

Sharon E. Gibson, MD, FACS

Sub-Specialty: Pediatric Otolaryngology

Education & Training

Undergraduate: University of Michigan, Bachelor of Science, Microbiology, 1979-1983

Medical School: University of Michigan Medical School, 1983-1987

Post Graduate

Internship: 1987-1988

Department of General Surgery
University of Illinois College of Medicine
Chicago, IL

Residency: 1988-1992

Department of Otolaryngology - Head & Neck Surgery
University of Illinois College of Medicine
Chicago, IL

Fellowship: 1992-1993

Pediatric Otolaryngology - Head & Neck Surgery
Preceptor – Robin T. Cotton, M.D.
Children's Hospital Medical Center
Cincinnati, OH

Hospital Privileges

Rhode Island Hospital/Hasbro Children's Hospital,
Women and Infants' Hospital,
ENT Center of Rhode Island

Academic Appointments

- Associate Clinical Professor, Division of Otolaryngology, Department Of Surgery, Brown Medical School, Providence, RI, 2006-
- Assistant Clinical Professor, Division of Otolaryngology, Department Of Surgery, Brown Medical School, Providence, RI, 1996-2006
- Assistant Clinical Professor, Department of Otolaryngology-Head & Neck Surgery, Tufts University School of Medicine, Boston, MA, 1996-
- Assistant Professor, Department of Otolaryngology- Head & Neck Surgery, University of Illinois, Chicago, IL, 1993-1996

Board Certifications

Diplomate, American Board of Otolaryngology, 1993

Awards & Recognitions

Recognition Award, University of Illinois Hospitals & Clinics, 1990

Teaching Recognition Award, Brown Medical School, v2004

Recognition Citation, Rhode Island House of Representatives, 2004

Dean's Excellence in Teaching Award, Brown Medical School, 2011

Original Publications in Peer-Reviewed Journals

1. Gibson SE and Wenig BL. Percutaneous Endoscopic Gastrostomy in the Management of Head and Neck Carcinoma. *Laryngoscope* 1992; 102:977-980.
2. Gibson SE, Wenig BL and Watkins JL. Complications of Percutaneous Endoscopic Gastrostomy in Head and Neck Cancer Patients. *Ann Otol Rhinol Laryngol* 1992; 101(1):46-50.
3. Gibson SE and Myer III CM. Stridor in Children. *Am J Asthma Allergy Pediatr* 1994; 8:25-37.
4. Gibson SE, Myer III CM, Strife JL and O'Connor DA. Sleep Fluoroscopy for Localization of Upper Airway Obstruction in Children. *Ann Otol Rhinol Laryngol* 1996; 105(9):678-683.
5. Koempel JA, Gibson SE, O'Grady K and Toriumi, DM. The Effect of Platelet-Derived Growth Factor on Tracheal Wound Healing. *Int J Pediatr Otorhinolaryngol* 1998; 46(1-2):1-8.
6. Gibson SE. Airway Management in Children with Craniofacial Anomalies. *Med Health RI* 2001; 84(12):403-405.
7. Gibson SE. Laryngomalacia and its Management: When to Worry About the Squeaky Baby. *Med Health RI* 2004; 87(10):304-306.

Other Peer-Reviewed Publications

1. Gibson SE. Commentary: The Results of Functional Endoscopic Sinus (FES) Surgery on the Symptoms of Patients with Cystic Fibrosis, Jones JW, Parsons DS and Cuyler JP (authors). *Otolaryngol Journal Club J* 1994; 1(4):220-222.
2. Gibson SE. Commentary: Factors Affecting Resolution of Otitis Media with Effusion in Children, Maw AR and Bawden R (authors). *Otolaryngol Journal Club J* 1994; 1(5):282-283.
3. Gibson SE. Commentary: Outpatient Tonsillectomy and Adenoidectomy: Complications and Recommendations, Schloss AKW et al (authors). *Otolaryngol Journal Club J* 1995; 2(2):105-107.
4. Gibson SE. Commentary: Developmental Implications of Early-Life Otitis Media, Paradise JL et al (authors). *Otolaryngol Journal Club J* 1995;2(5):282-284.
5. Gibson SE. Commentary: Juvenile Nasopharyngeal Angiofibroma: An Update of Therapeutic Management, Ungkanont K et al (authors). *Otolaryngol Journal Club J* 1996; 3(3):162-166.

Book Chapters

1. Gibson SE and Shott SR. Foreign Bodies of the Upper Aerodigestive Tract, in Myer III CM (ed.): *The Pediatric Airway*. J.B. Lippincott Co., Philadelphia, 1995; 195-222.
2. Gibson SE. Aerodigestive Tract Foreign Bodies, in Cotton RT and Myer III CM (eds): *Practical Pediatric Otolaryngology*. Lippincott-Raven, Philadelphia, 1998; 561-573.

Abstracts

1. Gibson SE and Wenig BL. Histologic Effect of Ductal Occlusion on the Canine Parotid. Presented at the Midwestern Regional Meeting of the American Academy of Otolaryngology- Head and Neck Surgery, Kansas City, MO, September 1991.

2. Gibson SE and Cotton RT. The Role of Rigid Bronchoscopy for Treatment of Bronchial Mucous Plugging in Children. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Pediatric Otolaryngology, Los Angeles, CA, April 1993.
3. Gibson SE and Polley JW. Otolaryngologic Disease in Children with Craniosynostosis. Presented at the Annual Meeting of the American Society of Pediatric Otolaryngology, Orlando, FL, May 1996.

Invited Presentations

1. Percutaneous Endoscopic Gastrostomy in the Management of Head and Neck Carcinoma. Sectional Meeting of the American Laryngological, Rhinological and Otological Society, Milwaukee, WI, January, 1991 (R).
2. Complications of Percutaneous Endoscopic Gastrostomy in Head and Neck Cancer Patients. Annual Meeting of the American Broncho-esophagological Association, Waikoloa, HI, May 1991 (N).
3. Histologic Effect of Ductal Occlusion on the Canine Parotid. Midwestern Regional Meeting of the American Academy of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery, Kansas City, MO, September 1991 (R).
4. The role of Rigid Bronchoscopy for Treatment of Bronchial Mucous Plugging in Children. Annual Meeting of the American Society of Pediatric Otolaryngology, Los Angeles, CA, April 1993 (N).
5. Foreign Bodies of the Upper Aerodigestive Tract. Cook County Hospital Department of Pediatrics Grand Rounds Conference, Chicago, IL, August, 1993 (L).
6. Upper Airway Obstruction in Children. University of Illinois at Chicago Department of Pediatrics Grand Rounds Conference, Chicago, IL, November, 1993 (L).
7. Controversies in Otitis Media. University of Illinois at Chicago Department of Family Practice Faculty Development Conference, Chicago, IL, February, 1994 (L).
8. Sleep Fluoroscopy for Localization of Upper Airway Obstruction in Children. Annual Meeting of the American Society of Pediatric Otolaryngology, Palm Beach, FL, May 1994 (N).
9. Pediatric Sinusitis. Cook County Hospital Department of Pediatrics Grand Rounds Conference, Chicago, IL, August, 1994 (L).
10. Otitis Media: Are the New Recommendations Really New? Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Pediatrics Illinois Chapter, Chicago, IL, June 1995 (R).
11. Upper Airway Obstruction in Children. Pediatrics Board Review Course. Osler Institute, Annapolis, MD, June 1995 (N).
12. Otitis Media and Adenotonsillar Disease. Pediatrics Board Review Course. Osler Institute, Annapolis, MD, June 1995 (N).
13. Pediatric Trauma. Otolaryngology Board Review Course. Osler Institute, Lisle, IL, September 1995 (N).
14. Pediatric Head & Neck Masses. Otolaryngology Board Review Course. Osler Institute, Lisle, IL, September 1995 (N).
15. Laryngotracheal Reconstruction in Children. Chicago Laryngological and Otological Society, Chicago, IL, January 1996 (L).

16. Otolaryngologic Problems in Cleft Patients. Pediatric Management of Craniofacial Anomalies. Sponsored by the Craniofacial Center of University of Illinois College of Medicine, Chicago, IL, March 1996 (R).
17. Otolaryngologic Disease in Children with Craniosynostosis. Annual Meeting of the American Society of Pediatric Otolaryngology, Orlando, FL, May 1996 (N).
18. Controversies in Pediatric Otitis Media: The Otolaryngologist's Viewpoint. Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Pediatrics Rhode Island Chapter, Newport, RI, September 1996 (R).
19. Surgical Considerations in Laryngotracheal Reconstruction. Rhode Island Hospital Department of Anesthesiology Grand Rounds Conference, Providence, RI, January, 1997 (L).
20. Blunt Laryngeal Trauma. Brown University School of Medicine Department of Surgery Trauma Conference, Providence, RI, January, 1997 (L).
21. Stridor in the Neonate. Brown University School of Medicine Department of Pediatrics Grand Rounds Conference, Providence, RI, January, 1997 (L).
22. Congenital Hearing Loss and its Management. Charleton Memorial Hospital Pediatric Grand Rounds, Fall River, MA, March, 1997 (L).
23. Evaluation of the Pediatric Neck Mass. Problems in Pediatrics Conference. Sponsored by Brown University School of Medicine Department of Pediatrics. Colby College, Waterville, ME, July 1997 (R).
24. Pediatric Neoplasms. Comprehensive Review of Otolaryngology Seminar. National Center for Advanced Medical Education, Chicago, IL, August 1997 (N).
25. Congenital Hearing Loss and Syndromes. Comprehensive Review of Otolaryngology Seminar. National Center for Advanced Medical Education, Chicago, IL, August 1997 (N).
26. Upper Airway Complications of Endotracheal Intubation in Children. 4th Annual Rhode Island Anesthesia Conference: the Changing Practice of Pediatric Anesthesia. Sponsored by Rhode Island Hospital Department of Anesthesiology, Newport, RI, September 1998 (R).
27. Diagnosis and Management of Congenital Hearing Loss. Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Pediatrics Rhode Island Chapter, Newport, RI, October 1998 (R).
28. Upper Airway Obstruction in Adolescents. Brown University School of Medicine Department of Pediatrics, Division of Adolescent Medicine, Providence, RI, October, 1998 (L).
29. Management of Pediatric Sinonasal Tumors. New England Otolaryngological Society, Providence, RI, January 1999 (R).
30. Congenital Upper Airway Obstruction. Newport Hospital Grand Rounds Conference, Newport, RI, February, 1999 (L).
31. Pediatric Head and Neck Masses. Brown University School of Medicine Department of Pediatrics Grand Rounds Conference, Providence, RI, March, 1999 (L).
32. Your Patient with Stridor and Upper Airway Obstruction. Frank G. DeLuca Surgical Symposium. Sponsored by Brown University School of Medicine Dept. Pediatric Surgery, Newport, RI, April 1999 (R).
33. Surgical and Anesthetic Considerations in Laser Airway Surgery. Rhode Island Hospital Department of Anesthesiology Grand Rounds Conference, Providence, RI, April, 1999 (L).

34. Choanal Atresia: Diagnosis and Management. Brown University School of Medicine Department of Neonatal-Perinatal Medicine Grand Rounds Conference, Providence, RI, February, 2000 (L).
35. Current Trends in Laryngotracheal Reconstruction. Otolaryngology Alumni Conference of Boston University School of Medicine, Boston, MA, June 2000 (R).
36. Congenital Upper Airway Obstruction. Moderator, Pediatric Otolaryngology Section. Updates in Otolaryngology- Head & Neck Surgery. Sponsored by Albany Medical College Department of Otolaryngology- Head & Neck Surgery, Stratton, VT, February 2001 (R).
37. Laryngotracheal Reconstruction Panel. Annual Meeting of the American Laryngological Association, Palm Desert, CA, May 2001 (N).
38. Pediatric Sinusitis. Problems in Pediatric Conference. Sponsored by Brown University School of Medicine Department of Pediatrics. Colby College, Waterville, ME, July 2001 (R).
39. Hereditary Hearing Loss. Problems in Pediatrics Conference. Sponsored by Brown University School of Medicine Department of Pediatrics. Colby College, Waterville, ME, July 2001 (R).
40. Pediatric Otolaryngologic Emergencies. Annual Meeting of the Rhode Island Chapter of the American College of Emergency Physicians, Newport, RI, August, 2004 (R).
41. Surgical Considerations in Pediatric Adenotonsillar Disease. 10th Annual Rhode Island Anesthesia Conference: the Changing Practice of Pediatric Anesthesia. Sponsored by Rhode Island Hospital Department of Anesthesiology, Warwick, RI, September, 2004 (R).

Personal

Dr. Gibson moved to Rhode Island from the Midwest 25 years ago and now considers herself at home in New England. Her favorite activities include camping at music festivals, fitness training and time with family. Although their three sons are grown, she and her husband are not "empty nesters;" they enjoy the company of their beloved field spaniel and have inherited a leopard gecko, a hermit crab and a python named Monty.