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Steven J. Cohen, MD earned his Bachelor's degree in Psychology in 1992 from Cornell University. In 1996, he earned his medical degree from the State University of New York at Stony Brook. Dr. Cohen completed his residency in Internal Medicine at Temple University Hospital in 1999. He completed his fellowship in Medical Oncology and Hematology in 2002 at Fox Chase Cancer Center, and also served as Chief Fellow from 2001 to 2002.

Dr. Cohen specializes in the care and treatment of GI cancers. He is a member of the American Society of Clinical Oncology, where he has served on the Scientific Program Committee for Colorectal Cancer and chaired the Test Development Committee. He is an active member of the GI Committee of the Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group where he chairs the Colorectal Cancer Subcommittee. Further, he is a board member of the Pennsylvania Society of Oncology and Hematology. Dr. Cohen is also the vice-chair of the National Cancer Institute's Pancreatic Cancer Task Force of the GI Steering Committee.

Prior to coming to Abington - Jefferson Health, Dr. Cohen was chief of the GI Medical Oncology program at Fox Chase Cancer Center and program director of the hematology/oncology fellowship program. He also had oversight of medical oncology within the Fox Chase Partners, Fox Chase's affiliate program.

Dr. Cohen has served as the principal or co-investigator of numerous clinical trials in gastrointestinal cancer. His research interests in gastrointestinal cancer focus on the development of new therapies for patients with gastrointestinal cancer, including pancreatic cancer and colorectal cancer. He has published original work in nearly 100 peer-reviewed publications and is widely regarded as a national expert in the treatment of patients with gastrointestinal cancers. Dr. Cohen has been a guest lecturer at more than 50 lectures and symposiums. Most recently, in July 2016, he spoke on new colorectal cancer treatments as an invited grand rounds lecturer at Emory University's Winship Cancer Institute.

Dr. Cohen strives to communicate with and treat his patients in the same manner that he would want his own family to be treated. He has witnessed family members go through cancer treatments, including his mother who fought lymphoma during his childhood, and understands how difficult the battle can be.

Dr. Cohen is a proud member of Abington Health Physicians, a network of over 200 primary care and specialty physicians.

Background

Cornell University
Ithaca, NY
(BA, Psychology, 1988-1992)

Stony Brook University School of Medicine
Stony Brook, NY
(MD, 1992-1996)

Temple University Hospital
Philadelphia, PA
(Resident, Internal Medicine, 1996-1999)

Fox Chase Cancer Center
Temple University Hospital
Philadelphia, PA
(Fellow, Medical Oncology and Hematology, 1999-2001)
(Chief Fellow, Medical Oncology and Hematology, 2001-2002)
(Program Director, Hematology/Oncology Fellowship, 2009-2016)

Fox Chase Cancer Center
Philadelphia, PA
(Assistant Member, Division of Medical Science, 2002-2004)
(Attending Physician, Department of Medical Oncology, 2002-2004)
(Assistant Professor, Divisions of Medical and Population Science, 2004-2010)
(Associate Professor, Department of Medical Oncology, 2010-2016)
(Chief, GI Medical Oncology; Co-Leader, GI Cancer Service Line, 2011-2016)

Fox Chase Cancer Center Partners
Philadelphia, PA
(Associate Medical Director, 2004-2011)
(Chief Medical Officer, 2012-2016)

Awards

NCI Clinical Investigator Team Leadership Award
ASCO Leadership Development Program Graduate

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