

JAY M. HARVEY, MD, FAAP

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Dr. Jay M. Harvey is a board-certified pediatrician with over 34 years of experience delivering evidence-based, compassionate care across a wide spectrum of pediatric settings. His expertise spans newborn care, urgent pediatric care, and outpatient general pediatrics, informed by decades of practice in both solo and group environments. He has held leadership roles in developing pediatric units, implementing electronic health record systems, and expanding clinical practices, consistently exceeding quality benchmarks and patient volume goals.

As a seasoned expert witness, Dr. Harvey provides clear, unbiased opinions on standards of care and medical negligence in pediatric cases. His forensic work is grounded in clinical rigor, meticulous record review, and deep familiarity with current pediatric guidelines and literature. He has been retained for cases across the country and brings credibility and clarity to complex medical issues.

An active educator and community health advocate, Dr. Harvey has lectured at hospitals, schools, and public forums on topics ranging from vaccine safety to healthy nutrition. He also served as an instructor in Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS) and has hosted a pediatric radio segment. His public education work includes creating parent-facing resources through digital platforms and serving on advisory boards for national and local children's organizations. Dr. Harvey's extensive clinical acumen, combined with his dedication to teaching and communication, make him a trusted resource for attorneys seeking authoritative pediatric expertise.

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

- COHEN & SHEINKER PEDIATRICS, PA** – Boca Raton, FL August 2017 – Present
- Full-time physician in a private practice
 - Examine, evaluate, and treat newborns at Boca Raton Regional Hospital
- BAYCARE MEDICAL GROUP** – Trinity, FL April 2016 – July 2017
- Attending physician in a regional, multi-specialty healthcare system
- PERSONAL PEDIATRIC CARE, PLLC** – Trinity, FL April 2011 – March 2016
- Launched solo private practice with both traditional and direct patient care models
 - Recruited allied health professionals to provide comprehensive, in-house pediatric services
 - Preceptor for nurse practitioners in training
- PEDIATRIC HEALTH CARE ALLIANCE, PA** – Tarpon Springs, FL January 2001 – March 2011
- Attending physician in a private practice and after-hours urgent care clinic
- 21ST CENTURY PEDIATRICS, PA** – New Port Richey, FL July 1991 – December 2000
- Co-founded and co-managed a private group practice
 - Oversaw expansion of practice to 2 office sites, 5 doctors, and over 10,000 patients
 - Co-administered office finances, procurement, quality assurance, contract negotiations, and staffing

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

- COHEN & SHEINKER PEDIATRICS, PA** – Boca Raton, FL August 2017 – Present
- Facilitated the creation of a company website to offer parental guidance to 15,000 patients
- PEDIATRIC HEALTH CARE ALLIANCE, PA** – Tarpon Springs, FL January 2001 – March 2011
- Led research and selection of EHR vendor; first of 15 sites to "go live"

21ST CENTURY PEDIATRICS, PA – New Port Richey, FL July 1991 – December 2000

- Served on county-wide Child Sexual Abuse Team and testified in court as needed

HOSPITAL NEONATAL & PEDIATRIC UNITS – New Port Richey, FL July 1991 – December 1995

- Developed the first self-contained Pediatric Unit at North Bay Hospital
- Established the first Neonatal and Pediatric Units at Helen Ellis and Spring Hill Regional Hospitals

COMMITTEE EXPERIENCE

PEDIATRIC HEALTH CARE ALLIANCE, PA – Tarpon Springs, FL January 2001 – March 2011

- Active member of EHR Committee
- Active member of Patient Education Committee
- Active member of Mock Code Committee

EDUCATION & TRAINING

SENIOR CHIEF RESIDENT OF PEDIATRICS July 1990 – June 1991

Part-time Pediatric ER Attending, Part-Time Instructor for ACLS Course

Steven and Alexandra Cohen Children's Medical Center, New Hyde Park, New York
Affiliated with Long Island Jewish Medical Center/Albert Einstein College of Medicine

PEDIATRIC INTERNSHIP AND RESIDENCY July 1987 – June 1990

Steven and Alexandra Cohen Children's Medical Center of New York, New Hyde Park, New York
Affiliated with Long Island Jewish Medical Center/Albert Einstein College of Medicine

MEDICAL EDUCATION September 1983 – May 1987

Degree: Doctor of Medicine

State University of New York Downstate Medical Center, Brooklyn, New York

UNDERGRADUATE EDUCATION September 1979 – May 1983

Degree: Bachelor of Science – Biology

State University of New York at Binghamton, Binghamton, New York

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

TEACHING & SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- Podcast episodes / YouTube videos – American Society for the Positive Care of Children 2021 – 2023
 - Topics included: COVID-19 Pandemic; Respiratory Viral Infections
- Lectures / Open Discussions at Local Hospitals, Schools, and Community Centers 1991 – 2017
 - Topics included: Antibiotic Overuse; Vaccines: Myth vs. Fact; Healthy Eating & Fitness
- Workshop – *Selecting an EHR for a Pediatrician's Office* – All Children's Hospital, St. Petersburg, FL June 2007
- Pediatric Advanced Life Support Instructor – All Children's Hospital, St. Petersburg, FL 1993 – 2007
- Weekly Radio Spot – *Pediatric Perspective w/ Child Behavior Specialist* – Clearwater, FL 2004 – 2005

CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS

- American SPCC – Board of Directors 2021 – 2024
- Children's Heart Foundation – Florida Chapter – Advisory Board Member 2005 – 2009
- Blossom Montessori School for the Deaf – Advisory Board Member 2005 – 2009
- Pasco Pediatric Foundation – Vice President 1995 – 2000

HONORS

1990 Best Resident Teaching Award (Steven and Alexandra Cohen Children's Medical Center of New York)
1983 Phi Beta Kappa (SUNY at Binghamton)
1983 Graduated Summa Cum Laude (SUNY at Binghamton)

CERTIFICATIONS & LICENSES

Board Certified – American Board of Pediatrics	1990 – Present
Florida Medical License: ME58972	1990 – Present
Certified Instructor – Pediatric Advanced Life Support (All Children's Hospital)	1993 – 2007

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS & AFFILIATIONS

Fellow of the American Academy of Pediatrics	1991 – Present
Florida Chapter of the AAP	1991 – Present
Florida Pediatric Society	1991 – 2017
American College of Physician Executives	2007 – 2009