

**Dr. April J. Odom**  
**Curriculum Vitae**

PHYSICALS PLUS HEALTH & WELLNESS

- Chief Executive Officer
- Advanced Practice Registered Nurse

ADVOCATE MEDICAL GROUP

- Advanced Practice Registered Nurse
  - Advocate Clinic at Walgreens Oak Lawn
  - Advocate Medical Group Frankfort
  - Virtual health provider

WILKES WELLNESS SERVICES

- Visiting home care provider
- Virtual health provider

PEARLS OF VEDA MEDICAL SPA

- Nurse Injector

ADVOCATE HOSPITALS SYSTEMS

- Registered Nurse
  - Nurse Clinician III: South Suburban emergency department
  - Nurse Clinician III: Rehabilitation Institute of Chicago at Advocate Illinois Masonic inpatient rehabilitation
  - Certified Nurse Assistant: Rehabilitation Institute of Chicago at Advocate Illinois Masonic inpatient rehabilitation

COMPETENT HEALTHCARE

- Basic Nurse Assistant Training Program Coordinator
- Instructor

HOME HEALTH CARE

Visiting registered nurse (RN)

- Advance home health
- Wellness home health
- Royal home health

TRAIN, EDUCATE AND MENTOR (T.E.A.M) NURSES

- Executive Director of Development
- Mentor program
- Program committee
- Marketing committee

ILLINOIS SOCIETY FOR ADVANCED PRACTICE NURSING (ISAPN)

- Vice-President
- Bylaws chair
- Membership committee
- Program committee
- Scholarship committee
- Social media task force
- Mentor task force

ADDITIONAL MEMBERSHIP/SERVICE

- WBDC Scale Up Program
- 40 under 40 planning committee
- IDPH POLST Registry Advisory Committee Member
- Illinois Obesity Society
- Professional Women's Network
- American Academy of Nurse Entrepreneurs
- American Academy of Nurse Practitioner

## AWARDS

- Frontier: DNP Student Leadership (2023)
- AANP State Award for NP Excellence (2023)
- Pinnacle Nurse Leader (2020)
- PWN Summer Soiree Ignitor (2019)
- Illinois Nurse Foundation 40 under 40 emerging nurse leaders (2019)
- Rehabilitation Institute of Chicago Magnusen Award (2014)

## CERTIFICATIONS

- Certified Medical Examiner  
Training: NRCME
- Obesity certification: AANP
- Family Nurse Practitioner: ANCC
- Certified Rehabilitation Registered Nurse: RNB
- American Heart Association CPR Instructor
- RN Residency completion program
- TB liaison