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EDUCATION

Pediatric Residency, Beth Israel Medical Center, New York, NY
June 2004

New York Medical College, 5th Pathway Program, Valhalla, NY
June 2001

M.D.
Universidad Autonoma De Guadalajara Medical School, Guadalajara, Mexico
June 2000

Bachelor of Science, Biology
University of California, San Diego, La Jolla, CA
June 1994

LANGUAGES

Spanish

Full Professional

CERTIFICATIONS

Diplomate, American Board of Pediatrics
Board Eligible, Urgent Care Medicine

MELINDA HOLLIDAY MD

PERSONAL SUMMARY

Board-certified pediatrician with 25 years of experience in general pediatrics, urgent care, and emergency medicine, with leadership in adolescent mental health, ADHD, concussion care, and neurodevelopmental disorders. Experienced in caring for neurodivergent and autistic patients with a focus on individualized care and advocacy. Serves as a pediatric medical expert witness in malpractice, injury, and child abuse cases, providing evidence-based analysis and testimony. As CLIA Lab Director, oversees quality and regulatory compliance at a plasma donation center. Skilled in telehealth, interdisciplinary collaboration, and navigating complex medical, educational, and legal systems.

SKILLS

- Pediatric Expert Witness – Malpractice, Injury & Child Abuse
- ADHD, Autism & Neurodivergent Mental Health Care
- Concussion Care, Recovery Planning & Telehealth Delivery
- Evidence-Based Practice & Cross-Disciplinary Communication
- General Pediatrics, Urgent Care & Emergency Medicine
- School Advocacy, 504/IEP Support & Educational Access
- CLIA Lab Director – Testing Oversight & Regulatory Compliance

WORK HISTORY

March 2019 - Current

Austin Regional Clinic - General and Urgent Care Pediatrician, Bastrop, Texas

- Provides evidence-based care for diverse pediatric conditions; improves outcomes through data-driven decision-making
- Guides families on preventive health and chronic condition management

May 2022 - Current

Independent Consultant - Pediatric Expert Witness

- Provides expert opinions and reports in pediatric malpractice, injury, and abuse cases
- Conducts in-depth chart reviews to evaluate standards of care and deviations
- Applies broad clinical experience to assess acute presentations and treatment decisions

April 2024 - Current

Octapharma Plasma - CLIA Lab Director, Austin, TX

- Directs high-complexity donor testing with emphasis on accuracy, timeliness, and quality
- Ensures CLIA, FDA, and OSHA compliance; maintains audit readiness and documentation
- Leads staff training, competency assessments, and SOP adherence; resolves non-conformities

April 2019 - August 2022

Eurofins CRL, Inc. - Principle Investigator

- Collected and analyzed data, documentation, and physical evidence for comprehensive investigations.
- Interpreted findings to support accurate conclusions and informed decision-making.

September 2018 - May 2021

Teledoc, Wellvia - Telemedicine Physician

- Enhanced clinical efficiency via evidence-based practices in virtual settings.
- Executed telehealth consultations to evaluate patient needs and create treatment plans.

December 2013 - December 2018

Texas Med Clinic - Urgent Care Physician, Austin, TX

- Provided urgent care for pediatric and adult patients in a high-volume setting
- Managed acute and occupational injuries; performed DOT and immigration physicals as USCIS Civil Surgeon
- Interpreted X-rays, EKGs, and performed suturing, wound care, and gynecological exams

July 2011 - October 2013

Communicare Health Center - General Pediatrician, San Marcos, TX

- Physician in a high-volume clinic for underserved Spanish-speaking patients

November 2007 - August 2010

Riverside Pediatrics - General Pediatrician/Hospitalist, Secaucus, NJ

- Balanced role in pediatrics and hospitalist duties. Evaluated ER patients, managed floor and nursery admissions, attended high-risk deliveries.

August 2004 - August 2010

Beth Israel Medical Center - Attending Physician, Pediatric ER, New York, NY

- Attending Physician in Level II Pediatric ER, managing diverse, high-acuity cases in a fast-paced setting
- Supervised pediatric and emergency medicine residents, ensuring quality training and clinical care

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