



**Nicklaus Children's  
Health System**

## Chad A. Perlyn, MD, PhD, FACS, FAAP



President, Nicklaus Children's Pediatric Specialists

**C**had Perlyn, MD, PhD, FACS, FAAP, serves as president of Nicklaus Children's Pediatric Specialist, the physician group practice of Nicklaus Children's Health system, the region's only healthcare system exclusively for children.

In his role, Dr. Perlyn directs the vision and strategic growth of the multi-specialty physician practice, which employs over 550 physicians, advanced practice providers, and support staff with practices located in Miami-Dade, Broward, Collier, Martin, Monroe and Palm Beach. He is also responsible for ensuring high-quality care is always delivered by guiding clinical quality programs, medical research and the deployment of clinical integration strategies.

A graduate of Northwestern University, Dr. Perlyn earned a bachelor's degree in English Literature and his medical degree from the University of Miami School of Medicine. He completed his residency at the Washington University School of Medicine, Barnes Hospital and St. Louis Children's Hospital, and completed his fellowship at St. John's Mercy Medical Center in St. Louis, Missouri. He also holds a health executive masters of business administration from the University of Miami and a doctorate of philosophy from the University of Oxford, Department of Physiology, Anatomy, and Genetics in Oxford, England.

### Key accomplishments:

- Elected President of the Greater Miami Society of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgeons
- Designated among **"America's Top Doctors" for 2022** by Castle and Connolly
- Nicklaus Children's Hospital is in a tie as the overall **#1 children's hospital with five specialty programs ranked among the best in the nation** in the 2022-23 US News & World Report "Best Children's Hospitals" survey results
- In 2022, Nicklaus Children's Health System was recognized in Newsweek's list of **World's Best Specialized Hospitals** and as a **Top 100 Most Loved Workplace**