

Physician Inspires Patient to Follow in His Footsteps

When 5-year-old Seth Marcus entered the office of Children's Stanley Cohen, M.D., suffering with severe abdominal pain and vomiting, Seth received more than a diagnosis and a cure—he received a career path, job security and a mentor for life.

Marcus was diagnosed with functional abdominal pain and started receiving treatment from Dr. Cohen. It was during this time that Seth said he became fascinated with Dr. Cohen's work and his treatment of pediatric patients. "As I progressed through my training, Dr. Cohen and his practice (CCDHC) always served as the light at the end of the tunnel. Their practice validated my aspirations and proved to me that the practice model I sought not only existed but could thrive," said Marcus.

While he was attending high school, Marcus spent time observing Dr. Cohen performing endoscopies on his young patients, always asking questions, with a true passion to learn more. Marcus's parents can recall him saying at an early age that he was going to be Dr. Cohen when he grew up.

Marcus enrolled in medical school at Tufts University and continued to seek guidance and support from his former specialist. After completing medical school, his pediatric residency at Emory University School of Medicine and finally his fellowship in pediatric gastroenterology at Northwestern's Children's Memorial Hospital in Chicago, Marcus accepted a position on Dr. Cohen's team at Children's.

"After completed my residency, I knew that Children's was a world-class pediatric hospital. I had a wonderful experience throughout my residency and coming back to Children's has felt like coming home," said Marcus.

While things have certainly come full circle for Dr. Marcus, Dr. Cohen said he is thrilled to have a former patient as a member of his prestigious team.

[Back to News Center >](#)



Children's to Further Recycling Programs

Many of you have been about Children's "going green" and are interested the we are taking in terms becoming more enviro conscious.

[View Full Story >](#)

Big Splash IV to Benefit Marcus Autism Cent

The Marcus Autism Center pleased to present the Annual Big Splash, at Georgia Aquarium on Saturday, April 14. Proceeds from the eve benefit the Marcus Autism Center.

[View Full Story >](#)

Children's Physician Recognized with Pre-Neustein Award

At its recent conference in Louisville, the Society of Pediatric Pathology presented Children's physician Brian Shehata, M.D., its pre-eminent and highly competitive Pre-Neustein Award for his poster presentation.

[View Full Story >](#)

AIG President Gives on Sale of AIG

AIG announced plans to sell many of its businesses to repay amounts owe its \$85 billion loan agreement with the Federal Reserve Bank of New York.

[View Full Story >](#)

Complete the AHRQ survey

The Agency for Health Research and Quality has awarded Children's a \$4 million collaborative grant with Georgia Tech and Emory University. The grant is awarded for research on improving quality of health care and patient safety through technology. Now that I computerized physician