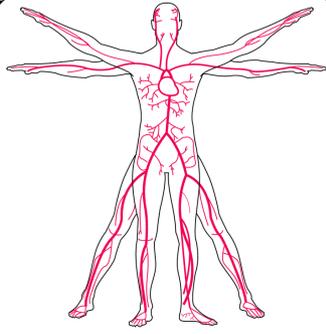


East Texas Vascular Associates



Knowledge. Innovation. Compassion.

# Meet Our Physician Assistant

## Your next appointment is with Olivia Snodgrass, PA-C

### Dear ETVA Patients:

Olivia has been with East Texas Vascular Associates for one year. She joined the group after graduating with honors with her Masters of Physician Assistant Studies from Baylor College of Medicine (BCM) in Houston, TX. During her training at BCM, Olivia developed a passion for surgical patients and their specific health needs both before and after surgery. Before attending BCM, Olivia graduated from Texas A&M University with a Bachelors of Science in Biomedical Sciences and is a proud Fightin' Texas Aggie Class of 2012!

Olivia focuses on vascular follow-up patients for Drs. Duncan, Kerns, and Harrison, along with post-operative management. She evaluates and treats patients on her own at the clinic. In addition to her clinic, Olivia serves as an assistant to the surgeons in the operating room. Olivia acts as an extension to our vascular surgeon's care. Together they work as a team to provide quality care, which will meet the demands of this growing practice.

### What is a Physician Assistant (PA)?

A PA is a midlevel provider who is fully trained to provide medical care under the supervision of a doctor. PA's can diagnose medical conditions, order and interpret labs, order and interpret imaging, prescribe medication, perform procedures and develop treatment plans. The key role of a PA is to extend the care of the supervising physician to patients and increase patient access to care. This team approach optimizes the quality and efficiency of care while also helping to lower the overall cost to the patient.

*Sincerely,*

East Texas Vascular Associates, PA  
Drs. Duncan, Harrison, Kerns, & Young



"I have been overwhelmed by the warm welcome from patients at East Texas Vascular Associates. I continue to enjoy working in a surgical sub-specialty that allows me to participate in multiple aspects of patient care. I am committed to practicing alongside the ETVA surgeons to serve the surgical needs of East Texas!"

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