



ROCKY VISTA UNIVERSITY

Achieving new heights in medical education

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To whom it may concern,

It is my pleasure to recommend Hina Mazharuddin PA-C as an invaluable educator. She has provided Rocky Vista University Physician Assistant program's first year students a lecture on telemedicine for the last two consecutive years. As the Vice President for PA's in Virtual Medicine and Telemedicine, her knowledge of the content is expert. From personal practice to a place of leadership, Hina is keenly aware of this healthcare delivery system's impact on patients and PA professional practice. Beyond her knowledge, Hina's dedication to breaking down concepts into developmentally appropriate pieces for first year PA students is impressive. She is able to convey systems based practice issues, professional trends, patient care, and risk management content in ways that the students understand.

Most notably, Hina thinks outside of the box. Her medical acumen is augmented by how truly creative she is. She can teach in a very traditional format using a presentation; but in addition, she can provide a more progressive strategy. She recently created several case presentations, played the role of the patient (functioning like a standardized patient), and walked the students through telemedicine role play. This went above and beyond my expectation! Her ingenuity created an opportunity for students to practice far more than telemedicine. They got practice building rapport, communicating with a patient, examining a patient in creative ways, and escalating the level of care as appropriate. Her presentation and activity was perfection for our PA program's unique competency based medical education (CBME) model. My impression was further validated by my students' repeated feedback stating that her lecture was the best of the semester.

I highly recommend Hina as an educator. Her talent and skill are an invaluable asset to our program!

Kindly,

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