

Lisa Harris, MD

BIO

Lisa Y. Harris, M.D., is the Senior Vice President and Chief Medical Officer for Excellus Health Plan. Board certified in Internal Medicine and Pediatrics; Dr. Harris practiced clinical medicine from 1995 until 2022. She is a certified Physician Executive through the American College of Physician Executives and fellow with both the American College of Physicians and the American Academy of Pediatrics.

Dr. Harris obtained her B.S in Neurosciences from the University of Rochester, Rochester, NY and her MD from Morehouse School of Medicine in Atlanta GA. She then completed a combined Internal Medicine and Pediatrics residency at Wayne State University in Detroit, MI.

Currently, she is the president of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Inc.®, Delta Nu Omega Chapter, In Rochester, NY. She serves as the Treasurer for The Greater Rochester, Alumnae Alumni Chapter of the NPHC, serves on the Board of Directors for the Black Physicians Network, the Board of directors for the Rochester YWCA and the Board of the Ronald McDonald House Charities. She is president of The Missionary Board at New Progressive Cathedral Church of God In Christ and serves as a Sunday school and Bible study instructor.

In the past, Dr. Harris has served as the president of the Southern Tier district of the American College of Physicians, VPMA and CMO for Our Lady of Lourdes in Binghamton, Medical Staff President at Highland Hospital, in addition to numerous boards in the Rochester and Southern Tier community and extensive involvement in medical education.

Dr. Harris is the 2019 awardee of “Women worth Watching” from the Profiles in Diversity Journal, 2021 RBJ Women of Excellence Award and 2024 Athena International Award finalist

Dr Harris and her husband are the proud parents of two adult children. In her spare time, she enjoys time with family, sewing and a variety of outdoor activities.