

**Guide and Finding Aid for
Wayne W. VonSeggen papers, 1990 - 2000**



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Abstract

Contains the papers of Wayne W. VonSeggen, the first physician assistant (PA) to be appointed to the North Carolina Medical Board (NCMB). Types of materials include committee materials, legal materials, reprints, newsletters, correspondence, board hearings, reports, and a brochure. Major subjects include legislation and regulation of the PA profession, North Carolina Medical Board (NCMB) and PA issues, and PA drug prescription authority.

Descriptive Summary

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Creator

VonSeggen, Wayne W.

Title

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2 boxes,
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Biographical Note

Wayne W. VonSeggen was born near Farmington, Iowa in 1949. He received his undergraduate degree from Olivet Nazarene University and completed the Wake Forest University Physician Assistant Program in 1977. He has worked as a physician assistant (PA) in occupational medicine at RJR Medical Department, PrimeCare Family Medicine, and at Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center.

VonSeggen has been a member of the North Carolina Academy of Physician Assistants (NCAPA) since 1976, and served in many positions including Public Education Chairman, newsletter editor, board of directors member, and president. He has been a member of the American Academy of Physician Assistants (AAPA) since 1975. He was the first physician assistant (PA) to be appointed to the North Carolina Medical Board (NCMB), and he served from 1994 to 2000. In his final year on the NCMB, VonSeggen served as its president. He was the delegate to the Federation of State Medical Board (FSMB) House of Delegates in 1999 and 2000. In 2002, he was appointed by the FSMB as their representative on the National Commission on Certification of Physician Assistants (NCCPA).

VonSeggen received the NCAPA President's Recognition Award in 1981 and 1985. In 2001 he received the AAPA Paragon Award for Outstanding Physician Assistant of the Year. He has authored and co-authored three state-wide surveys of the PA profession (1984, 1987, and 1993), which were published in the North Carolina Medical Journal.

Collection Overview

Organized into the following series: Papers, 1990-2000.

Online Catalog Headings

Physician Assistants -- legislation & jurisprudence.

Prescriptions, Drug.

North Carolina Medical Board

Collection Series

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Detailed Description of the Collection

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Box 1

American Academy of Physician Assistants (AAPA), regulations, accredited programs, 1990, 1996

Board of Medical Examiners rule hearing on PAs, 1993

Duke and East Carolina University Partnerships for Training program

Newsletters, North Carolina Academy of Physician Assistants (NCAPA), NCMB, 1993-1997 (bulk 1996-1997)

NCMB, general materials, 1990-1995

NCMB, PA Advisory Committee

1991-2000

Curriculum vitas, 1995

NCMB, Bioethics Committee, 1995-1997

Publicity

Reprints, 1994

Regulations and legislation

Arizona, Iowa, Maine, Montana, 1994-1995

Nebraska, New Hampshire, 1993-1995

Box 2

New Mexico, New York, 1978-1994

Oregon, Rhode Island, Utah, 1993-1995

Wisconsin, West Virginia, Wyoming, Washington, 1993-1994