppressed	Suppressed
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28.6%	All Other Industries

EMPLOYMENT BY AGE

Suppressed	15-24
Suppressed	25-34
Suppressed	35-44
Suppressed	45-54
Suppressed	55-64
Suppressed	65+

ALSO KNOWN AS

- Genetic Counsellor
- Midwife
- Orthoptist
- Pathology Assistant
- Physician Assistant

MAIN DUTIES:

This group performs some or all of the following duties:

- Conduct patient interviews, physical assessments and take medical histories
- Perform or order diagnostic tests and interpret results
- In consultation with a supervising physician, formulate and implement treatment plans and monitor patients' progress
- Perform and assist in minor surgery
- Provide health maintenance education
- May participate in research activities
- May prescribe from a limited list of medications.

