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Physician Resource Guide 2026



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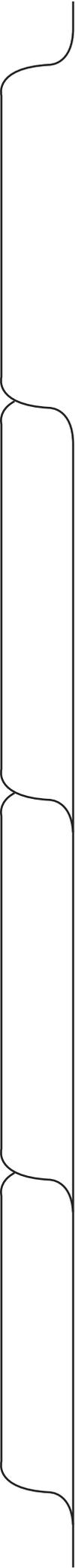
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Resources



Patient family resources

404-785-KIDS (5437)

This number is the primary point of contact for patient families. This phone number, staffed by a team of experienced Children's Healthcare of Atlanta representatives, is open 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Patient families can use **404-785-KIDS (5437)** to:

- Access Children's services.
- Schedule and change appointments.
- Reach a physician or department at Children's.

Choa.org

Patient families can use the Children's website to:

- Learn more about our medical services and physicians on our medical staff.
- Find information, including parent resources, hours and directions to specific locations.
- Prepare for visits and overnight stays.
- Request copies of medical records.
- Contact our team with questions about billing and insurance.

MyChart

MyChart gives you, your patients and their legal guardians access to a portion of their Epic medical record. It also enables you and your patients to communicate through a secure online portal or mobile device. With MyChart, your patient families can be more informed, which can lead to improved satisfaction and outcomes. Patient families can:

- View immunization records.
- View lab and other test results and get notifications when most results are received.
- Request prescription refills.
- Communicate with you by sending and receiving secure messages.
- Pay their bill online, view statements and access their payment history.
- Manage appointments and view details of past and upcoming appointments.
- Receive electronic reminders upcoming appointments and tests.



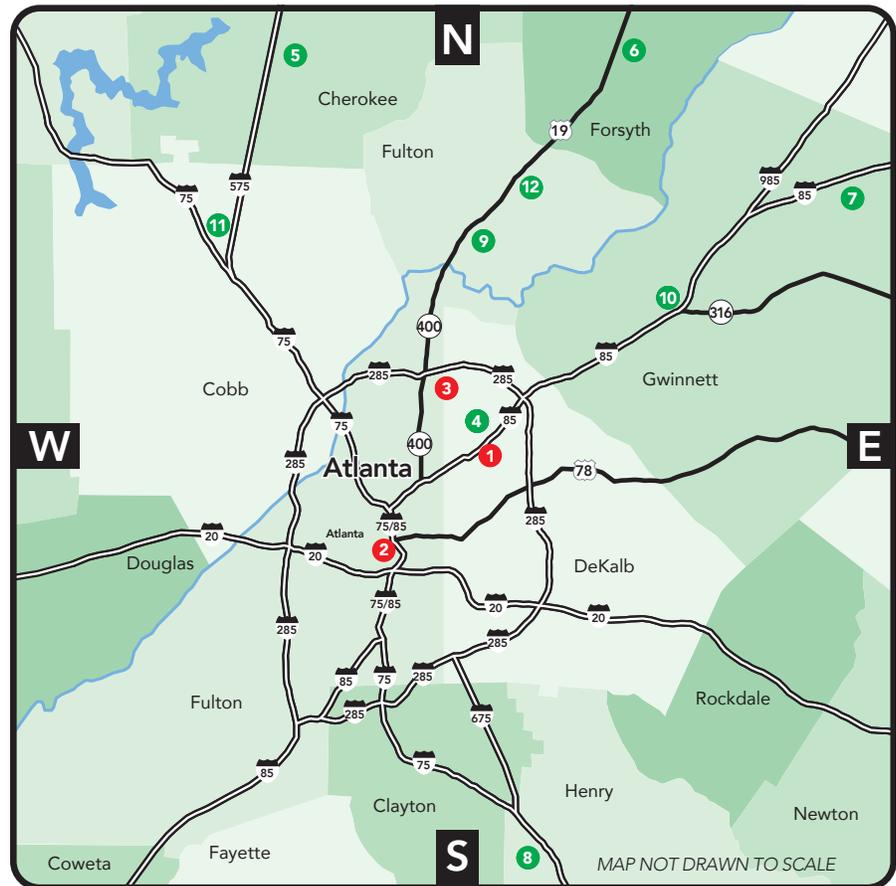
Patient families should visit mychart.choa.org to activate a MyChart account.

Children's locations



Children's offers urgent care, X-ray, lab and emergency services at the following locations:

- 1. Arthur M. Blank Hospital**
 2220 North Druid Hills Road NE
 Atlanta, GA 30329
 Walk-in lab and walk-in X-ray
- 2. Hughes Spalding Hospital**
 35 Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE
 Atlanta, GA 30303
 Walk-in X-ray
- 3. Scottish Rite Hospital**
 1001 Johnson Ferry Road NE
 Atlanta, GA 30342
 Walk-in lab and walk-in X-ray
- 4. Children's at Chamblee-Brookhaven****
In the Parkview on Peachtree shopping center
 5080 Peachtree Blvd., Suite 100
 Chamblee, GA 30341
 Urgent care
- 5. Children's at Cherokee**
In the River Pointe shopping center
 1558 Riverstone Parkway, Suite 100
 Canton, GA 30114
 Urgent care
- 6. Children's at Forsyth****
In The Collection at Forsyth
 410 Peachtree Parkway, Suite 300
 Cumming, GA 30041
 Urgent care, walk-in X-ray*
- 7. Children's at Hamilton Creek**
In the Hamilton Mill Town Center
 2240 Hamilton Creek Parkway,
 Suite 600
 Dacula, GA 30019
 Urgent care
- 8. Children's at Hudson Bridge****
In the Hudson Bridge Crossing shopping center
 1510 Hudson Bridge Road
 Stockbridge, GA 30114
 Urgent care



- 9. Children's at North Point**
 3795 Mansell Road
 Alpharetta, GA 30022
 Urgent care
- 10. Children's at Satellite Boulevard****
 2660 Satellite Blvd.
 Duluth, GA 30096
 Urgent care, walk-in lab* and
 walk-in X-ray*
- 11. Children's at Town Center****
 625 Big Shanty Road NW
 Kennesaw, GA 30144
 Urgent care, walk-in lab* and
 walk-in X-ray*
- 12. Children's at Webb Bridge**
 3155 North Point Parkway,
 Building A, Suite 150
 Alpharetta, GA 30005
 Walk-in lab* and walk-in X-ray*



Visit choa.org/locations for complete map and listing of all locations, hours, directions and services.



404-785-KIDS (5437)

*Departments of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital

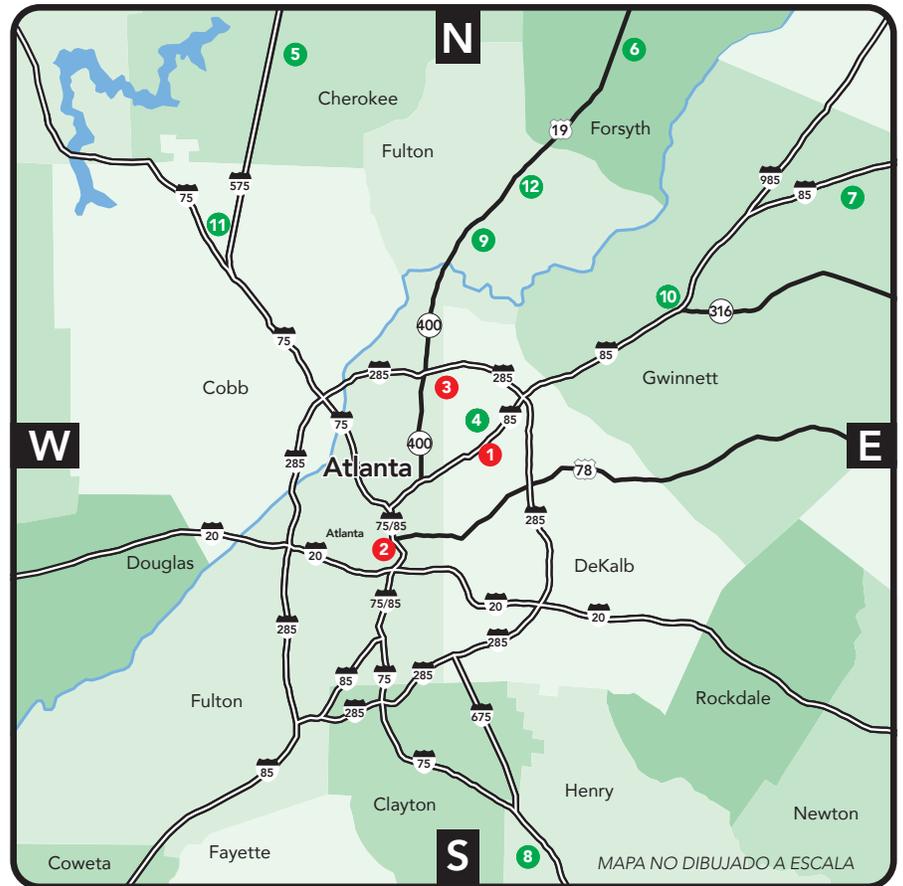
** Urgent Care Center is open on holidays

Children's Healthcare of Atlanta at Hughes Spalding is owned by the Fulton-DeKalb Hospital Authority and managed by HSOC Inc., an affiliate of Children's.

Lugares de atención de Children's

Children's ofrece servicios de atención de urgencias leves, radiología, laboratorio y salas de urgencias en los siguientes lugares:

- 1. Arthur M. Blank Hospital**
2220 North Druid Hills Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30329
Laboratorio y rayos X
- 2. Hughes Spalding Hospital**
35 Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE
Atlanta, GA 30303
Rayos X
- 3. Scottish Rite Hospital**
1001 Johnson Ferry Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30342
Laboratorio y rayos X
- 4. Children's at Chamblee-Brookhaven****
En el centro comercial Parkview en Peachtree
5080 Peachtree Blvd., Suite 100
Chamblee, GA 30341
Atención de urgencias leves
- 5. Children's at Cherokee**
En el centro comercial River Pointe
1558 Riverstone Parkway, Suite 100
Canton, GA 30114
Atención de urgencias leves
- 6. Children's at Forsyth****
En The Collection en Forsyth
410 Peachtree Parkway, Suite 300
Cumming, GA 30041
Atención de urgencias leves, y rayos X*
- 7. Children's at Hamilton Creek**
En el centro comercial Hamilton Mill Town Center
2240 Hamilton Creek Parkway,
Suite 600
Dacula, GA 30019
Atención de urgencias leves
- 8. Children's at Hudson Bridge****
En el centro comercial Hudson Bridge Crossing
1510 Hudson Bridge Road
Stockbridge, GA 30114
Atención de urgencias leves



- 9. Children's at North Point**
3795 Mansell Road
Alpharetta, GA 30022
Atención de urgencias leves
- 10. Children's at Satellite Boulevard****
2660 Satellite Blvd.
Duluth, GA 30096
Atención de urgencias leves,
laboratorio y rayos X*
- 11. Children's at Town Center****
625 Big Shanty Road NW
Kennesaw, GA 30144
Atención de urgencias leves,
laboratorio y rayos X*
- 12. Children's at Webb Bridge**
3155 North Point Parkway,
Building A, Suite 150
Alpharetta, GA 30005
Laboratorio* y rayos X*



Visite choa.org/locations para ver mapas, listados de todos los centros de atención, indicaciones para llegar, horas y servicios completos.



404-785-KIDS (5437)

*Departamentos del of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital

**El Centro de Atención de Urgencias está abierto los días festivos

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Physician resources

As one of the largest pediatric healthcare systems in the country, Children's offers a variety of ways for physicians to reach our staff and clinical services. Visit choa.org/md for more information about these services as well as access to our online forms, clinical practice guidelines and more.

accessCHOA

AccessCHOA is the web-based interface for the Children's electronic health record system. It provides customized notifications about patient events, which can be forwarded to anyone in your practice. In addition, you can use it to:

- Place an order for outpatient diagnostics and rehabilitation.
- Place referrals to Children's Physician Group specialists and specialty clinics.
- View notifications about key patient events, including admissions and discharges, emergency visits, and lab and imaging results.
- Check appointment status and patient scheduling information. AccessCHOA is the primary way your practice will receive patient information. To enhance patient confidentiality, Children's will eventually eliminate faxing patient information to your practice.

Ask your physician liaison or visit accessCHOA.org to register and review educational resources. See the Tools section for a tip sheet about accessCHOA.

404-785-DOCS (3627)

Children's strives to reduce barriers for accessing healthcare services. By using this easy-to-remember phone number, physicians can connect to anyone or any service within our organization.

404-785-DOCS is staffed 24 hours a day, seven days a week by a team of experienced Children's representatives who will promptly answer your call, evaluate your needs, provide the services requested or route you to the appropriate area.

Call **404-785-DOCS (3627)** to:

- Access any Children's service.
- Reach a hospitalized patient, Children's employee or department at Children's.
- Assist in scheduling a patient appointment or ancillary test.
- Refer a patient to a Children's Physician Group practice.
- Speak to a Children's Physician Group provider for collaboration or advice during business hours through our physician-to-physician service.

Transfer Center

The Children's Transfer Center can arrange for the acceptance and admission of your patient with one phone call, 24 hours a day, seven days a week. We can help:

- Coordinate ground or air transportation for your patient.
- Arrange for a bed with the appropriate level of care to be ready upon arrival.
- Initiate registration paperwork, including financial information and pre-certification.

Call **888-785-7778** or **404-785-7778** to reach our Transfer Center.

Scheduling elective admissions:

If you need to schedule an admission to Children's and you do not have attending privileges, the Children's Hospitalist Program can assist you with:

- Telephone consultations.
- Inpatient management services.
- Outpatient diagnostic referrals.
- Specialist referrals.

See the Tools section for our Emergency Department transfer guidelines.

Telehealth

The Telehealth Program at Children's allows our pediatric specialists to provide care remotely to your patients through the use of technology when it is clinically safe and appropriate to do so.

Telehealth uses two-way interactive video over a secure, HIPAA-compliant network. Telehealth visits with Children's can take place in the comfort of a patient's home or at another private location.

Refer your patient for an in-person visit with a Children's pediatric specialist. Our team will determine whether a telehealth visit is appropriate. Patient families may ask their provider if a telehealth appointment is a suitable option for their next visit.

Physician outreach

A physician liaison is your primary contact for questions, concerns and issues. Physician liaisons help with:

- Barriers to access.
- In-services.
- Order forms or materials.

To learn more visit choa.org/outreach.

Meet our liaisons

Blair Boone, Physician Liaison

Regions: Atlanta, Clayton, Henry, North DeKalb, Rockdale
blair.boone@choa.org or 404-718-9426

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stephanie.lunsford@choa.org or 404-713-6487

Katie Smith, Physician Liaison

Regions: Barrow, East DeKalb, Gwinnett, Walton
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Brittney Stephens, Physician Liaison

Regions: Cobb, Douglas
brittney.stephens@choa.org or 404-713-5871

The Children's Care Network (TCCN)

The Children's Care Network (TCCN) is a clinically integrated partnership between Children's and community physicians designed to help facilitate better health outcomes for our patient population. The collaborative system also offers group purchasing power, cost savings and technical resources.

To find out more about our clinically integrated network, email contact@tccn-choa.org, call **404-785-7935** or visit tccn-choa.org.

Children's Physician Group

About us

Children's Physician Group is one of the largest multispecialty pediatric physician practices in the Southeast. With convenient locations at our three hospitals and multiple neighborhood locations in Atlanta and surrounding communities, our pediatric-trained doctors and surgeons represent the following specialties.

Pediatric specialties

- Allergy and immunology
- Anesthesia
- Apnea
- Cardiothoracic surgery
- Child advocacy
- Critical care
- Cystic fibrosis (CF)
- Dentistry and orthodontics
- Emergency medicine
- Endocrinology
- Gastroenterology
- General surgery
- Gynecology
- Hematology/oncology
- Hepatology
- Hospitalists
- Infectious diseases
- Interventional radiology
- Neonatology
- Nephrology
- Neurology
- Neuropsychology
- Neurosurgery
- Nutrition
- Orthopaedics and sports medicine
- Otolaryngology
- Pathology
- Physiatry
- Plastic surgery and craniofacial
- Pulmonology
- Radiology
- Rheumatology
- Sedation services
- Sleep
- Transplant

Multispecialty clinics

Children's Physician Group providers also participate in several multispecialty clinics, including:

- 22q Deletion
- Aerodigestive
- Brachial Plexus
- Cerebral Palsy
- Cerebrovascular Disorders
- Chronic Kidney Disease
- Chronic Pain
- Concussion
- Craniofacial Feeding
- Craniofacial Speech
- Developmental Neurology
- Developmental Progress
- Differences of Sex Development
- Epilepsy/Ketogenic Diet
- Genetics
- Hypertension
- Infantile Spasms
- Leukodystrophy
- Medically Complex
- Muscular Dystrophy
- Neuro Metabolic
- Neuro Spine
- Neurofibromatosis
- Neurogastroenterology and Motility
- Neuromuscular
- New-Onset Seizure
- Osteogenesis Imperfecta
- Pelvic and Anorectal
- Spasticity
- Spina Bifida
- Strong4Life
- Technology Dependent
- Tuberous Sclerosis
- Vagus Nerve Stimulation
- Vascular Anomalies

Visit choa.org/cpg for additional information about our specialties and clinics.

Physician-to-physician service

Physician-to-physician is a service offered through **404-785-DOCS (3627)**. The goal of this service is to provide you with improved access to Children's Physician Group practices during business hours. A designated provider for participating Children's Physician Group practices is available Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., excluding holidays, to respond to your non-urgent clinical inquiry.

Physician-to-physician consultations should be requested when you need to speak with a subspecialist for advice about a patient. It should not be used for questions that do not require a subspecialist physician, such as lab results or appointment scheduling.

Enhancements

To improve your experience with our physician-to-physician service and better meet your needs, we have made the following enhancements:

- **Non-urgent, established patients:** Our turnaround time has been designated to 24 hours.
- **Urgent, established or non-established patients:** Our turnaround time has been designated to 60 minutes. In more than 60% of cases, you will be connected directly with a subspecialist.
- **Escalation:** If you do not receive a call back in the designated time frame, call 404-785-DOCS (3627) and your call will be escalated to practice leadership.

Refer a patient

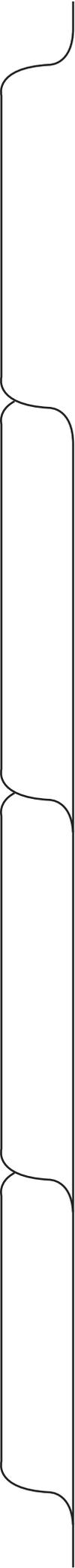
At Children's, we want to make it easy for you to submit a referral to our pediatric specialty practices.

To refer a patient, use one of the following methods:

- **accessCHOA:** AccessCHOA is a free, secure, web-based electronic health record system that provides physicians the ability to electronically submit referrals to Children's Physician Group specialists. It also provides instant access to your patients' information, customized notifications about patient events, and the ability to view the referral status and results.
- **choa.org/referral:** Visit the Children's website for access to the Children's Physician Group online referral form. Upload relevant clinical documents, patient demographics and imaging/diagnostic tests with the click of a button.
- **Fax:** See the Forms section for a hard copy of the Children's Physician Group referral form. Completed forms may be faxed to **404-785-9111**.

See the Contact information section for a listing of Children's Physician Group ambulatory specialties, physicians and locations.

Contact information



Clinical service areas

Physicians: [404-785-DOCS \(3627\)](tel:404-785-DOCS)

Parent/guardian: [404-785-KIDS \(5437\)](tel:404-785-KIDS)

Transfer Center: [888-785-7778](tel:888-785-7778) or [404-785-7778](tel:404-785-7778)

Website: choa.org/md

The following is an alphabetical listing of Children’s Healthcare of Atlanta programs and services as well as Children’s Physician Group ambulatory practices and physicians.

| | | | |
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| ADOLESCENT MEDICINE | |  404-785-9850 |  404-785-9726 |
| <p>Hughes Spalding Hospital (Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri) 35 Jessie Hill Jr. Drive SE Atlanta, GA 30303</p> | | | |
| AFTER-HOURS CLINIC | |  404-785-9850 |  404-785-9231 |
| <p>Hughes Spalding Hospital 35 Jessie Hill Jr. Drive SE Atlanta, GA 30303</p> | | | |
| ALLERGY AND IMMUNOLOGY | |  404-785-DOCS (3627) |  404-785-9111 |
| <p>Center for Advanced Pediatrics (Mon-Fri) 2174 North Druid Hills Road NE, Fifth Floor Atlanta, GA 30329 <i>All physicians</i></p> | | <p>Hughes Spalding Hospital (Mon) 35 Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE Atlanta, GA 30303 404-785-9850 <i>Dr. Rathkopf</i></p> | |

Physicians:



Cullen Dutmer, MD
 Medical Director, Immunology
 Associate Professor, Emory University School of Medicine
Interests: primary immunodeficiency diseases



Idil Ezhuthachan, MD
 Associate Professor, Emory University School of Medicine



Santhosh Kumar, MD, FAAAAI, FAAAAI
Interests: eosinophilic disorder, drug allergy, food allergy



Gerald Lee, MD
 Assistant Professor, Emory University School of Medicine
Interests: asthma, drug allergies, eczema, food allergies, hives



Melinda Rathkopf, MD
 Assistant Professor, Emory University School of Medicine
Interests: immune deficiencies, mast cell disorders, food allergies



Brian Vickery, MD
 Division Chief, Allergy and Immunology
 Director, Food Allergy Program
 Associate Professor, Emory University School of Medicine
Interests: asthma, atopic dermatitis, eosinophilic disease, food allergies, general allergy and immunology

Psychologist:



Tanya Auguste-Jones, PsyD
 Assistant Professor, Emory University School of Medicine

APNEA  **404-785-DOCS (3627)**  **404-785-9111**

Center for Advanced Pediatrics
2174 North Druid Hills Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30329
All physicians

Physicians:



Ajay Kasi, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine



Samar Shah, MD
Medical Director, Apnea
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine



Dawn Simon, MD
Division Chief,
Pulmonology, Asthma,
Cystic Fibrosis and Sleep
Medical Director,
Aerodigestive Center
Associate Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

AUDIOLOGY  **404-785-7100**  **404-785-7113**

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| <p>Arthur M. Blank Hospital 2220 North Druid Hills Road NE Atlanta, GA 30329</p> <p>Scottish Rite Hospital 1001 Johnson Ferry Road NE Atlanta, GA 30342</p> | <p>Children’s at North Druid Hills* 1605 Chantilly Drive NE Atlanta, GA 30324</p> <p>Children’s at Town Center Outpatient Care Center* 605 Big Shanty Road NW Kennesaw, GA 30144</p> <p>Medical Office Building at Scottish Rite Hospital* 5461 Meridian Mark Road NE Atlanta, GA 30342</p> <p><i>*A department of Children’s at Scottish Rite Hospital</i></p> |
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AUTISM AND RELATED DISORDERS  **404-785-9400**  **404-785-9067**

Marcus Autism Center
1920 Briarcliff Road
Atlanta, GA 30329

- Multidisciplinary Feeding Program
- Clinical assessment and diagnostics
- Skill Acquisition Program
- Psychiatry and developmental pediatrics
- Complex Behavior Support Program

Marcus Autism Center requires a provider referral for all new patients. To submit a referral, visit marcus.org/appointment and navigate to the “For Providers” section.

BEHAVIORAL AND MENTAL HEALTH

Children's at Chantilly Drive

1605 Chantilly Drive
Atlanta, GA 30329

Zalisk Behavioral and Mental Health Center

1777 Northeast Expressway
Atlanta, GA 30329

At this time, appointments are available via internal referrals only. We offer in-person and telehealth services.

Behavioral and Mental Health Provider Advice Line

Monday through Friday

9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Phone: 404-785-3922

This is a nonemergency phone service for providers seeking advice on behavioral and mental health issues affecting children and adolescents. Leave a message on this line and we will call you back to discuss de-identified behavioral and mental health-related patient care questions. This is also an opportunity to speak with pediatric specialists about medication management and receive advice.

CARDIAC

Heart Center



800-542-2233 or 404-256-2593

Arthur M. Blank Hospital

2220 North Druid Hills Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30329

Heart programs and clinics:

- Aorta and Vascular Program
- Arrhythmia Program
- Cardiomyopathy Program
- Cardiothoracic Surgery Program
- Fetal Cardiology Program
- Heart Transplant Program
- Preventive Cardiology Program
- Project S.A.V.E.
- Pulmonary Hypertension Program
- Pulmonary Artery Reconstruction Program
- Pulmonary Hypertension Program
- Pulmonary Vein Stenosis (PVS) Program
- Single Ventricle Program
- Transcatheter Closure of Patent Ductus Arteriosus (PDA) in Infants Program
- Ventricular Assist Device (VAD) Program

Cardiology



800-542-2233 or 404-256-2593

Center for Advanced Pediatrics

2174 North Druid Hills Road NE, Sixth Floor
Atlanta, GA 30329

Medical Office Building at Scottish Rite Hospital

5461 Meridian Mark Road NE, Suite 530
Atlanta, GA 30342

Albany

2709 Meredyth Drive, Suite 250
Albany, GA 31707

Alpharetta

3300 Old Milton Parkway, Suite 100
Alpharetta, GA 30005

Athens

1000 Hawthorne Ave., Suite S
Athens, GA 30606

Canton

134 Riverstone Terrace, Suite 202
Canton, GA 30114

Columbus

705 17th St., Suite 406
Columbus, GA 31901

Cumming

1505 Northside Blvd., Suite 2600
Cumming, GA 30041

Dacula

2108 Teron Trace, Suite 200
Dacula, GA 30019

Dalton

1504 North Thornton Ave., Suite 105
Dalton, GA 30720

Gainesville

200 South Enota Drive NE, Suite 400
Gainesville, GA 30501

Johns Creek

3890 Johns Creek Parkway, Suite 240
Suwanee, GA 30024

Lawrenceville

771 Old Norcross Road, Suite 110
Lawrenceville, GA 30046

Macon

1062 Forsyth St., Suite 3A
Macon, GA 31201

Marietta

355 Tower Road, Suite 204
Marietta, GA 30060

Newnan

60 Oak Hill Blvd., Suite 102
Newnan, GA 30265

Oconee

1000 Cowles Clinic Way, Suite CY-300
Greensboro, GA 30642

Rockdale

2135 Eastview Parkway, Suite 300
Conyers, GA 30013

Stockbridge

202 Village Center Parkway
Stockbridge, GA 30281

Thomasville

Archbold Specialty Clinic
210 Hansell Street
Thomasville, GA 31792

Valdosta

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Arthur M. Blank Hospital (Mon, Tue, Wed, Fri)

2220 North Druid Hills Road NE
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Physicians:



Paul Chai, MD

Chief, Cardiothoracic Surgery
Co-Chief, Heart Center
Associate Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

Interests: congenital heart disease, heart transplant, pediatric mechanical support systems



Joshua Rosenblum, MD, PhD

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

Interests: neonatal, pediatric and adult congenital cardiac surgery, connective tissue disease, heart transplant, mechanical support



Subhadra Shashidharan, MD

Associate Chief,
Cardiothoracic Surgery
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

Interests: neonatal cardiac surgery, heart transplant, thoracic surgery



Mohan John, MD

Assistant Professor
of Surgery,
Emory University School
of Medicine

Interests: pediatric and adult congenital heart disease, pediatric mechanical circulatory support, pediatric heart transplantation

CHILD ADVOCACY

Stephanie V. Blank Center for Safe and Healthy Children

Hughes Spalding Hospital (Mon-Fri)

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Physicians:

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Stephen Messner, MD, FAAP

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Emmanuel Pena, DO

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Matthew Hazen, MD
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Pediatric Cystic Fibrosis
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LaTresa Lang, MD



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Co-Director, Pediatric
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of Medicine



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Haitham Shahrour, MD

ENDOCRINOLOGY

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Center for Advanced Pediatrics (Mon-Fri)

2174 North Druid Hills Road NE, Third Floor
Atlanta, GA 30329

*Clinics: bone, diabetes, endocrinology, lipid,
Turner syndrome*

Children's at Forsyth (2nd and 4th Thu)

In The Collection at Forsyth
410 Peachtree Parkway, Suite 300
Cumming, GA 30041

Children's at Meridian Mark (Mon-Fri)

5445 Meridian Mark Road, Suite 420
Atlanta, GA 30342

Clinic: endocrinology

Children's at North Point (Thu, Fri)

3795 Mansell Road
Alpharetta, GA 30022

Children's at Satellite Boulevard (Wed, Thu, Fri)

2660 Satellite Blvd.
Duluth, GA 30096

Children's at Town Center Outpatient Care Center (Tue, Wed, Fri)

605 Big Shanty Road NW
Kennesaw, GA 30144

Physicians:



Shruthi Arora, MD
Associate Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
*Interests: thyroid cancer
and thyroid nodules,
diabetes technology,
diabetes, general
endocrinology*



Brooke Anderson, MD



Constance Baldwin, MD

ENDOCRINOLOGY (CONTINUED)



Erika Choi, DO

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine



Sobenna George, MD

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine



Joey Low, MD

Interests: diabetes,
obesity, endocrine
conditions



Kristina Cossen, MD

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

Interests: thyroid nodules,
diabetes, diabetes
technology, general
endocrine conditions



Marjorie Golekoh, MD



Presley Nichols, MD

Interests: diabetes,
differences in sexual
differentiation, puberty-
related conditions



Tanicia Daley, MD

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

Interests: cystic fibrosis,
endocrine conditions



Pranav Gupta, MD

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
Medicine

Interests: reproductive
endocrinology,
differences of sexual
development and
variations in puberty,
thyroid and adrenal
disorders, diabetes



Briana Patterson, MD

Associate Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

Interests: adrenal
insufficiency, cancer
late effects, disorders
of sexual development,
neuroendocrinology



Mary Douthit, MD

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine



Shuai Hao, MD

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
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**Mark Rappaport, MD,
PhD**



Doris Fadoju, MD

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

Interests: obesity, puberty,
Turner Syndrome



Daniel Hsia, MD



Lauren Roach, MD



Hiba Fadoul, MD



Noreen Islam, MD

Interests: metabolic bone
disease



Rajeev Thirunagari, MD



Eric Felner, MD

Professor, Emory
University School
of Medicine

Diabetes Education Program

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Scottish Rite Hospital
1001 Johnson Ferry Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30342
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Arthur M. Blank Hospital

2220 North Druid Hills Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30329

Services: ERCP, procedures, transnasal endoscopy
Clinic: intestinal rehab, liver transplant

Center for Advanced Pediatrics (Mon-Fri)

2174 North Druid Hills Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30329

Clinics: aerodigestive, eosinophilic esophagitis (EoE), general GI, hepatology, IBD, feeding, pancreas

Drs. Amevor, Black, Bloom, Chatman, Cohen, Friedlander, Gupta, Kugathasan, Lee, Lopez, Odiase, Oh, McKay, McElhanon, Niklinska-Schirtz, Rajendra, Romero, Rudra, Sauer, Shenoy, Stevens, Temtem

**Children's at North Point
(Mon, Wed, Fri)**

3795 Mansell Road
Alpharetta, GA 30022

Clinics: general GI
Drs. Bloom, Oh, Shenoy, Stevens

Children's at Satellite Boulevard (Thu)

2660 Satellite Blvd.
Duluth, GA 30096

Clinics: General GI, fatty liver
Dr. Chatman

**Children's at Town Center Outpatient
Care Center (Mon, Wed, Thu, Fri)**

605 Big Shanty Road NW, Second Floor
Kennesaw, GA 30144

Clinic: general GI
Drs. Lopez, McKay, Niklinska-Schirtz

**Children's Medical Office Building
at Scottish Rite (Mon-Fri)**

5461 Meridian Mark Road NE,
2nd Floor
Atlanta, GA 30342

Clinics: general GI
Drs. Amevor, Cohen, Lopez,
Rajendra, Rudra, Temtem

Marcus Autism Center (Wed)

1920 Briarcliff Road
Atlanta, GA 30329

Clinics: general GI, autism research
Dr. McElhanon

Physicians:



Adjowa Amevor, MD

Medical Director,
Intestinal Rehabilitation
Program
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: general GI,
intestinal rehabilitation



Joel Friedlander, DO

Professor, Emory
University School of
Medicine
Interests: IBD,
reflux, esophagitis,
aerodigestive disorders,
failure to thrive,
endoscopy



Chrissy Lopez, MD

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: liver disease
hepatology, GI



Katherine Black, MD

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Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: general GI



**Nitika Gupta, MD, DCH,
DNB, MRCPC**

Clinical Director of
Hepatology; Medical
Director, Liver Transplant
Program
Professor, Emory University
School of Medicine
Interests: liver disease,
transplant hepatology



Barbara McElhanon, MD

Medical Director,
Feeding Program,
Marcus Autism Center
Associate Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: GI issues,
feeding, aerodigestive
disorders, autism
spectrum disorder



Lauren Bloom, MD

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: GI, celiac disease



Subra Kugathasan, MD

Scientific Director, IBD
Marcus Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interest: IBD



Shaunte McKay, MD

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: general GI



Kelsey Chatman, MD

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine



David Lee, MD

Starts in August 2026
Interests: general GI, liver
disease



**Joanna Niklinska-
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Medical Director,
ImproveCareNow
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: IBD, nutrition,
celiac disease



Reuven Cohen, MD

Medical Director,
Advanced Pancreatic
Care Program
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: pancreatic
disorders, liver disease, GI

GASTROENTEROLOGY AND HEPATOLOGY (CONTINUED)



Elaine Odiase, MD
 Medical Director,
 Advanced and General
 Endoscopy
 Co-Medical Director, ERCP
 Clinical Director, Trans-
 nasal Endoscopy
 Assistant Professor,
 Emory University School
 of Medicine
Interests: interventional
 and advanced endoscopy,
 pancreatic disorders



Teresa Oh, MD
 Assistant Professor,
 Emory University School
 of Medicine
Interests: general GI,
 eosinophilic disorders



Chat Rajen, MD
 Director, Endoscopy
 Associate Professor,
 Emory University School
 of Medicine
Interest: general GI, IBD,
 polyposis



Rene Romero, MD
 System Medical Director,
 Solid Organ Transplant
 Professor, Emory
 University School of
 Medicine
Interests: liver disease,
 transplant hepatology



Sharmistha Rudra, MD
 Assistant Professor,
 Emory University School
 of Medicine
Interests: eosinophilic
 disorders, GI, IBD



Cary Sauer, MD, MSc
 Division Chief,
 Gastroenterology,
 Hepatology and Nutrition
 Professor, Emory
 University School of
 Medicine
Interests: IBD, endoscopy



Vivek Shenoy, MD
 Assistant Professor,
 Emory University School
 of Medicine
Interests: general GI,
 cystic fibrosis, gut brain
 interaction



James Stevens, MD
 Assistant Professor,
 Emory University School
 of Medicine
Interests: liver disease,
 transplant hepatology, GI



Tsega Temtem, MD
 Assistant Professor,
 Emory University School
 of Medicine
Interests: swallowing
 disorders, aerodigestive
 medicine



**Field Willingham, MD,
 MPH, FASGE**
 Co-Director, ERCP
 Associate Professor,
 Emory University School
 of Medicine
Interests: interventional
 and advanced endoscopy

Psychologists:



Courtney Breiner, PhD
 Pediatric Psychologist,
 Gastroenterology
 Assistant Professor,
 Emory University School
 of Medicine



Jessica Buzenski, PhD
 Pediatric Psychologist,
 Gastroenterology
 Associate Professor,
 Emory University School
 of Medicine



**Bonney Reed, PhD,
 ABPP**
 Pediatric Psychologist,
 Gastroenterology
 Clinical Director,
 Psychology

GENERAL SURGERY



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 Fayetteville, GA 30214
Dr. Bhatia

**Children's at Satellite Boulevard
 (1st and 3rd Wed, 2nd Fri)**
 2660 Satellite Blvd.
 Duluth, GA 30096
Drs. Linden, Bhatia

**Children's at Town Center
 Outpatient Care Center
 (3rd Mon, 4th Thu)**
 605 Big Shanty Road NW
 Kennesaw, GA 30144
Drs. Meisel, Santore

**Medical Office Building at
 Scottish Rite Hospital (Mon-Fri)**
 5461 Meridian Mark Road NE
 Suite 570
 Atlanta, GA 30342

Athens (2nd and 4th Wed)
 1000 Hawthorne Ave., Suite S
 Athens, GA 30606
Drs. Carney, Clifton

Columbus (2nd and 3rd Wed)
 705 17th St., Suite 406
 Columbus, GA 31901
Dr. Chahine

GENERAL SURGERY (CONTINUED)

Surgeons:



Hanna Alemayehu, MD
Associate Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine



Ross Beckman, MD
Interests: neonatal
surgery, minimally
invasive surgery, chest
wall abnormalities,
surgical oncology, ECMO



**Amina Bhatia, MD, MS,
FACS, FAAP**
Interests: Hirschsprung
disease, minimally invasive
surgery, neonatal surgery
and prenatal consults,
patent ductus ligation,
pectus repair, thoracic and
trauma surgery



David Carney, MD
Medical Director, Trauma,
Scottish Rite Hospital
Professor, Emory University
School of Medicine
Interests: minimally
invasive surgery, surgical
oncology, neonatal
surgery, gastrointestinal
surgery, hepatobiliary
surgery



**A. Alfred Chahine, MD,
FACS, FAAP**
Associate Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine



**Matthew Clifton, MD,
FACS, FAAP**
Division Chief,
General Surgery
Associate Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: hepatobiliary
surgery, minimally
invasive surgery, prenatal
consultation and
newborn surgery,
surgical oncology



Melissa Danko, MD
Associate Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: solid tumors,
thyroid disorders,
minimally invasive
surgery, congenital
anomalies, hepatobiliary
and pancreatic disorders



Megan Durham, MD, FACS
Practice Director,
Children's Physician
Group—Pediatric Surgery
Medical Director, Pelvic
and Anorectal Care
Surgical Director,
Intestinal Rehab
Associate Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: congenital
anomalies, noncardiac
thoracic surgery and
neonatal surgery,
intestinal failure,
anorectal malformations,
Hirschsprung disease,
surgical oncology



Anthony Ferrantella, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine



Allison Linden, MD
Medical Director, NICU
and PICU
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: neonatal
surgery, minimally
invasive surgery, surgical
critical care, ECMO,
global surgery



**Jonathan Meisel, MD,
FACS, FAAP**
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: colorectal
surgery, surgical
oncology, pectus
excavatum, IBD,
congenital anomalies,
minimally invasive
surgery, neonatal surgery,
prenatal consults



Rodrigo Mon, MD
Interests: neonatal
surgery, fetal surgery



Numa Perez, Jr, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine



**Matthew Santore, MD,
FACS, FAAP**
Medical Director, Surgical
Quality
Surgical Director
Associate Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: ECMO,
minimally invasive
surgery and single-site
laparoscopic surgery,
neonatal surgery,
prenatal consults,
endocrine surgery,
thyroid surgery, surgical
oncology, trauma surgery,
thoracic surgery, IBD,
cystic lung disease



Heather Short, MD
Interests: minimally
invasive surgery, neonatal
surgery, colorectal
surgery



Justin Sobrino, MD
Medical Director, Trauma,
Arthur M. Blank Hospital
Interests: surgical critical
care



Mark Wulkan, MD
Professor, Emory University
School of Medicine
Interests: minimally
invasive surgery, neonatal
surgery

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Physicians:



Andrew Lupo, MD

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School of Medicine
Interests: contraception, minimally invasive surgery



Nancy Sökkary, MD

Division Chief, Gynecology
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School of Medicine
Interests: abnormal menses and puberty, complex contraception, ovarian masses, pre-pubertal vaginitis

HEMATOLOGY/ONCOLOGY

Aflac Cancer and Blood Disorders Center  **404-785-1200**

 **404-943-8142**

Arthur M. Blank Hospital

2220 North Druid Hills Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30329

Inpatient and outpatient: cancer, blood disorders, blood and marrow transplant (BMT), infusion services

Hughes Spalding Hospital

35 Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE, Second Floor
Atlanta, GA 30303

404-785-9850

Outpatient: blood disorders, transfusion services

Columbus (4th and 5th Wed)

705 17th St., Suite 406
Columbus, GA 31901

Outpatient: sickle cell disease

BMT physicians:



Andrea Bauchat, DO

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School of Medicine



Ann Haight, MD

Associate Professor,
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Muna Qayed, MD, MSCR

Section Chief, BMT
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Assistant Professor,
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Wayne Liang, MD

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Elizabeth Stenger, MD

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Taylor Fitch, MD

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Esther Obeng, MD



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Suhag Parikh, MD

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Bone marrow failure physician:



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Cancer precision medicine physicians:



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Assistant Professor, Emory University School of Medicine



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Program Director, Leukemia and Lymphoma
Associate Professor, Emory University School of Medicine



Jason Fangusaro, MD
Program Director, Developmental Therapeutics
Associate Professor, Emory University School of Medicine



Kelly Goldsmith, MD
Clinical Director, Precision Medicine Program
Associate Professor, Emory University School of Medicine



Douglas Graham, MD, PhD
Chief, Aflac Cancer and Blood Disorders Center
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Tobey MacDonald, MD
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Medical Director, Oncology
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Christopher Porter, MD
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Ryan Summers, MD
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Medical Director, Leukemia and Lymphoma
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Section Chief, Oncology
Co-Director, Fellowship Program
Professor, Emory University School of Medicine

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Christopher Porter, MD
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Associate Professor, Emory University School of Medicine

Cancer survivorship physicians:



Karen Effinger, MD, MS
Clinical Operations Director, Cancer Survivorship
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Sanyukta Janardan, MD
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Professor, Emory University School of Medicine



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HEMATOLOGY/ONCOLOGY (CONTINUED)



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Assistant Professor,
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Medical Director,
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Karen Zimowski, MD
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Immune dysregulation physicians:



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Clinical Director, Immune
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HEMATOLOGY/ONCOLOGY (CONTINUED)

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Christopher Porter, MD
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Sickle cell disease physicians:



Staci Arnold, MD, MBA, MPH
Associate Professor,
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HEMATOLOGY/ONCOLOGY (CONTINUED)



Pauline Balkaransingh, MD

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Solid tumor physicians:



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Sarah Mitchell, MD

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Emory University School
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Claire Stokes, MD

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Kathryn Sutton, MD

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Palliative care physicians:



Katharine Brock, MD, MS

Director, Supportive
Care Clinic
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine



Jonathan Ebelhar, MD

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

Infection defense physician:



Pratik Patel, MD

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Emory University School
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Center for Advanced Pediatrics (Mon-Thu)

2174 North Druid Hills Road NE, Second Floor
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*Clinics: general infectious diseases, general vaccine clinic
(1st, 2nd and 4th Mon)*, cCMV clinic (3rd Mon)*

Drs. Amin, Fireizen, Fonseca, Fox, Goggin, Jaggi, Linam, Nguyen, Shane

* The vaccine clinic provides revaccination for children following a transplant or treatment that suppresses the immune system.

Physicians:**Omayma Amin, MD, MBBS**

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

**Jairo Fonseca, MD**

Instructor, Emory
University School of
Medicine

**Matthew Linam, MD, MS**

Medical Director,
Outcomes and Analytics
Associate Professor,
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of Medicine

**Frank Berkowitz, MBBCh, MPH**

Professor, Emory
University School of
Medicine

**Thomas Fox, MD**

Medical Director,
Children's Physician Group
Assistant Professor, Emory
University School of
Medicine

**Latania Logan, MD**

Professor, Emory
University School
of Medicine

**Andres Camacho-Gonzales, MD**

Associate Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

**Madeleine Goldstein, DO**

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

*Interests: general
pediatric infectious
diseases, HIV,
intersectional stigma*

**Suong Nguyen, MD, PhD**

Assistant Professor, Emory
University School of
Medicine

**Ann Chahroudi, MD, PhD**

Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

**Kathryn Goggin, MD**

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

*Interests: infections in
immunocompromised
children, transplant
infectious diseases, long-
term effects of sepsis and
zoonotic infections*

**Pratik Patel, MD**

Assistant Professor, Emory
University School of
Medicine

*Interests: infections in
immunocompromised
children, leukemia and
lymphoma*

**Collin Dubick, MD**

Starts in July 2026

**Lisa Cranmer, MD, MPH**

Associate Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

**Preeti Jaggi, MD**

Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

**Christina Rostad, MD**

Associate Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

**Yaron Fireizen, MD**

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

*Interests: respiratory
infections, tracheostomy,
ventilator dependence*

**Satoshi Kamidani, MD**

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

*Interests: immunizations,
vaccine safety and
hesitancy*

**Andrea Shane, MD, MPH, MSc**

Marcus Professor,
Epidemiology
Division Chief,
Infectious Diseases
Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

*Interests: infection
prevention, improving
efficacy of immunizations,
prevention of enteric (GI)
infections*

INTERVENTIONAL RADIOLOGY **404-785-DOCS (3627)** **404-785-9111**

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Scottish Rite Hospital
1001 Johnson Ferry Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30342

Physicians:

Anne Gill, MD
Associate Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine



Michael Leshen, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine



Jay Shah, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine



C. Matthew Hawkins, MD
Director, Pediatric
Interventional Radiology
Medical Director, Vascular
Anomalies Clinic
Associate Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

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Arthur M. Blank Hospital
2220 North Druid Hills Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30329
Outpatient collection: Mon-Fri, 6 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.
By appointment only: Sun, 7 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., call by 5 p.m. on
Friday to schedule

 **404-785-0136** **404-785-6258**
(outpatient collection)

Scottish Rite Hospital
1001 Johnson Ferry Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30342
Outpatient collection: Mon-Fri, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

 **404-785-2039** **404-785-5276**
(outpatient collection)

Center for Advanced Pediatrics
2174 North Druid Hills Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30339
Outpatient collection: Mon-Fri, 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., closed holidays
A department of Arthur M. Blank Hospital

 **404-785-7385** **404-785-5579**

Children's at Satellite Boulevard
2660 Satellite Blvd.
Duluth, GA 30096
Outpatient collection: Mon-Fri, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., Sat. 9 a.m.
to 2 p.m., closed holidays

 **404-785-8465** **404-785-8642**

Children's at Town Center
625 Big Shanty Road NW
Kennesaw, GA 30144
Outpatient collection: Mon-Fri, 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. (last patient
accepted at 6:30 p.m.), every other Sat, 7 a.m. to 2 p.m.,
closed holidays

 **404-785-9738** **404-785-9774**

Pertussis swabs and catheterized urine collections for Children's-ordered cultures only. Collections can be performed by nursing at this location on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays between 1 p.m. and 4 p.m.

Children's at Webb Bridge
3155 North Point Parkway, Building A
Alpharetta, GA 30005
Outpatient collection: Mon-Fri, 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. (last patient
accepted at 6:30 p.m.), Sat, 7 a.m. to 2 p.m., closed holidays

 **404-785-8154** **404-785-8468**

Pertussis swabs and catheterized urine collections for Children's-ordered cultures only. Collections can be performed by nursing at this location on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays between 1 p.m. and 4 p.m.

NEONATOLOGY

Developmental Progress

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Center for Advanced Pediatrics (Mon, Tue, Wed)

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Hughes Spalding Hospital (Thu)

49 Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE
Atlanta, GA 30303

404-785-9850

Marcus Autism Center (Fri)

1920 Briarcliff Road
Atlanta, GA 30329

This clinic provides neurodevelopmental follow-up evaluations for NICU graduates who are identified as being at an increased risk for long-term developmental problems due to preterm birth or complex medical conditions. Services are provided to children up to age 5.

Physicians:



Salathiel Kendrick-Allwood, MD
Associate Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine



Jocelyn Ou, MD
Assistant Professor,
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Psychologist:

Amy Sanders, PsyD
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**Nathalie Maitre, MD,
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Professor, Emory
University School of
Medicine



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Emory University School
of Medicine



Mary Lauren Neel, MD
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Lindsay Sternad, MD, MPH
Assistant Professor,
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of Medicine

NEPHROLOGY

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Arthur M. Blank Hospital

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*Clinics: chronic kidney disease, kidney
transplant*

Services: inpatient and outpatient dialysis

Center for Advanced Pediatrics (Mon-Fri)

2174 North Druid Hills Road NE, Second Floor
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Clinics: general nephrology, hypertension

All physicians

Children's at North Point

3795 Mansell Road
Alpharetta, GA 30022

*Clinics: general nephrology,
hypertension*

Drs. Annaim, Shin

Children's at Satellite Boulevard

2660 Satellite Blvd.
Duluth, GA 30096

*Clinics: general nephrology,
hypertension*

Drs. Humphrey, Londeree, Solis Zavala

Children's at Town Center Outpatient Care Center

605 Big Shanty Road NW
Kennesaw, GA 30144

*Clinics: general nephrology,
hypertension*

*Drs. Chinnadurai, George,
Kennedy, Simms*

Physicians:



Ali Annaim, MD, MPH
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine



Amirtha Chinnadurai, MD
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Emory University School
of Medicine



Rouba Garro, MD
Medical Director, Kidney
Transplant
Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
*Interests: general
nephrology, kidney
transplant*



Roshan George, MD
 Division Chief, Nephrology
 Professor, Emory University School of Medicine
Interests: general nephrology, kidney transplant



Sabina Kennedy, MD
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 Associate Professor, Emory University School of Medicine
Interests: general nephrology, chronic kidney disease, dialysis



K'Joy Simms, MD
 Assistant Professor, Emory University School of Medicine



Larry Greenbaum, MD, PhD
 Director, Children's Physician Group
 Marcus Professor, Emory University School of Medicine
Interests: atypical HUS, cystinosis, nephrotic syndrome



Jackson Londeree, DO
 Assistant Professor, Emory University School of Medicine
Interests: nephrotic syndrome, kidney transplant and immunosuppression, dialysis, medical education



Ana Solis Zavala, MD
 Assistant Professor, Emory University School of Medicine



Jacob Humphrey, MD
 Assistant Professor, Emory University School of Medicine



H. Stella Shin, MD
 Medical Director, General Nephrology
 Medical Director, Acute Kidney Replacement Therapy
 Associate Professor, Emory University School of Medicine
Interests: acute kidney injury, chronic kidney disease, dialysis



Chia-shi Wang, MD
 Associate Professor, Emory University School of Medicine
Interests: general nephrology, nephrotic syndrome



Stephanie Jernigan, MD
 Campus Medical Director, Arthur M. Blank Hospital
 Professor, Emory University School of Medicine
Interests: pediatric kidney disease, dialysis

NEUROLOGY

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Hughes Spalding Hospital (Wed)
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Drs. Albor, Forte, Hallman-Cooper, Holt, Wolf

Children's at Forsyth (1st, 3rd and 5th Thu)
 In The Collection at Forsyth
 140 Peachtree Parkway, Suite 300
 Cumming, GA 30041
Dr. Keller

Scottish Rite Hospital
 1001 Johnson Ferry Road NE
 Atlanta, GA 30342
Service: Epilepsy Center

Center for Advanced Pediatrics (Mon-Fri)
 2174 North Druid Hills Road NE, Fourth Floor
 Atlanta, GA 30329
Specialty clinics: cerebrovascular disorders, complex headache, concussion, cerebral palsy, developmental neurology, epilepsy, infantile spasms, ketogenic diet, leukodystrophy, movement disorder, neonatal, neuroimmunology, neuro metabolic, new-onset seizure
Drs. Bhalla, Forte, Gombolay, Hallman-Cooper, Holt, Keller, Malik, Philbrook, Sankhla, Upadhyayula, Verma, Wolf, Zhang

Children's Medical Office Building at Scottish Rite Hospital (Mon-Fri)
 5461 Meridian Mark Road, Suite 400
 Atlanta, GA 30042
Specialty clinics: epilepsy, infantile spasms, ketogenic diet, new-onset seizure, vagus nerve stimulation
Drs. Black, Choi, Fautleroy-Love, Kannan, Romeu, Sankhla, Zhang

Physicians:



Annah Adanen, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: epilepsy



Lauren Albor, MD
Interests: developmental
delay, epilepsy, headache
and movement disorders



Sonam Bhalla, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: epileptic
encephalopathy, infantile
spasms syndrome,
ketogenic diet, epilepsy



Moira Black, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine



**Marleny Aquino
Cabrera, MD**
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine



Hyoung Choi, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: gene-based
therapeutics, ketogenic
diet, neuromodulation



**Kristin Fautleroy-Love,
MBBS, MHA**
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests:
neurodevelopmental
disabilities



Jasmine Forte, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: general
pediatric neurology,
migraines, concussion,
idiopathic intracranial
hypertension, sports
neurology, tension-type
headaches



Timothy Gershon, MD
Professor, Emory
University School of
Medicine



Grace Gombolay, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests:
neuroimmunology, multiple
sclerosis, neuromyelitis
optica, clinically
isolated syndrome,
transverse myelitis,
acute disseminated
encephalomyelitis (ADEM),
anti-NMDA receptor
encephalitis



**Jamika Hallman-Cooper,
MD**
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: cerebral
palsy, pediatric stroke,
Botox, general pediatric
neurology



Philip Holt, MD
Medical Director,
Intraoperative
Neuromonitoring
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: childhood
epilepsy, ketogenic diet
therapy, intraoperative
and intensive care,
general pediatric
neurology, autonomic
disorders



Varun Kannan, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: multiple
sclerosis, autoimmune
encephalitis,
neurogenetic disorders,
channelopathies



Stephanie Keller, MD
Associate Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: neurogenetic and
neurometabolic disorders,
leukodystrophies,
demyelinating diseases,
general pediatric
neurology



Emily Kern-Smith, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine



Jun Ho Kim, MD
Assistant Professor, Emory
University School of
Medicine
Interests: neuromuscular
disease



Fiza Laheji, MD
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Emory University School
of Medicine



Matthew Lustig, MD
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Emory University School
of Medicine



Manisha Malik, MD
Assistant Professor, Emory
University School of
Medicine
Interests: hypersomnia,
circadian rhythm disorders,
insomnia



**Madeleine McLaughlin,
MD**
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: multiple sclerosis,
neuroimmunology

NEUROLOGY (CONTINUED)



Vanessa Nguyen, DO
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine



Neal Sankhla, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: epilepsy



Sumit Verma, MD
Medical Director,
Neuromuscular
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: pediatric
neuromuscular
disorders, EMG and
EEG, myasthenia gravis,
muscular dystrophy,
general pediatric
neurology



Prabhmallikarjum Patil, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine



Ekta Shah, DO
Assistant Professor, Emory
University School of
Medicine



Bryan Philbrook, MD
Medical Director,
Cerebrovascular Services
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: stroke,
neurocritical care,
epilepsy, EEG, evoked
potential studies



Michelle Tutmaher, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: complex
headaches, intracranial
pressure disorders,
concussions



David Wolf, MD, PhD
Division Chief, Neurology
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: neuro-oncology,
neurofibromatosis Type 1,
neurocutaneous disorders,
tuberous sclerosis, general
pediatric neurology



Anna Pinto, MD, PhD
Associate Professor,
Emory University School of
Medicine



Saila Upadhyayula, MD, MPH
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: pediatric
neuromuscular disorders,
EMG and nerve
conduction studies,
muscular dystrophy,
general pediatric
neurology



Guojun Zhang, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine



Amanda Romeu, DO
Assistant Professor, Emory
University School of
Medicine
Interests: epilepsy



Kishore Vedala, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
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NEUROPHYSIOLOGY

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NEUROPSYCHOLOGY

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*Drs. Albert, Gerst, Marcus, McManus
Lee, Shishido*
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Scottish Rite Hospital
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**Medical Office Building at Scottish
Rite Hospital (Mon-Fri)**
5461 Meridian Mark Road NE,
Suite 180
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*Drs. Ammons, Blackwell, Fritz, Howarth,
Kiefel, Riggall*

NEUROPSYCHOLOGY (CONTINUED)

Physicians:



Phebe Albert, PhD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine



Carla Ammons, PhD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: epilepsy,
brain tumors, stroke,
neuroimaging, cognitive
rehabilitation



**Laura Blackwell, PhD,
ABPP**
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: acquired brain
injury, chronic pain,
concussion, pediatric
neuropsychology,
traumatic brain injury



Cortney Fritz, PhD
Interests: inpatient and
day rehabilitation,
mild to moderate/
severe traumatic
brain injury, disorders
of consciousness,
pediatric cancer and
stroke, evidence-based
cognitive rehabilitation
interventions



Elyssa Gerst, PhD
Interests: cognitive
development in children
with complex medical
histories, impact of
congenital or acquired
neurological disorders
on neuropsychological
functioning



**Robyn Howarth, PhD,
ABPP**
Associate Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: anti-NMDA
receptor encephalitis,
disorders of
consciousness,
assessment of
neurocognitive status
and functional outcomes
during inpatient
rehabilitation,
neurocognitive recovery
following acquired brain
injury, traumatic brain
injury, brain tumors



Jacqueline Kiefel, PhD
Interests: concussion,
Duchenne muscular
dystrophy,
neurofibromatosis,
spina bifida, traumatic
brain injury



**Susan McManus Lee,
PhD, ABPP**
Interests: brain injuries,
acute assessment and
intervention following
brain injury or illness,
encephalitis, prematurity
and perinatal
complications



**David Marcus, PhD,
ABPP**
Division Chief,
Neuropsychology
Interests: genetics,
metabolic conditions,
neurofibromatosis,
epilepsy, spina bifida



Emily Riggall, PhD
Assistant Professor, Emory
University School of
Medicine
Interests: traumatic
brain injury, acquired
brain injury, inpatient
rehabilitation



Yuri Shishido, PhD, ABPP
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests:
neuroimmunology, stroke,
other complex medical
conditions



Molly Winston, PhD
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Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: congenital
heart disease, epilepsy,
neurodevelopmental
disorders, genetics

NEUROSURGERY



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Services: epilepsy, surgery

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Atlanta, GA 30342

All physicians

Scottish Rite Hospital

1001 Johnson Ferry Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30342

Services: epilepsy, surgery

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Athens, GA 30606

Dr. Boydston

Columbus (Wed)

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Columbus, GA 31901

Dr. Boydston

Thomasville

In Archbold Medical Center Specialty Clinic
100 Mimosa Drive
Thomasville, GA 31792

Dr. Boydston

NEUROSURGERY (CONTINUED)

Physicians:



William Boydston, MD, PhD

Interests: brain tumors, craniostyosis, hydrocephalus, spasticity, spinal tumors



Barun Brahma, MD
Medical Director, Neuro Spine Care

Interests: brain tumors, Chiari malformations, hyperhidrosis, minimally invasive spine surgery



Joshua Chern, MD, PhD
Division Chief, Neurosurgery
Director, Epilepsy Surgery
Medical Director, Quality Initiatives for Neurosciences

Interests: Chiari malformations, cranial and spinal cord tumors, epilepsy surgery, hydrocephalus



Jacob Lepard, MD,

Interests: tumors, vascular malformations, epilepsy, spinal disorders



Nealen Laxpati, MD, PhD
Assistant Professor, Emory University School of Medicine

Interests: epilepsy, neuromodulation, minimally invasive laser ablation



Andrew Reisner, MD
Medical Director, Neuro Trauma and Concussion

Interests: brain tumors, concussions, Gamma knife radiosurgery, hydrocephalus, pituitary disorders and tumors



Michael Sawvel, DO

Member, OR Committee
Interests: brain and spinal cord tumors, spina bifida, epilepsy surgery, hydrocephalus, Chiari malformations, vascular malformations



David Wrubel, MD

Surgery Director, Arthur M. Blank Hospital
Fellowship/Residency Director, Neurosurgery
Interests: brain tumors, Chiari malformations, spine surgery, vascular diseases, spinal dysraphism

ORTHOPEDICS AND SPORTS MEDICINE

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Children's at Meridian Mark (Mon-Sat)

5445 Meridian Mark Road, Suite 250
Atlanta, GA 30342

Drs. Axelrod, Busch, Devito, Fabregas, Flanagan, Kraft, Kroll, Montero, Murphy, Olszewski, Schmitz, Schrader, Willimon

Children's at Cherokee (Mon-Fri)

1558 Riverstone Parkway, Suite 100
Canton, GA 30114

Drs. Kraft, Scurfield

Children's at Duluth (Mon-Fri, Sun)

2270 Duluth Highway 120, Suite 100
Duluth, GA 30097

Drs. Caplan, Crownover, Devito, Fabregas, Montero, Schrader, Willimon

Children's at Fayette (Mon-Fri)

1250 Highway 54 West, Suite 200
Fayetteville, GA 30214

Drs. Kraft, McLaughlin, Miller, Murphy, Schmitz

Children's at Forsyth (Mon-Fri)

In The Collection at Forsyth
410 Peachtree Parkway, Suite 300
Cumming, GA 30041

Drs. Azerf, Busch, Kraft, Schmitz

Children's at Hamilton Creek (Mon-Fri)

2240 Hamilton Creek Parkway, Suite 600
Dacula, GA 30019

Drs. Caplan, Crownover, Fabregas, Fletcher

Children's at Hudson Bridge (Mon-Fri)

In the Hudson Bridge Crossing shopping center
1492 Hudson Bridge Road
Stockbridge, GA 30281

Drs. Brouillette, Murphy, Olszewski, Perkins

Children's at Old Milton Parkway (Mon-Fri)

3300 Old Milton Parkway, Suite 310
Alpharetta, GA 30005

Drs. Devito, Kraft, McLaughlin, Olszewski, Perkins, Schmitz, Schrader, Vosters

Children's at Town Center Outpatient Care Center (Mon-Fri)

605 Big Shanty Road NW
Kennesaw, GA 30144

Drs. Axelrod, Devito, Flanagan, Fletcher, Perkins, Schrader, Scurfield

Children's Orthopedics and Sports Medicine-Douglasville (Mon-Fri)

6095 Professional Parkway,
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Douglasville, GA 30134

Dr. Fabregas

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In Three Sixteen Professional Quarter
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Watkinsville, GA 30677

Drs. Devito, Stevenson, Willimon

Macon (Wed)

250 Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard
Macon, GA 31201

Drs. Bruce, Fletcher

ORTHOPEDICS AND SPORTS MEDICINE (CONTINUED)

Orthopedic surgeons:



Jed Axelrod, MD

Interests: foot and ankle disorders, Blount's disease, spinal deformity, spina bifida



Robert Bruce Jr., MD

Interests: complex spinal deformities, early onset scoliosis, cerebral palsy



Michael Busch, MD

Interests: sports injuries, arthroscopic surgery, ACL injuries, osteochondritis disease



Dennis Devito, MD

Interests: scoliosis and spinal deformities, spondylolysis, degenerative disk disease



Jorge Fabregas, MD

Interests: scoliosis and spinal deformities, musculoskeletal tumors, orthopedic trauma, cerebral palsy



Jill Flanagan, MD

Interests: osteogenesis imperfecta and bone health, reconstruction of complex limb deformity, limb lengthening and reconstruction



Nicholas Fletcher, MD

Interests: complex spinal deformities, early onset scoliosis, spina bifida, complex hip problems, hip dysplasia



Denver Kraft, MD

Interests: orthopedic trauma, scoliosis and spinal deformity



Dell McLaughlin, MD, MPH

Interests: musculoskeletal tumors, complex limb reconstruction, general orthopedic conditions



Joshua Murphy, MD

Interests: disk disease, spondylolysis, neuromuscular disease, scoliosis and spinal deformities, orthopedic trauma



Dana Olszewski, MD, MPH

Interests: complex hip problems, hip dysplasia, spina bifida, foot and ankle, general orthopedics



Crystal Perkins, MD

Interests: complex knee reconstruction, patellar instability, hip arthroscopy, sports injuries



Michael Schmitz, MD

Interests: complex spinal deformities, early onset scoliosis, limb deficiency, cerebral palsy, orthopaedic trauma



Tim Schrader, MD

Interests: complex hip problems, hip dysplasia, femoral-acetabular impingement, surgical dislocation of hip, hip sports injuries



S. Clifton Willimon, MD

Interests: arthroscopic surgery of the hip, complex knee ligament reconstruction, shoulder dislocation, sports injuries

Orthopedists:



Saji Azerf, MD

Interests: nonoperative musculoskeletal conditions, clubfoot, fracture care



Robert Montero, MD

Interests: Ponseti casting for clubfoot, gait abnormalities, intoeing, bow legs, knock knees, cerebral palsy



Jarod Stevenson, DO

Interests: Ponseti casting for clubfoot, gait abnormalities and sports injuries

Sports medicine physicians:



Ashley Brouillette, MD

Interests: nonoperative musculoskeletal conditions, sports injuries, overuse injuries and team sports, concussion management



Logan Caplan, MD

Interests: nonoperative musculoskeletal conditions, sports injuries, overuse injuries, team sports, concussion management, ultrasound guided injections



James Crownover, MD

Interests: nonoperative musculoskeletal conditions, overuse injuries and team sports, concussion management



J. Stephen Kroll, MD

Interests: nonoperative musculoskeletal conditions, sports injuries, overuse injuries and team sports, concussion management



Stephen Miller, MD

Interests: musculoskeletal conditions, sports injuries, overuse injuries and team sports, concussion management

ORTHOPEDICS AND SPORTS MEDICINE (CONTINUED)



Armand Scurfield, MD

Interests: nonoperative musculoskeletal conditions, sports injuries, overuse injuries and team sports, concussion management



Matthew Vosters, MD

Interests: sports-related injuries, nonoperative musculoskeletal injuries, overuse injuries, concussion management

Programs and Services

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- Bone Health and Diseases Program
- Brachial Plexus Program
- Cerebral Palsy Program
- Comprehensive Limb Difference Program
- Concussion Program
- Fracture Care
- Hand and Upper Extremity Program
- Hip Program
- Musculoskeletal Tumor Program
- Orthotics and Prosthetics
- Scoliosis and Spine Program
- Sports Medicine Program

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Children's at Duluth

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Duluth, GA 30097

Children's at Fayette

1250 Highway 54 West, Suite 200
Fayetteville, GA 30214

Children's at Forsyth

410 Peachtree Parkway, Suite 300
Cumming, GA 30041

Children's at Meridian Mark

5445 Meridian Mark Road NE,
Suite 200
Atlanta, GA 30342

Children's at Old Milton Parkway

3300 Old Milton Parkway, Suite 370
Alpharetta, GA 30005

**Children's at Town Center
Outpatient Care Center**

605 Big Shanty Road, NW
Kennesaw, GA 30144

Services offered:

- Adaptive sports
- Intelligent hand
- Prosthetics design
- Rehabilitation
- Spine bracing
- Silicone restoration

Cranial Remolding Program

 404-785-3229

**Comprehensive Limb Difference
Program**

 404-785-6353

Center for Advanced Pediatrics (Mon-Fri)

2174 North Druid Hills Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30329

Drs. Brown, Deshpande, Evans, Gentile, Govil, Kennedy, Okafor, Prickett, Thomsen, Tilak

Children's at Fayette (Tue-Fri)

1250 Highway 54 West, Suite 200
Fayetteville, GA 30214

Dr. Evans

Children's at Hudson Bridge (Mon-Thu)

In the Hudson Bridge Crossing shopping center
1494 Hudson Bridge Road
Stockbridge, GA 30281

Dr. Govil

Children's at Old Milton Parkway (Mon-Fri)

3300 Old Milton Parkway, Suite 300
Alpharetta, GA 30005

Drs. Bangiyev, Gentile, Shah, Thomsen

Children's at Satellite Boulevard (Mon, Tue, Fri)

2660 Satellite Blvd.
Duluth, GA 30096

Drs. Bangiyev, Brown

Children's at Town Center Outpatient Care Center (Mon, Thu, Fri)

605 Big Shanty Road NW
Kennesaw, GA 30144

Drs. Kennedy, Okafor, Tilak

Physicians:



John Bangiyev, DO

Interests: Sleep apnea, velopharyngeal insufficiency, cleft lip and palate, micrognathia, chronic sinusitis



Lori Gentile, MD

Interests: sinonasal disease, chronic ear disease, pediatric hearing loss, head and neck masses, feeding and swallowing difficulties



Vandra Okafor, MD

Interests: allergy, sinus disease



Clarice Brown, MD

Assistant Professor, Emory University School of Medicine

Interests: head and neck masses, sinonasal disease, obstructive sleep apnea, dysphagia



Nandini Govil, MD

Medical Director, Hearing Loss Program

Assistant Professor, Emory University School of Medicine

Interests: cochlear implants, congenital and acquired hearing loss, sinusitis, head and neck masses, bone anchored hearing implants



Kara Prickett, MD

Interim Division Chief, Otolaryngology Assistant Professor, Emory University School of Medicine

Interests: airway disorders, head and neck masses, thyroid disease



Anita Deshpande, MD

Assistant Professor, Emory University School of Medicine

Interests: airway disorders, swallowing difficulties, voice disorders



Kenneth Kennedy, MD

Assistant Professor, Emory University School of Medicine

Interest: aerodigestive medicine, sinus surgery and cystic fibrosis, head and neck tumors, complex airway surgery



Sweeti Shah, DO

Interests: neck masses, infant breathing and feeding difficulties, airway conditions, sleep and snoring



Sean Evans, MD

Assistant Professor, Emory University School of Medicine

Interests: head and neck masses, congenital deformities, diseases of the sinuses and nose, airway abnormalities, speech difficulties



James Thomsen, MD

Interests: middle ear disease, tonsil and adenoid disease, sleep apnea, stridor of infancy



Ashwini Tilak, MD

Assistant Professor, Emory University School of Medicine

Interests: hearing loss, sinus disease, neck masses

Our services are available at several neighborhood locations throughout metro Atlanta. The appointment scheduler can assist families in finding the most convenient option. These locations are departments of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital.

PHYSIATRY

 404-785-DOCS (3627)

 404-785-9111

Center for Advanced Pediatrics (Mon-Fri)

2174 North Druid Hills Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30329

Specialty clinics: spina bifida, muscular dystrophy, neuro spine, spasticity, leukodystrophy, stroke, procedure

A department of Arthur M. Blank Hospital

Arthur M. Blank Hospital

2220 North Druid Hills Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30329

Services: consults, procedures

Specialty clinic: brain tumor

Hughes Spalding Hospital (monthly)

35 Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE
Atlanta, GA 30303

Specialty clinic: cerebral palsy

Scottish Rite Hospital

1001 Johnson Ferry Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30342

Services: inpatient, consults, procedures

Physicians:



Katherine DeGraaff, DO



Udayan Kulkarni, MD

Interests: neuromuscular medicine, spasticity management, spinal cord injury, cerebral palsy



Tyler Shirel, MD

Associate Director,
Fellowship



Jeannie Harden, MD



Elizabeth Poplawski, DO



**Joshua Vova, MD, FAAP,
FAAPMR**

Division Chief, Physiatry
Medical Director,
Rehabilitation
Director, Fellowship



Enoch Leung, MD, PhD
Director, Education

Interests: adaptive sports, orthotics and prosthetics, rehab robotics and technology

PLASTIC SURGERY AND CRANIOFACIAL

Plastic Surgery

 404-785-7792

 404-250-3388

Northside Professional Center

975 Johnson Ferry Road, Suite 100
Atlanta, GA 30042

All physicians

Plastic surgeons:



Colin Brady, MD, FACS

Program Director, Craniofacial Fellowship
Research Director, Center for Cleft and Craniofacial Disorders
Clinical Assistant Professor, Emory University
Division of Plastic Surgery

Interests: congenital facial reanimation, cleft lip and palate, craniosynostosis, orthognathic surgery, microsurgical reconstruction



Magdalena Soldanska, MD, FACS

Section Chief, Plastic Surgery at Scottish Rite
Clinical Assistant Professor, Emory University
Division of Plastic Surgery

Interests: cleft lip and palate, craniosynostosis, ear reconstruction, facial fractures, orthognathic surgery



Alexis Tashima, MD

Clinical Assistant Professor, Emory University
Division of Plastic Surgery

Interests: cleft lip and palate, lower extremity reconstruction, orthognathic surgery, microsurgical reconstruction, vascular anomalies



Joseph Williams, MD, FACS, FAAP

Medical Director, Center for Cleft and Craniofacial Disorders
Division Chief, Plastic Surgery
Clinical Professor, Emory University Division of Plastic Surgery
Adjunct Professor, Emory University Department of Pediatrics

Interests: cleft lip and palate, craniofacial anomalies, dentofacial anomalies, hemangiomas, perinatal consultations

PLASTIC SURGERY AND CRANIOFACIAL (CONTINUED)

Center for Cleft and Craniofacial Disorders

 404-785-DOCS (3627)

 404-785-9111

Medical Office Building at Scottish Rite Hospital
5461 Meridian Mark Road NE, Suite 200
Atlanta, GA 30342

Clinics: craniofacial feeding, speech

A department of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital

Our team provides dentistry services (by physician referral only) to children with medical conditions, including craniofacial disorders, cancer, heart problems and neurological conditions (excluding seizure disorders and autism), as well as children who have undergone solid organ transplants. Orthodontic services are offered only to children with craniofacial disorders.

Plastic surgeons:

See Page 34.

Pediatric dentists:



Michael Minyard, DMD, MPH
Clinic Director



Mitali Patel, DDS



JC Shirley, DMD, MD
Medical Director,
Oral Health Research



Nikky Shotwell, DDS



Adesegun Tewogbade, DDS



Jack Thomas, DDS



Karen Uston, DDS
Division Chief, Dentistry
and Orthodontics



Brittany Waters, DDS
Residency Program
Director

Orthodontists:



Richard Byrd, DDS,
*Interests: craniofacial
orthodontics*



Robert Crawford, DMD, MS



Alpesh Patel, DMD

PULMONOLOGY

Arthur M. Blank Hospital-based

 404-785-DOCS (3627)

 404-785-9111

Scottish Rite-based

 404-785-0588

 404-785-0596

Center for Advanced Pediatrics (Mon-Fri)
2174 North Druid Hills Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30329

*Clinics: aerodigestive, high-risk asthma,
primary ciliary dyskinesia, pulmonology,
technology-dependent*

*Arthur M. Blank Hospital-based physicians,
Scottish Rite-based physicians
(technology-dependent only)*

Children's at Hamilton Creek (Tue)
2240 Hamilton Creek Parkway, Suite 600,
Dracula, GA 30019

Drs. Dias, Hazen, Lesnick, Poplar

**Children's at Mount Vernon Highway
(Mon-Fri)**

859 Mount Vernon Highway NE,
Suite 300
Atlanta, GA 30328

*Clinics: high-risk asthma, pulmonology,
severe asthma biologic injections
All Scottish Rite-based physicians*

**Children's at Town Center
Outpatient Care Center (Mon-Thu)**

605 Big Shanty Road NW,
Second Floor
Kennesaw, GA 30144

*Clinics: high-risk asthma,
pulmonology*

*Drs. Brooks, Cilloniz, Hazen, Kim,
Lesnick, Sedor, Shahrour*

**Hughes Spalding Hospital
(Mon-Thu)**

35 Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE,
Second Floor
Atlanta, GA 30303

404-785-9850

*Clinics: high-risk asthma,
pulmonology, sickle cell disease
Drs. Brooks, Hazen, Lang, Poplar*

PULMONOLOGY (CONTINUED)

Arthur M. Blank Hospital-based physicians:



Kimberly Dickinson, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: cystic
fibrosis, asthma,
aerodigestive disorders,
bronchopulmonary
dysplasia



Yaron Fireizen, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: respiratory
infections, tracheostomy,
ventilator dependence



Nicholas Fitzpatrick, MD



Lokesh Guglani, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: chest imaging,
cystic fibrosis, lung
function assessment,
pulmonary hypertension,
technology dependent



Carolyn Henderson, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine



Ajay Kasi, MD
Medical Director,
Technology Dependent
Program
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: congenital
central hypoventilation
syndrome, cystic fibrosis,
diaphragm pacing, home
mechanical ventilation



Rachel Linnemann, MD
Director, Cystic Fibrosis
Center
Co-Director, Pediatric
Cystic Fibrosis Program
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: aerodigestive
disorders, asthma, cystic
fibrosis



Eric Price, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: asthma, chronic
cough, neuromuscular,
tracheostomy and
ventilator



Amit Shah, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: pulmonary
hypertension,
technology dependent



Samar Shah, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: apnea, general
pulmonology, high-risk
asthma



Sheel Shah, MD
Associate Director,
Pulmonology Fellowship
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: pulmonary
hypertension, asthma



Dawn Simon, MD
Division Chief,
Pulmonology, Asthma,
CF and Sleep
Medical Director,
Aerodigestive Center
Associate Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests: aerodigestive
disorders, pulmonary
hypertension



Brittany Truitt, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine
Interests:
bronchopulmonary
dysplasia, chronic lung
disease, cystic fibrosis



Snehal Vala, MD
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

Scottish Rite-based physicians:



**Ann-Marie Brooks, MD,
FAAP**
Interests: asthma,
neuromuscular disease,
sickle cell disease



Rafael Cilloniz, MD
Interests: asthma,
airway anomalies,
bronchoscopies,
exercise physiology,
exercise-related
respiratory problems



Allan Dias, MD
Medical Director,
Ambulatory
Pulmonology Services
Interests: asthma,
primary ciliary
dyskinesia, cystic
fibrosis, tracheostomy/
chronic ventilated
patients, aerodigestive,
bronchoscopy



Matthew Hazen, MD
Associate Director,
Cystic Fibrosis Program
Interests: asthma, chronic
respiratory failure, cystic
fibrosis, interstitial
lung disease, newborn
pulmonary diseases



Sophia Kim, MD
Medical Director, Sleep
Center
Interests: obstructive
sleep apnea, insomnia,
circadian rhythm
disorders



LaTresa Lang, MD
Director, Asthma at
Hughes Spalding
Interests: asthma, cystic
fibrosis, sickle cell
disease, technology
dependent



Burt Lesnick, MD, FAAP
Interests: asthma, lung
disease of prematurity,
rare lung diseases,
respiratory issues in
special needs children

PULMONOLOGY (CONTINUED)



Jonathan Popler, MD
Medical Director,
Inpatient Pulmonary
Services
*Interests: aerodigestive
disorders, interstitial
lung disease, sickle cell
lung disease, primary
ciliary dyskinesia,
tracheostomy/chronic
ventilated patients*



Julie Sedor, MD
*Interests: aerodigestive
disorders, asthma,
bronchoscopy, ciliary
dyskinesia, newborn
lung diseases, cystic
fibrosis*



Haitham Shahrour, MD
*Interests: asthma, cystic
fibrosis, technology
dependent*

RADIOLOGY

Arthur M. Blank Hospital

2220 North Druid Hills Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30329
404-785-2787

*Services: CT scan, DEXA, fluoroscopy,
interventional radiology, MRI, nuclear
medicine, PET, sedation, ultrasound, X-ray*

Hughes Spalding Hospital

35 Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE
Atlanta, GA 30303
404-785-9988

Services: CT scan, fluoroscopy, ultrasound, X-ray

Scottish Rite Hospital

1001 Johnson Ferry Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30342
404-785-2787

*Services: CT scan, DEXA, fluoroscopy,
interventional radiology, MRI, nuclear
medicine, sedation, ultrasound, X-ray*

Children's at Forsyth*

In The Collection at Forsyth
410 Peachtree Parkway, Suite 300
Cumming, GA 30041
404-785-3036

Service: X-ray

Children's at Hudson Bridge*

In the Hudson Bridge Crossing
shopping center
1510 Hudson Bridge Road
Stockbridge, GA 30281
404-785-8715

Service: X-ray

Children's at Satellite Boulevard*

2660 Satellite Blvd.
Duluth, GA 30096
404-785-XRAY (9729)

Services: X-ray and ultrasound

Children's at Town Center*

625 Big Shanty Road NW
Kennesaw, GA 30144
404-785-XRAY (9729)

*Services: CT scan, fluoroscopy, MRI,
sedation, ultrasound, X-ray*

Children's at Webb Bridge*

3155 North Point Parkway,
Building A, Suite 150
Alpharetta, GA 30005
404-785-XRAY (9729)

*Services: CT scan, fluoroscopy, MRI,
sedation, ultrasound, X-ray*

**A department of Children's at Scottish
Rite Hospital*

Interventional radiology



404-785-DOCS (3627)



404-785-9111

See Page 24 for a list of physicians and locations.

REHABILITATION

Inpatient rehabilitation



404-785-2274

Scottish Rite Hospital

1001 Johnson Ferry Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30342

Day rehabilitation



404-785-3300

993-F Building

Across the street from Scottish Rite Hospital
993-F Johnson Ferry Road NE, Suite 260
Atlanta, GA 30342

A department of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital

Driver rehabilitation



404-785-3300

993-F Building

Across the street from Scottish Rite Hospital
993-F Johnson Ferry Road NE, Suite 260
Atlanta, GA 30342

A department of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital

REHABILITATION (CONTINUED)

Outpatient rehabilitation

 404-785-7100

 404-785-7113

Children's at North Druid Hills*

1605 Chantilly Drive NE
Atlanta, GA 30324

Services: audiology, occupational therapy, physical therapy, speech language therapy

Children's at Town Center Outpatient Care Center*

605 Big Shanty Road NW
Kennesaw, GA 30144

Services: audiology, occupational therapy, physical therapy, speech language therapy

* These locations are departments of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital

Medical Office Building at Scottish Rite Hospital*

5461 Meridian Mark Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30342

Services: audiology, occupational therapy, physical therapy, speech language therapy

Scottish Rite Hospital

1001 Johnson Ferry Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30342

Aquatics therapy: **404-785-0841**

Center for Advanced Technology and Robotic Rehabilitation:
404-785-4008

Physiatry

 404-785-DOCS (3627)

 404-785-9111

See Page 34 for a list of physicians and locations.

RHEUMATOLOGY

 404-785-DOCS (3627)

 404-785-9111

Center for Advanced Pediatrics (Mon-Fri)

2174 North Druid Hills Road NE, Second Floor
Atlanta, GA 30329

All physicians

Children's at North Point (Tue)

3795 Mansell Road
Alpharetta, GA 30022

Drs. Goldberg, Rouster-Stevens

Children's at Satellite Boulevard (Mon, Tue, Fri)

2660 Satellite Blvd.
Duluth, GA 30096

Drs. Goldberg, Rouster-Stevens, Villacis Nunez

Children's at Town Center Outpatient Care Center (Mon, Tue)

605 Big Shanty Road NW
Kennesaw, GA 30144

Dr. Go

Physicians:



Elaine Flanagan, MD

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

Interests: intra-articular corticosteroid injections, juvenile idiopathic arthritis, juvenile dermatomyositis, musculoskeletal ultrasound, systemic lupus erythematosus



Cynthia Manos, MD, MSCE

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

Interests: autoinflammatory diseases, juvenile idiopathic arthritis, autoimmune diseases



Sampath Prahalad, MD MSc

Marcus Professor and Division Chief,
Rheumatology
Professor, Emory University
School of Medicine

Interests: juvenile idiopathic arthritis, systemic lupus erythematosus



Ellen Go, MD, MS

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine



Diana Sofia Villacis Nunez, MD

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

Interests: intra-articular corticosteroid injections, musculoskeletal ultrasound, juvenile idiopathic arthritis, systemic lupus erythematosus, autoimmune conditions, rheumatic diseases



Kelly Rouster-Stevens, MD, MS

Associate Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

Interest: rheumatic diseases



Baruch Goldberg, MD

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

Interests: uveitis, macrophage activation syndrome, systemic juvenile idiopathic arthritis, lupus, juvenile arthritis

SLEEP

Arthur M. Blank Hospital-based

 404-785-DOCS (3627)

 404-785-9111

Scottish Rite-based

 404-785-0588

 404-785-0596

Center for Advanced Pediatrics (Mon-Fri)

2174 North Druid Hills Road NE, Fifth Floor
Atlanta, GA 30329

Arthur M. Blank Hospital-based providers

Children's at Mount Vernon Highway (Mon-Fri)

859 Mount Vernon Highway NE, Suite 300
Atlanta, GA 30328

Dr. Kim

Children's at Town Center

Outpatient Care Center
(Mon or Tue once per month)

605 Big Shanty Road NW, Second Floor
Kennesaw, GA 30144

Dr. Kim

Marcus Autism Center

1920 Briarcliff Road
Atlanta, GA 30329

Dr. Leu

Arthur M. Blank Hospital-based physicians:



Kelli-Lee Harford, PhD

Sleep Psychologist
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

Interests: psychology,
sleep medicine



Roberta Leu, MD

Medical Director, Sleep
Center at Arthur M. Blank
Hospital
Sleep Fellowship
Director,
Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

Interests: circadian
rhythm disorders,
hypersomnia, insomnia,
obstructive sleep apnea,
parasomnia



Manisha Malik, MD

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

Interests: hypersomnia,
circadian rhythm
disorders, insomnia



Amit Shah, MD

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

Interests: obstructive
sleep apnea, refractory
sleep apnea



Daniel Torrez, MD

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

Interests: narcolepsy,
obstructive sleep apnea,
restless leg syndrome

Scottish Rite-based physician:



Sophia Kim, MD

Medical Director, Sleep
Center

Interests: obstructive
sleep apnea, insomnia,
circadian rhythm
disorders



Rahamat Mansaray, MD

Sleep labs (overnight sleep studies)  404-785-2974

Arthur M. Blank Hospital

2220 North Druid Hills Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30329

Scottish Rite Hospital

1001 Johnson Ferry Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30342

Children's at Satellite Boulevard

2660 Satellite Blvd.
Duluth, GA 30096

A department of Children's at Scottish
Rite Hospital

SPECIALTY CLINICS

Judson L. Hawk Jr., MD,
Clinic for Children

 **404-785-DOCS (3627)**

 **404-785-9111**

Center for Advanced Pediatrics

2174 North Druid Hills Road NE, Sixth Floor
Atlanta, GA 30329

A department of Arthur M. Blank Hospital

See page 122 for additional details, including conditions treated within each clinic.

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- Brachial Plexus
- Chronic Pain
- Differences of Sex Development
- Genetics
- Medically Complex
- Muscular Dystrophy
- Neurofibromatosis
- Neurogastroenterology and Motility

- Neuro Spine
- Osteogenesis Imperfecta
- Pelvic and Anorectal
- Procedures
- Spasticity/Cerebral Palsy
- Spina Bifida
- Strong4Life
- Tuberous Sclerosis
- Vascular Anomalies

Aerodigestive

 **404-785-DOCS (3627)**

 **404-785-9111**

Center for Advanced Pediatrics

2174 North Druid Hills Road NE, Fifth Floor
Atlanta, GA 30329

Concussion

 **404-785-DOCS (3627)**

 **404-785-9111**

Arthur M. Blank Hospital

2220 North Druid Hills Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30329

Scottish Rite Hospital

1001 Johnson Ferry Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30342

Center for Advanced Pediatrics

2174 North Druid Hills Road NE,
Sixth Floor
Atlanta, GA 30329

Feeding

 **404-785-9493**

 **404-785-9041**

Center for Advanced Pediatrics (Mon-Fri)

2174 North Druid Hills Road NE, Third Floor
Atlanta, GA 30329

Children's at Forsyth

In the Collection at Forsyth
410 Peachtree Parkway, Suite 300
Cumming, GA 30041

Marcus Autism Center (Mon-Fri)

1920 Briarcliff Road
Atlanta, GA 30329

Fetal Care

 **404-785-3916**

 **404-785-9751**

Arthur M. Blank Hospital

2220 North Druid Hills Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30329

Scottish Rite Hospital

1001 Johnson Ferry Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30342

SPORTS PHYSICAL THERAPY

 **404-785-8660**

Our services are available at several neighborhood locations throughout metro Atlanta. These locations are departments of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital. Visit choa.org/sportspt for more information.

Children's at Cherokee

1554 Riverstone Parkway, Suite 160
Canton, GA 30114

Children's at Fayette

1250 Highway 54 West, Suite 200
Fayetteville, GA 30214

Children's at Hudson Bridge

1496 Hudson Bridge Road
Stockbridge, GA 30281

Children's at Duluth

2270 Duluth Highway 120, Suite 200
Duluth, GA 30097

Children's at Forsyth

The Collection at Forsyth
410 Peachtree Parkway, Suite 300
Cumming, GA 30041

Children's at Ivy Walk

1675 Cumberland Parkway,
Suite 305
Smyrna, GA 30080

SPORTS PHYSICAL THERAPY (CONTINUED)

Children's at Meridian Mark

5445 Meridian Mark Road NE, Suite 290
Atlanta, GA 30342

Children's at North Druid Hills

1605 Chantilly Drive NE, Suite 201
Atlanta, GA 30324

Children's at Snellville

2220 Wisteria Drive, Suite 204
Snellville, GA 30078

Children's at Town Center Outpatient Care Center

605 Big Shanty Road NW
Kennesaw, GA 30144

Children's at Webb Bridge

3155 North Point Parkway,
Building A, Suite 100
Alpharetta, GA 30005

SURGERY

Surgery centers

Arthur M. Blank Hospital

2220 North Druid Hills Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30329

Scottish Rite Hospital

1001 Johnson Ferry Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30342

Children's at Meridian Mark Surgery Center

5445 Meridian Mark Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30342

The Surgery Center at Meridian Mark Plaza LLC is an affiliate of Children's Healthcare of Atlanta. It is a joint venture with Scottish Rite as the majority owner and physician investors as partners. Physicians and affiliated healthcare professionals who perform services at the Surgery Center at Meridian Mark Plaza LLC are independent providers and are not our employees.

Children's at Satellite Boulevard Outpatient Surgery Center

2620 Satellite Blvd.
Duluth, GA 30096

A department of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital

TRANSPLANT

 **800-605-6175**
(normal business hours)

 **404-785-6000**
(nights, weekends, holidays)

Heart transplant

 **404-785-6395**

 **404-785-1994**

Arthur M. Blank Hospital

2220 North Druid Hills Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30329

Heart transplant surgeons:



Paul Chai, MD

Chief, Cardiothoracic Surgery
Co-Chief, Cardiac Services

Associate Professor,
Emory University School of Medicine



Mohan John, MD

Assistant Professor of Surgery,
Emory University School of Medicine



Joshua Rosenblum, MD, PhD

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School of Medicine



Subhadra Shashidharan, MD

Assistant Professor,
Emory University School of Medicine

TRANSPLANT (CONTINUED)

Kidney transplant

 404-785-1405

 404-785-6751

Arthur M. Blank Hospital
2220 North Druid Hills Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30329

Kidney transplant surgeons:



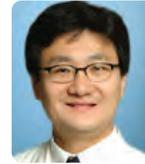
Richard Hendrickson, MD

Professor, Emory
University School of
Medicine



Barghava Mullapudi, MD

Division Chief,
Abdominal Transplant
Surgery
Professor, Emory
University School of
Medicine



Paul Tso, MD

Associate Professor,
Emory University School
of Medicine

See Page 25 for a list of our pediatric nephrologists.

Liver transplant

 404-785-0150

 404-785-9017

Arthur M. Blank Hospital
2220 North Druid Hills Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30329

Liver transplant surgeons:



Richard Hendrickson, MD

Professor, Emory
University School of
Medicine

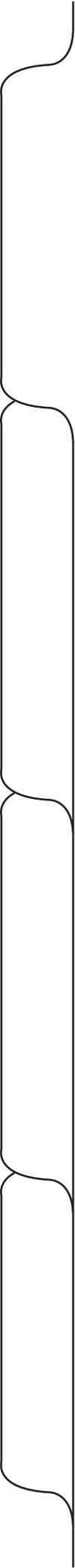


Barghava Mullapudi, MD

Division Chief,
Abdominal Transplant
Surgery
Professor, Emory
University School of
Medicine

See Page 15 for a list of our pediatric hepatologists.

Forms



Referral and Order Forms

accessCHOA

Reminder: The fastest way to submit your order or referral is electronically, using accessCHOA.

AccessCHOA is the web-based interface for the Children's electronic health record system. It can be used to place an order for outpatient diagnostics and rehabilitation as well as for referrals to Children's Physician Group specialists*. To learn more, see Page 4 of this guide or go to the Tools section for a tip sheet on using accessCHOA.

If you are not connected to accessCHOA, some online referral forms and order forms can be submitted electronically at choa.org/md.

Our forms

Children's Physician Group: Provider referral form

Allergy and immunology: Referral form

Cardiac:

- Cardiac Risk Assessment form
- Cardiology referral form
- Pulmonary Hypertension Clinic referral form

Child advocacy: Stephanie V. Blank Center for Safe and Healthy Children request for services form

Concussion: Downtime mild traumatic brain injury and concussion assessment criteria tool

Infectious diseases: cCMC Clinic referral form

Lab: Outpatient requisition form

Orthopedics and sports medicine: Patient referral form

Pulmonology: Pulmonary function order form

Radiology

- Advanced pediatric imaging form
- Pediatric imaging form
- Interventional radiology form

Rehabilitation: Rehabilitation services order form

Rheumatology: Referral form

Sleep: Sleep disorders lab order form

Sports medicine: Order form

Children's Physician Group



Children'sSM
Healthcare of Atlanta

Provider referral form

Complete this form and fax it to 404-785-9111. Use one form for each patient.

If your patient's condition warrants a clinic visit within the next week or a potential hospitalization, contact our Physician-to-Physician service at 404-785-DOCS (3627) to receive input from one of our pediatric subspecialists prior to completing this form.

Urgent Non-urgent

| | |
|--|---|
| _____ | Patient's name: _____ |
| Today's date | |
| _____ | Patient's date of birth: _____ |
| Referral form completed by | |
| _____ | Patient's gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female |
| Direct contact phone number | Parent/guardian's name: _____ |
| _____ | Cell phone: _____ |
| Email | Alternate phone: _____ |
| Preferred method of communication for referring office (choose one): | Interpreter required: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Phone <input type="checkbox"/> Email | If yes, provide the language: _____ |
| | Referring provider's name: _____ |
| | Office phone: _____ |
| | Office fax: _____ |
| | Referring provider's status with patient: <input type="checkbox"/> PCP <input type="checkbox"/> Not PCP |
| | PCP name: _____ |
| | PCP phone: _____ |
| | Reason for referral: _____ |
| | _____ |

Specialty needed (choose one):

Allergy and immunology

- Allergy
- Immunology
- Apnea**
- Cardiology: pulmonary hypertension**
- Cardiothoracic surgery**
- Child advocacy**
- Craniofacial surgery**
- Cystic fibrosis**
- Dentistry and orthodontics**

Endocrinology

- Bone
- Diabetes
- General endocrinology
- Lipid
- Turner syndrome

Gastroenterology and hepatology

Gastroenterology:

- Abdominal pain
- Blood in stool
- Celiac disease
- Crohn's and ulcerative colitis (IBD)
- Cystic fibrosis
- Eosinophilic (EoE) disorders
- Feeding issues, tube feeds
- Pancreas disorders
- Poor weight gain, failure to thrive
- Reflux, heartburn, swallowing
- Stool issues (constipation, diarrhea)
- Other

Hepatology:

- Abnormal liver test
- Biliary atresia
- CF liver disease
- Cholestasis
- Direct hyperbilirubinemia
- Elevated or abnormal liver enzymes
- Fontan
- Hepatitis
- Jaundice
- Liver transplant
- Obesity related liver disease (NAFLD)
- Other
- General surgery**

- Gynecology**
- Hematology/oncology**
- Infectious diseases**
- Interventional radiology**

Nephrology

- General nephrology
- Hypertension
- Kidney transplant

Neurology

- Developmental neurology
- General neurology
- Headache
- Neurocutaneous
- Neuromuscular
- New onset seizures
- Neuropsychology**

Neurosurgery

- Orthopedics and sports medicine**
- Otolaryngology**
- Physiatry**
- Plastic surgery**

Pulmonology

- Pulmonology/asthma
- Synagis
- Technology-dependent

Rheumatology

- Joint pain and swelling
- Muscle weakness
- Recurrent fevers
- Rash
- Uveitis
- Abnormal labs (must be included)
- Other

Sleep

Specialty clinics

- Aerodigestive
- Brachial Plexus
- Craniofacial
- Craniofacial Feeding
- Craniofacial Speech
- Chronic Pain
- Developmental Progress
- Differences of Sex Development
- Epilepsy/Ketogenic Diet
- Genetics
- Medically Complex
- Muscular Dystrophy
- Neurofibromatosis
- Neurogastroenterology and Motility
- Neuro Spine
- Osteogenesis Imperfecta
- Pelvic and Anorectal (Colorectal)
- Skeletal Dysplasia
- Spasticity/CP
- Spina Bifida
- Strong4Life
- Tuberous Sclerosis
- Vascular Anomalies

Indicate preferred provider and reason for preference, if applicable:

**Fax relevant clinic notes, patient demographics and imaging/
diagnostic tests to 404-785-9111.**

Was the patient's diagnostic testing (related to this referral) performed at Children's? If yes, please do not fax these records.

- Yes No

Allergy and Immunology



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Referral Form

- Non-urgent referral:** Fax this form to 404-785-9111.
- Urgent referral:** Fax this form to 404-785-9111. Call 404-785-DOCS (3627) if you would like to discuss this case with the on-call allergist/immunologist.

Date: _____ Form completed by: _____

Patient name: _____ DOB: _____

Parent or guardian's name: _____

Phone number(s): _____ Email: _____

Street address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Referring provider: _____ Phone: _____ Fax: _____

PCP (if different): _____ Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Reason for Referral (required, check all that apply)

Allergy Clinic

- | | |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Poorly controlled/complicated allergic rhinitis/conjunctivitis* | <input type="checkbox"/> Chronic urticaria (hives occurring repeatedly for > 6 weeks) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asthma | <input type="checkbox"/> Angioedema (swelling) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Anaphylaxis | <input type="checkbox"/> Drug/medication allergies |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Atopic dermatitis/eczema | <input type="checkbox"/> Insect sting allergies |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Food allergies | <input type="checkbox"/> Eosinophilic esophagitis (EE or EoE) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sinusitis | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ |

Immunology Clinic

- | | |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Recurrent or unusual infections | <input type="checkbox"/> Prior diagnosis of immunodeficiency |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Abnormal newborn screen for IEI/SCID | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Family history of immunodeficiency | |

*For patients with suspected **allergic rhinitis/environmental allergies**, you can initiate diagnosis and treatment prior to referral. Visit choa.org/medical-professionals/referrals-and-transfers to view our referral guidelines for more information.



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Children's Healthcare of Atlanta Heart Center

**PULMONARY HYPERTENSION CLINIC
REFERRAL FORM**

Name _____

Date of Birth _____

MRN# _____

Account/HAR# _____

PATIENT IDENTIFICATION

Date: _____

Patient Name: _____ DOB: _____ Age: _____

Patient's Name: _____ Home Phone: _____

Home Address: _____ Cell Phone: _____

_____ Work Phone: _____

Referring Physician: _____ Contact Number: _____

Primary Care Physician: _____ Office Phone: _____

Reason for Referral: _____

Diagnosis(es): _____

Person Completing Form (print): _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____ Time: _____

INSTRUCTIONS: please include (as applicable):

- Demographics sheet (including insurance information)
- Most recent clinic note
- Cardiac catheterization report (if relevant)
- Echocardiogram report (if relevant)
- Other imaging/clinical information (if relevant)

Call the PH program office directly at 404-785-2950 with questions.

Please fax this form and above documents to 404-785-1869

Total number of pages: _____ (Inclusive)

Visit choa.org/ph for more information

Not Part of the Patient Medical Record.
Return to the Heart Center department.



Children's Healthcare of Atlanta Cardiology Referral Form

Phone: 404-256-2593 or 800-542-2233
www.choa.org/heart

Please fax signed form to **404-252-7431**.

Authorization Number _____ (if needed)

Patient Name: _____ Date of Birth: ___/___/___ Patient Phone: _____

Referring Provider Name: _____ Provider Phone: _____ Provider Fax _____

(PLEASE PRINT)

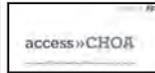
Electronic Referral Options

(EPIC or accessCHOA access required - no fax needed)

Option 1: Evaluate and Treat

Cardiology Referral - 99002070MO

*accessCHOA users can attach records to the electronic order



Option 2: Test Only

___ EKG Order - 22000001MO CHR EKG – Children's Cardiology Clinic

___ Echocardiogram Order - 99002151 CHR ECHOCARDIOGRAM –
Children's Cardiology Clinic

Option 1: Evaluate and Treat

**Fax demographic sheet, clinical notes or other records needed
for the appointment, with referral to 404-252-7431**

Diagnosis: (Check all that apply for full evaluation by Cardiologist)

- | | |
|-----------------------------|---|
| ___ Chest pain | ___ Cyanotic Episodes |
| ___ Syncope/lightheadedness | For DX below, send information as indicated: |
| ___ Palpitations | ___ Hypertension (Send prior BP readings) |
| ___ Tachycardia | ___ Hyperlipidemia (Send most recent labs) |
| ___ Cardiac Clearance | ___ Abnormal ECG (Send previous ECG) |
| ___ Murmur | ___ Other _____ |

Option 2: Test Only

**Orders must be received before a test can be performed:
Fax this order to 404-252-7431.**

Patient will NOT see a Cardiologist

Diagnosis _____

Reason for Study _____

- ___ ECG (Need previous ECG if available)
- ___ Echocardiogram
- ___ Extended ECG Rhythm Patch - (0-48 hours)
- ___ Extended ECG Rhythm Patch - (3 days-7 days)
- ___ Extended ECG Rhythm Patch - (8 days-14 days)

➔ **Referring Provider Signature Required:** _____ **Date:** ___/___/___

Call us to schedule appointment at 404-256-2593

To request more pads to be sent to your office, visit choa.org/orderpad

Cardiology Referral Form. 8/2022

Children's Cardiology

Children's Cardiology

Pediatric Cardiac Risk Assessment Form



**Children'sSM
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Cardiology**

Please complete this form for all children (athletic participant or not) starting at the age of 6, when the American Academy of Pediatrics recommends starting preparticipation examinations (PPE). It should be completed a minimum of every 3 years, including on entry into middle school and high school. Depending on family and primary care provider concerns, more frequent or earlier screening may be appropriate.

Patient Name: _____

Age: _____

Person Completing Form: _____

Date: _____

| Symptom Questions: | Yes | No | Unsure |
|---|-----|----|--------|
| Have you (patient) ever fainted, passed out, or had an unexplained seizure suddenly and without warning? | | | |
| If so, was it during exercise or in response to sudden loud noises, such as doorbells, alarm clocks, or ringing telephones? | | | |
| Have you (patient) ever had either of the following during exercise : 1. Exercise-related chest pain, particularly pressure-like and not occurring at rest? 2. Unusual or extreme shortness of breath during exercise, not explained by asthma? | | | |
| Family History: | Yes | No | Unsure |
| Are there any immediate family members (include patient's parents or siblings) who have died before age 50 from heart problems or had an unexpected sudden death? <i>Including drownings, passing away in their sleep, sudden infant death syndrome (SIDS), or unexplained automobile crashes in which the relative was driving.</i> | | | |
| Are there any immediate relatives (patient's parents or siblings) with the following conditions? | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hypertrophic cardiomyopathy or hypertrophic obstructive cardiomyopathy (HCM/HOCM) <input type="checkbox"/> Long QT syndrome (LQTS) or short QT syndrome <input type="checkbox"/> Marfan syndrome or Loeys-Dietz syndrome <input type="checkbox"/> Arrhythmogenic right ventricular cardiomyopathy (ACM) <input type="checkbox"/> Catecholaminergic polymorphic ventricular tachycardia (CPVT) <input type="checkbox"/> Brugada syndrome (BrS) <input type="checkbox"/> Anyone younger than 50 years old with a pacemaker or implantable defibrillator? <input type="checkbox"/> <i>I have no known immediate family members with the above conditions.</i> | | | |
| Please explain more about any "yes" answers here: | | | |
| | | | |
| | | | |

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Child Advocacy



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Primary Care Provider (PCP) Referral

Stephanie V. Blank Center for Safe and Healthy Children
Child advocacy center and a department of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital

PLEASE FILL OUT COMPLETELY

Date of request: _____

Please note: PCPs are only able to request forensic medical exams.

Practice and Physician/Provider Name: _____

Are you requesting a forensic medical exam? Yes ___ No ___

Is law enforcement involved? Yes ___ No ___

Jurisdiction: _____ Case Number: _____

Is DFCS involved? Yes ___ No ___ County: _____

If there is a suspicion of child abuse, a report to DFCS is required by law.

Report by dialing: 1-855-GA-CHILD or 1-855-422-4453

(Reporting to the SVB Center does not satisfy mandated reporting requirements)

Victim's Data

Victim's Legal Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Age: ___

Gender: ___ Male ___ Female Race: _____ Language: _____

Victim's Address: _____ City / ZIP: _____

County: _____

Parent/Legal Guardian Name: _____

Parent/Legal Guardian Date of Birth: _____

Relation to Victim: _____

Phone: (H) _____ (C) _____

Any known special needs/developmental delays?

Allegations

Sexual abuse _____ Physical abuse _____ Neglect _____

FOR SEXUAL ABUSE (Please indicate ALL that apply):

Fondling _____ Digital-vaginal _____ Digital-Anal _____

Oral-Vaginal _____ Oral-Penile _____ Penile-Vaginal _____ Penile-Anal _____

DESCRIPTION OF ALLEGED ABUSE:

For all concerns, please be specific regarding what is being reported. This will greatly assist our ability to serve clients adequately and promptly.

Date of Last Contact with Alleged Perpetrator: _____

Location of Abuse: _____

County: _____

Has child had a medical exam regarding allegation?

Yes ___ No ___ Date of exam: _____

Name of physician: _____

Location: _____

Medical findings: _____

Has this child completed a forensic interview (FI) regarding current allegations?

Yes ___ No ___ Date of FI: _____ Location of FI: _____

If yes, who conducted previous interview? _____

Alleged Perpetrator Information

Name: _____

Age: _____ DOB: _____

Relationship to Victim: _____

Race: _____

Gender: ___ Male ___ Female

Arrested: ___ Yes ___ No

Charges: _____

Fax completed form with a copy of **any progress notes / lab results / relevant information** to:

404-785-3850

Attention: Intake Coordinator

Call Intake Coordinator at **404-785-3833** if you need confirmation that the faxed or emailed referral has been received.



Children's Healthcare of Atlanta Urgent Care Services

- Arthur M. Blank Scottish Rite Forsyth UC Cherokee UC Hamilton Creek UC
- North Point UC Satellite Blvd UC Town Center UC Chamblee Brookhaven UC

DOWNTIME MILD TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY/ CONCUSSION ASSESSMENT CRITERIA TOOL

Name _____

Date of Birth _____

MRN# _____

Account/HAR# _____

PATIENT IDENTIFICATION

Date of Exam: Initial Second Third Fourth Additional

Injury Assessment

1. Complete Neuro Exam including Glasgow Coma Score:
2. **Abnormal Physical findings?**
 - a. Is there evidence of a forcible blow to the head (direct or indirect)? Direct Indirect Unknown
 - b. Is there evidence of intracranial injury or skull fracture? Yes No
 - c. Location of Impact:
 - Frontal Left Temporal Right Temporal Left Parietal Right Parietal Occipital Neck
3. **Cause:** MVC Pedestrian-MVC Fall Assault Sports (specify) Other
4. Was the injury witnessed or un-witnessed? Witnessed Un-witnessed
5. **Amnesia:**
BEFORE (Retrograde) Are there any events just BEFORE the injury that you/ your child have no memory of (even brief)?

AFTER (Anterograde) Are there any events just AFTER the injury that you/ your child have no memory of (even brief)?
6. **Loss of Consciousness:** Did you/ your child lose consciousness? Yes, how long? No
7. **EARLY SIGNS:** Appears dazed or stunned Is confused about events Answers questions slowly
 Repeats questions Forgetful (recent info)
8. **Seizures:** Were seizures observed? Yes No

Check all that apply (symptoms are subjective)

| Physical | ☑ if present | Cognitive | ☑ if present | Sleep | ☑ if present |
|----------------------|--------------|--------------------------|--------------|---|--------------|
| Headache | | Feeling Mentally Foggy | | Drowsiness | |
| Nausea | | Feeling Slowed Down | | Trouble Falling Asleep | |
| Vomiting | | Difficulty Concentrating | | Sleeping More Than Usual | |
| Balance Problems | | Difficulty Remembering | | Sleeping Less Than Normal | |
| Dizziness | | Emotional | ☑: | Other | |
| Visual Problems | | Irritability | | Do these symptoms worsen with Physical Activity <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Cognitive Activity <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No How different is the person acting compared to his/her usual self? Normal 0 1 2 3 4 5 Very different Caregiver providing assessment: _____ | |
| Fatigue | | Sadness | | | |
| Sensitivity to Light | | More Emotional | | | |
| Sensitivity to Noise | | | | | |
| Numbness or Tingling | | Nervousness | | | |

1. Gerard Gioia, Ph.D. & Micky Collin, Ph.D. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) "Heads Up: Brain Injury in Your Practice," Acute Concussion Evaluation (ACE) tool kit.
2. Prashant V. Mahajan, M.D., M.P.H., M.B.A. "Head Injuries" AAP Textbook of Pediatric Care, chapter 348, Aug. 26, 2008.
3. Sport Alliance of Ontario SCAT2 (Sport Concussion Assessment Tool - Full Version).
4. TraumaticBrainInjury.com, LLC, Symptoms of Traumatic Brain Injury "Gaslow Coma Scale."

Congenital Cytomegalovirus (cCMV) Infectious Disease Clinic



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Provider referral form

Complete this form and fax it along with birth, lab and clinic records to 404-785-9098.

Scheduling: Call 404-785-1979 to speak with the cCMV infectious disease operations coordinator.

Clinical questions: Call 404-785-3627 and request to speak with the on-call infectious disease clinician for questions related to patient care.

Patient demographics

Patient Name: _____ Age: _____ Date of Birth: ___/___/___

Patient Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Guardian Name: _____ Relationship to Patient: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell: _____ Email: _____

Referring Provider Name: _____ Date of Referral: ___/___/___

Direct Contact Phone Number for Referring Provider: _____

Primary Care Provider Name: _____ Phone: _____

Has the guardian been informed of the cCMV diagnosis? Yes No Unknown

Newborn history

Birth Hospital Name: _____ City: _____ State: _____

Sex Assigned at Birth: Male Female Gestational Age at Birth (in weeks): _____

Birth Weight (units and % if known): _____ Length (units and % if known): _____

Head Circumference (units and % if known): _____ Neonatal Nutrition: Human Milk Infant Formula

Prenatal diagnosis/concern for CMV: Yes No Unknown Describe: _____

Initial Hearing Screen (REQUIRED):

Date: ___/___/___

Left Ear: Pass Fail Referred

Right Ear: Pass Fail Referred

Follow-up Hearing Screen:

Date: ___/___/___

Left Ear: Pass Fail Referred

Right Ear: Pass Fail Referred

Additional Hearing Assessments:

Test:

Date: ___/___/___

Left Ear: Pass Fail Referred

Right Ear: Pass Fail Referred

CMV Diagnostic Testing:

Source of Specimen: Saliva

Date Collected: ____ / ____ / ____

Result: _____

Source of Specimen: Urine

Date Collected: ____ / ____ / ____

Result: _____

Additional CMV Diagnostic Testing:

Source of Specimen: Blood

Date Collected: ____ / ____ / ____

Result: _____

Symptoms Suggestive of cCMV:

Microcephaly: Yes No

IUGR: Yes No

Hepatosplenomegaly: Yes No

Jaundice: Yes No

Rash/Petechiae: Yes No

Cholestasis: Yes No

Seizures: Yes No

Other: _____

Other pertinent information: _____

Care requested

Infectious Disease Consult at Children’s Yes No

Comments: _____

If previously performed or currently scheduled, note date and/or result: _____

ENT or Audiology Consult at Children’s Yes No

Comments: _____

If previously performed or currently scheduled, note date and/or result: _____

Ophthalmology Consult at Children’s Yes No

Comments: _____

If previously performed or currently scheduled, note date and/or result: _____

Cranial Ultrasound at Children’s Yes No

Comments: _____

If previously performed or currently scheduled, note date and/or result: _____

Internal use only

ID Appointment

Date: ____ / ____ / ____

Time: _____

ENT Appointment

Date: ____ / ____ / ____

Time: _____

Ophthalmology Appointment

Date: ____ / ____ / ____

Time: _____

Radiology Appointment

Date: ____ / ____ / ____

Time: _____



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Children's Healthcare of Atlanta LABORATORY OUTPATIENT REQUISITION FORM

 STAT

Insurance Info: Bill to: Insurance: _____ Group # _____

Pre-Cert # _____

Order for Collection Date: _____ Time: _____

 Phone results to _____ Fax results to _____

Diagnosis Code (ICD-10) (signs or symptoms: R/O codes unacceptable): _____

Physician name (print) _____ Physician signature _____ Date _____ Time _____

Patient's phone number: _____

Name _____

Date of Birth _____

MRN# _____

Account/HAR# _____

PATIENT IDENTIFICATION

| Chemistry Panels | | Hematology | | Chemistry | | Chemistry | | |
|---|--|---|--|--|--|---|-----------------------------------|--|
| Electrolyte Panel** (LYTES) Cl, CO ₂ , K, Na | | CBC (CBC) | | Alanine Aminotransferase (ALT) | | Iron (IRON) | | |
| | | CBC w/Diff (CBCD) | | Aspartate Aminotransferase (AST) | | Immunoglobulin A (IGA) | | |
| Basic Metabolic Panel** (BMPL) Ca, CO ₂ , Cl, Creat, Glu, K, Na, BUN | | Erythrocyte Sedimentation Rate (ESR) | | Albumin (ALB) | | Immunoglobulin G (IGG) | | |
| | | Reticulocyte Count (RETIC) | | Alkaline Phosphatase (ALKP) | | Immunoglobulin M (IGM) | | |
| Renal Function Panel** (RFP) Alb, Ca, CO ₂ , Cl, Creat, Glu, Phos, K, Na, BUN | | Prothrombin Time w/INR (PT) | | Ammonia (AMON) | | Immunoglobulin E (TIGE) | | |
| | | Activated Partial Thromboplastin Time (APTT) | | Amylase (AMY) | | Lead (LEAD) | | |
| Hepatic Function Panel** (HFP) Alb, TBili, DBili, Alk Phos, TP, ALT, AST | | Prothrombin Time/APTT (PTPTT) | | Bilirubin, Total and direct (BILI) | | Lipase (LIPA) | | |
| | | Fibrinogen (FIBR) | | Bilirubin, total (BILITO) | | Magnesium (MG) | | |
| Comprehensive Metabolic Panel** (CMP) Alb, TBili, Ca, CO ₂ , Cl, Creat, Glu, Alk Phos, K, TP, Na, ALT, AST, BUN | | D-Dimer (DDIM) | | Blood Urea Nitrogen (BUN) | | Monospot Test (MONOTS) | | |
| | | Heparin Assay (HEPASY) | | Calcium (CA) | | Parathyroid Hormone Intact with Calcium (PTHNT) | | |
| Lipid Panel (LIPP) Chol, Trig, HDL, LDL, VLDL | | T/B/NK (Lymphocyte Subset Analysis) | | Complement 3 (C3) | | Phenobarbital (PHENO) | | |
| | | T/B/NK RA/RO (TBNKRA) | | Complement 4 (C4) | | Phosphorus (PHOS) | | |
| Glucose Tolerance Test 2Hr Only (GTT2H) | | Blood Bank | | Cholesterol (CHOL) | | Pregnancy Serum (PREGQT) | | |
| | | Blood Type ABO and RH (ABORH) | | C-Reactive Protein (CRP) | | Pregnancy Urine (UPREG) | | |
| Microbiology | | Type and Screen (TYSC) | | Creatinine (CREAT) | | Rapamycin/Sirolimus (RAPAMY) | | |
| Special Instructions ***These tests have special instructions for collection. If the sample submitted for this testing is collected outside of the CHO A lab, see the CHO A test menu (www.testmenu.com/choa) for important information to avoid specimen rejection*** | | Direct Coombs (DAT) | | Creatinine Phosphokinase (CK) | | Sodium (Na) | | |
| | | Isohemagglutinin Titer (ISOHEM) | | Cystatin C (CYSCP) | | Tacrolimus (TAC) | | |
| | | Other Tests: | | | Epstein Barr Serology Panel (EPBARR) | | Thyroxine Free (T4FREE) | |
| | | Miscellaneous Testing | | | Ferritin (FER) | | Thyroid Stimulating Hormone (TSH) | |
| Blood Culture (CUBLD) | | HIV-1 RNA Quantitative NAAT (HIVIQ) | | Glucose (GLU) | | Triglyceride (TRIG) | | |
| ***Stool Culture (CUSTOL) | | CMV by PCR (CMVQT) | | HIV-1 p24 Ag and HIV-1-2 Ab with Reflex (HIVCMB) | | Urinalysis with reflex to culture (UA) | | |
| ***Urine Culture (CURINE) | | EBV by PCR (EBVQT) | | | Urinalysis without reflex to culture (UAN) | | | |
| ***Fecal Fat, Qual. (FFATQL) | | ***C. difficile by PCR (CDTPCR) | | Hemoglobin A1C (HBA1CU) | | Vitamin D, 25-hydroxy (VITAMD) | | |
| ***Occult Blood Stool (OCBLDS) | | Sweat Chloride (SWCL) (By Appointment ONLY; Call 404-785-6014. To fax patient orders for Sweat Testing ONLY use, 404-785-4542) | | Hepatitis B Surface Antigen (HBAGP) | | Vancomycin (VANR) | | |
| ***Ova & Parasites (OVAPAR) | | | | Hepatitis Acute Serology Panel (HPACUT) | | | | |
| Other Tests: | | | | Iron w/Iron Binding Capacity (IRONB) | | | | |

***Diagnosis coding needs to support the medical necessity of each component of the ordered panel in order to be submitted to government sponsored payers (Medicare, Medicaid, Tricare).

Physician address: _____

Scottish Rite Campus: 1001 Johnson Ferry Road, NE, Atlanta, GA 30342

Arthur M. Blank Campus: 2220 N Druid Hills RD NE, Atlanta, GA 30329

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Laboratory: 404-785-5276, Fax Number: 404-785-4963

Laboratory: 404-785-6415, Fax: 470-555-6195

Orthopedics and Sports Medicine



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Patient referral form

Appointments: To schedule, call 404-255-1933 Monday through Friday from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. or visit choa.org/appointments 24/7.

Referral fax: 404-943-8066.

Reason for patient visit:

Injury/fracture Spine/scoliosis Limp Hip pain
 Sports injury Club foot Concussion Other

Provider (choose one):

ORTHOPEdic SURGEONS

Jed Axelrod, MD Jill Flanagan, MD Dana Olszewski, MD
 Robert Bruce Jr, MD Nicholas Fletcher, MD Crystal Perkins, MD
 Michael Busch, MD Denver Kraft, MD Michael Schmitz, MD
 Dennis Devito, MD Dell McLaughlin, MD Tim Schrader, MD
 Jorge Fabregas, MD Joshua Murphy, MD S. Clifton Willimon, MD

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 James Crownover, MD

ORTHOPEdicISTS

Saji Azerf, MD Robert Montero, MD Jarod Stevenson, DO

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 J. Brian Kelly, PA-C Caitlin Parsons, PA-C
 Jessica King, PA-C Tori Robertson, PA-C

Location (choose one):

Center for Advanced Pediatrics: 2174 North Druid Hills Road NE, Second Floor, Atlanta, GA 30329
 Children's at Meridian Mark: 5445 Meridian Mark Road, Suite 250, Atlanta, GA 30342
 Children's at Cherokee: 1558 Riverstone Parkway, Suite 100, Canton, GA 30114
 Children's at Duluth: 2270 Duluth Highway 120, Suite 100, Duluth GA 30097
 Children's at Fayette: 1250 Highway 54 West, Suite 200, Fayetteville, GA 30214
 Children's at Forsyth: 410 Peachtree Parkway, Suite 300, Cumming, GA 30041
 Children's at Hamilton Creek: 2240 Hamilton Creek Parkway, Suite 600, Dacula, GA 30019
 Children's at Hudson Bridge: 1492 Hudson Bridge Road, Stockbridge, GA 30281
 Children's at Old Milton: 3300 Old Milton Parkway, Suite 310, Alpharetta, GA 30005
 Children's at Town Center Outpatient Care Center: 605 Big Shanty Road NW, Kennesaw, GA 30144
 Athens: 1181 Langford Drive, Bldg. 200, Suite 101, Watkinsville, GA 30677
 Douglasville: 6095 Professional Parkway, First Floor, Douglasville, GA 30134
 Macon: 250 Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard, Macon, GA 31201

_____ Patient's name

_____ Patient's date of birth

_____ Appointment date

_____ Appointment time

Patient family checklist:

Log-in to MyChart at choa.org/MyChart and complete pre-appointment paperwork.
 Bring X-rays, if available.
 Bring a specialist referral, if required by insurance.



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Children's Healthcare of Atlanta PULMONARY FUNCTION ORDER FORM

Please check the preferred campus for testing

- Arthur M. Blank Campus
2220 N Druid Hills RD NE
Atlanta GA 30329
404-785-6290 office 404-785-9222 fax
- Scottish Rite Campus
1001 Johnson Ferry Road NE
Atlanta GA 30342
404-785-2096 office 404-785-9222 fax

Name _____

Date of Birth-DOB _____

MRN# _____

Account/HAR# _____

PATIENT IDENTIFICATION

Parent Name: _____

Address: _____

Home Phone Number: _____

Work/cell number: _____

Ordering MD: _____

Ordering MD Phone Number: _____

Appointment Date/Time: _____

Diagnosis and ICD10 code: _____

Simple Spirometry CPT 94010

Spirometry Pre & Post Bronchodilator (Bronchodilator must be indicated) CPT 94060

Indicate Bronchodilator: _____ 4 puffs Albuterol MDI with Aerochamber or 5mg Albuterol via aerosol

Complete PFT by plethysmography (Spirometry/ Lung Volumes) CPT 94010 & 94726

Complete PFT pre & post bronchodilator by plethysmography CPT 94060 & 94726

(Spirometry/lung volumes/Airway resistance & post bronchodilator)

Indicate Bronchodilator: _____ 4 puffs Albuterol MDI with Aerochamber or 5mg Albuterol via aerosol

Diffusing Capacity (DLCO) CPT 94729

Pulmonary Stress Test for Exercise Induced Bronchospasm (pt to wear tennis shoes and work out clothes)

(Spirometry/lung volumes/Airway resistance/post bronchodilator/post Spirometry) CPT 94617 & 94726**

Simple Pulmonary Stress Test - 6 Minute Walk CPT 94618**

Methacholine Challenge-CPT 94070 **WITHHOLD ALL ASTHMA MEDS & ANTIHISTAMINES 48 hours prior to test*****

Pentamidine Therapy 300 mg via aerosol CPT 94642 given monthly for _____month (s) Patient to receive pre-bronchodilator therapy with 2.5mg Albuterol via aerosol or 4 puffs Albuterol via MDI

Nitrogen Washout (spirometry and gas dilution for determination of lung volumes including distribution of ventilation and closing volumes) CPT 94727 and 94010 (AMBH only)

Indirect Calorimetry (Oxygen uptake, expired gas analysis, REE at rest) CPT 94690 (AMBH only)

** Please remind your patient to WEAR TENNIS SHOES and WORK-OUT CLOTHES **

*** WITHHOLD ALL ASTHMA MEDICATIONS for 24 HOURS PRIOR to test.***

PHYSICIAN SIGNATURE: _____

DATE/TIME: _____

PHYSICIAN Printed Name and Fax # for results _____



Pediatric Imaging

Arthur M. Blank
2220 N Druid Hills RD NE
Atlanta, GA 30329
404-785-2787
FAX: 404-785-9082

Scottish Rite
1001 Johnson Ferry Road
Atlanta, GA 30342
404-785-2787
FAX: 404-785-9062

Webb Bridge
3155 North Point Pkwy,
Alpharetta, GA 30005
404-785-9729
FAX: 404-785-9175

Town Center
625 Big Shanty Road,
Kennesaw, GA 30144
404-785-9729
FAX: 404-785-9175

Hughes Spalding*
35 Jesse Hill Dr. SE,
Atlanta, GA 30303
404-785-9988
FAX: 404-785-9972

**Satellite Blvd
(Fluoro Unavailable)**
2660 Satellite Blvd.,
Duluth, GA 30098
404-785-9729
FAX: 404-785-9175

ALL AREAS BELOW IN BOLD ARE REQUIRED

Patient's FULL LEGAL Name: _____ **DOB:** _____ **Home Phone:** _____

Address: _____ **City:** _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Guarantor E-mail: _____ **Cell Phone:** _____

Insurance/Medicaid Plan: _____ **Policy & Group #:** _____

Authorization#: _____ (Please also fax copy of Insurance card, front & back, with this order)

Reason For Exam (Signs, Symptoms, Chief Complaint) _____

Diagnosis Code (Need ICD-10, Description): _____

REQUIRED

******Please be sure to include Clinical Notes******

Ordering Physician's Signature: _____

Print Physician Name: _____

Date/Time Signed: _____

PCP Name (if different): _____

Is the patient a foster child? _____

Special Instructions

Send CD with patient

Schedule for (date/time): _____

Office Contact: _____

Practice Phone: _____

Backline Phone: _____

Fax: _____

PCP Fax: _____

Order Comments / Research Patient / Other? _____

X-RAY

- | | | |
|--|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neck Soft Tissue | <input type="checkbox"/> Nasal Bones | <input type="checkbox"/> Forearm (2 views) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Clavicle Complete | <input type="checkbox"/> Joint Survey 1 view, (Rickets) | <input type="checkbox"/> Wrist (min 3 views) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chest (1/2 views) | <input type="checkbox"/> C-Spine, 2 or 3 views | <input type="checkbox"/> Hand (min 3 views) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Infant Chest w/ Abdomen | <input type="checkbox"/> T Spine (2 views) | <input type="checkbox"/> Finger(s) (min 2 views) <input type="radio"/> LEFT |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ribs Bilateral 3 views | <input type="checkbox"/> Scoliosis | <input type="checkbox"/> Femur (2 views) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ribs Bilateral w/ Chest (min 4 views) | <input type="checkbox"/> L-Spine, 2-3 views (complete) | <input type="checkbox"/> Knee (min 2 view) <input type="radio"/> RIGHT |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Abdomen AP (KUB) | <input type="checkbox"/> Sacrum/Coccyx (2 views) | <input type="checkbox"/> Tibia/Fibula (2 views) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Abdomen 2V | <input type="checkbox"/> Skeletal Survey | <input type="checkbox"/> Ankle, 2/3 views <input type="radio"/> BILATERAL |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pelvis (1-2 views) | <input type="checkbox"/> Bone Age | <input type="checkbox"/> Foot (min 2 views) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Nose-Rectum, foreign object | <input type="checkbox"/> Bone Length (i.e. scanogram) | <input type="checkbox"/> Toe(s) (min 2 views) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Shunt Series | <input type="checkbox"/> Shoulder (min 2 views) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sinuses, <3/3+ views | <input type="checkbox"/> Humerus (min 2 views) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Skull, <4 views | <input type="checkbox"/> Elbow (2 views) | |

FLUOROSCOPY / OTHER

- | | | |
|--|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Voiding Cystourethrogram (with urine culture) | <input type="checkbox"/> Airway Fluoro/Diaphragm | <input type="checkbox"/> Mod Barium Swallow (OPMS with speech therapist) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Voiding Cystourethrogram (no culture) | <input type="checkbox"/> Upper GI Series (thru duodenum) | <input type="checkbox"/> GI Tube Injection |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cystogram (non-voiding) | <input type="checkbox"/> Upper GI Series with Scout | <input type="checkbox"/> Cont Inject Eval CVA Line |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Esophagram | <input type="checkbox"/> UGI SBFT (esophagus thru colon) | OTHER |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Barium Enema | <input type="checkbox"/> DXA Bone Density (AMB and Scottish Rite Only) |
| | | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

ULTRASOUND

- | | | |
|---|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Abdomen Complete <input type="checkbox"/> w/Doppler | <input type="checkbox"/> Breast Complete <input type="checkbox"/> R <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> Bil | Doppler Vascular |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Elastography | <input type="checkbox"/> Joint Effusion _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Aorta/IVC/SMA/MALS |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Abdomen Limited | <input type="checkbox"/> Thyroid | <input type="checkbox"/> Venous <input type="checkbox"/> Up <input type="checkbox"/> Low <input type="checkbox"/> R <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> Bil |
| <input type="checkbox"/> RUQ <input type="checkbox"/> Intussusception | <input type="checkbox"/> Soft Tissue Head/Neck (Mass/Node) | <input type="checkbox"/> Arterial <input type="checkbox"/> Up <input type="checkbox"/> Low <input type="checkbox"/> R <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> Bil |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pylorus <input type="checkbox"/> Appendix | <input type="checkbox"/> Soft Tissue Extremity | <input type="checkbox"/> Doppler IJV/Carotid <input type="checkbox"/> R <input type="checkbox"/> L <input type="checkbox"/> Bil |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Soft Tissue Abdomen | Infant Only |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Retroperitoneal (Renal) <input type="checkbox"/> w/Doppler | <input type="checkbox"/> Soft Tissue Pelvis | <input type="checkbox"/> Hips (<6 mos) <input type="checkbox"/> Dynamic <input type="checkbox"/> Static |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Kidney Transplant | <input type="checkbox"/> Soft Tissue Chest | Does child have a harness? <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pelvis Non/OB <input type="checkbox"/> w/Doppler | <input type="checkbox"/> Contrast <input type="checkbox"/> CEVUS <input type="checkbox"/> CEUS | <input type="checkbox"/> Spine (<4 mos) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Scrotum <input type="checkbox"/> w/Doppler | <input type="checkbox"/> TCD Hospital Only (HgbSS/SC) | <input type="checkbox"/> Encephalogram (Cranial/Brain <12 m) |

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CALL REPORT

Advanced Pediatric Imaging

- Arthur M. Blank, Scottish Rite, Webb Bridge, Town Center, *Hughes Spalding (CT only)

ALL AREAS BELOW IN BOLD ARE REQUIRED

Patient's FULL LEGAL Name: DOB: Home Phone: Address: City: State: Zip: Guarantor E-mail: Cell Phone:

Insurance/Medicaid Plan: Policy & Group #: Authorization#: (Please also fax copy of Insurance card, front & back, with this order)

Reason For Exam (Signs, Symptoms, Chief Complaint): DIAGNOSIS CODE (Need ICD-10, Description):

REQUIRED ****Please be sure to include Clinical Notes****

Ordering Physician's Signature: Office Contact: Print Physician Name: Practice Phone: Date/Time: Backline Phone: Fax: PCP Name (if different): PCP Fax: Is the patient under foster care? Order Comments / Research Patient / Other?

SEDATION QUESTIONNAIRE

Developmental Delay? History of apnea or obstructive breathing (e.g. snoring)? Does this child require General Anesthesia? Previous complication with sedation?

MRI

- Neuro: Brain, Sella, Limited Ventricule Check, Seizure Brain, MRS (Spectroscopy), Perfusion, Functional, Brain & Optic Pathway, Orbits, Face, Neck, IAC/Mastoid, Brachial Plexus, C Spine, T Spine, L Spine
Body: Abdomen, Pelvis, Abdomen & Pelvis, Liver Elastography, Enterography, Urography, Ferriscan, Bone Marrow, Whole Body, (CNO/CRMO, Cancer Screening or Vascular Malformation)
Cardiac: Chest, Heart w/Stress, Heart Velocity/Flow Mapping, Heart Iron Quantification, Fetal: Neuro, Body, MRI Placenta
Upper Extremities: Shoulder, Clavicle, Sternum, Humerus, Elbow, Forearm, Wrist, Hand, Finger, Thumb, Glenoid Dysplasia
Lower Extremities: Pelvis, Hip, Femur, Knee, Tib/Fib, Ankle/Hindfoot, Whole Foot, Midfoot, Forefoot/Toes
Arthrograms: Shoulder, Knee, Hip, Wrist, Elbow

MRA: Head, Neck, Chest, Abdomen, Pelvis, Entire Arm, Entire Leg, L, R, Other:
MRV: Head, Neck, Chest, Abdomen, Pelvis, Entire Arm, Entire Leg, L, R, Other:
With Contrast, Without Contrast, With & Without Contrast, Radiologist Discretion

PET (AMB ONLY)

Sedation Possible (<10yr)
PET CT Whole Body, PET CT Whole Body Gallium Dotatate, PET CT Brain, Other

CT

- Head, Orbit, Sella, Ear, Maxillofacial / Sinus, Neck, Sinus CT Pre-Surgical
Cervical Spine, Thoracic Spine, Lumbar Spine, Pelvis
Chest, Abdomen, Abdomen /Pelvis, Limited Hip (Spica)
Upper Extremity, Lower Extremity, 3D Rendering, Other
CT Angiography: Head, Neck, Chest, Abdomen, Abdomen/Pelvis
With Contrast, Without Contrast, With & Without Contrast, Radiologist Discretion

NUCLEAR MEDICINE (HOSPITAL ONLY)

- Sedation Possible (<8yr or Special Needs)
Nuclear Cystogram, Thyroid Scan w/Uptake-Multi (I-123), Thyroid Ablation, HIDA q with CCK, Gastric Emptying Scan, Meckels Scan, Brain Scan w/ SPECT
Kidney w/ Lasix (MAG3), Kidney w/o Lasix (MAG3), Kidney, Static (DMSA), Lung Scan Perfusion, Lung Scan Ventil & Perfusion, CSF Shunt Evaluation, Other
Bone Scan, w/ SPECT, 3 Phase Bone Scan (specify area), DXA Bone Density, MIBG Whole Body SPECT/CT, Salivagram, Liver/Spleen

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Interventional Radiology

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 2220 North Druid Hills RD NE
 Atlanta, GA 30329
 404-785-0122
FAX: 404-785-9040

Scottish Rite
 1001 Johnson Ferry Road
 Atlanta, GA 30342
 404-785-0122
FAX: 404-785-9040

Name _____
 Date of Birth _____
 MRN# _____
 Account/HAR# _____
PATIENT IDENTIFICATION

IR Email: IR@Choa.org

ALL AREAS BELOW IN BOLD ARE REQUIRED

| | | |
|--|----------------------------|---------------------|
| Patient's FULL LEGAL Name | Date of Birth | Phone Number |
| Address | City, State | ZIP |
| Insurance/Medicaid Plan | Policy & Group# | |
| Authorization# <i>(Please also fax a copy of insurance card, front and back, with this order)</i> | Guarantor's Email | |
| Reason For Exam (Signs, Symptoms, Chief Complaint) | | |
| Exam to be Completed <i>(If procedure is a Lumbar Puncture, Please notate below if opening/closing pressures are necessary along with CSF samples or CSF samples alone.)</i> | | |
| Lab Orders <i>(If any specimens are to go to the lab, please place Lab Orders below. If this section is not completed, no studies will be completed by the lab.)</i> | | |
| ALL OFFICE CONTACT INFORMATION REQUESTED IS MANDATORY | | |
| Ordering Physician's Printed Name | Practice Name | |
| Ordering Physician's Signature | Office Contact | |
| Date/Time Signed | Backline Phone | Fax |
| PCP Name (if different): | PCP Fax | |

Interventional Radiology

| | |
|--|-------------------------------|
| Special Instructions Date / Time Req: _____ Confirmed Appt: _____ Foster Child: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Contact: _____ | Order Comments / Other |
|--|-------------------------------|



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REHABILITATION SERVICES ORDER

| Patient Information | |
|-----------------------|---|
| First Name: | _____ |
| Last Name: | _____ |
| Date of Birth: | _____ Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female |
| Interpreter Required: | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Language: _____ |
| Parent/Guardian: | _____ |
| Phone (Home): | _____ Cell: _____ |

Referring and Medical Diagnosis:

ICD-10 Code(s):

AUDIOLOGY EVALUATIONS: Hearing Eval, 6+ MO Newborn Hearing Screening/Follow-up, 0-6 MO
 Sedated, *OVER 4 mo adjusted age, Auditory Brainstem Response Non-Sedated, *UNDER 4 mo adjusted age, Auditory Brainstem Response

AUDIOLOGY AMPLIFICATION/HEARING DEVICES: New Hearing Aid Patient Established Hearing Aid Patient Cochlear Implant Services
 Bone Conduction Hearing Device for surgical implants Bone Conduction Hearing Device for softband Swimplugs/ Musician's Earplugs

AUDIOLOGY SPECIALTY EVALUATIONS: Audiology Vestibular Evaluation Auditory Processing Eval, 7+yrs old

ADVANCED TECHNOLOGY AND ROBOTIC REHABILITATION (OT/PT) Evaluate and treat as recommended for: Occupational Therapy Physical Therapy
****order for Advanced Technology and Robotic Rehabilitation must be signed by a specialist**

ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY (OT/PT/ST) Evaluate and treat as recommended for:

Date of Last Doctor's Office Visit: _____-_____-_____ (GA Medicaid Requirement) Patient's Height: _____ ft _____ in Weight: _____ lbs

Augmentative Communication Computer Access/Environmental Control Evaluation Seating and Mobility

ORTHOTICS & PROSTHETICS Specify Device _____ With PT Evaluation & Treatment With OT Evaluation & Treatment

Cranial Remolding Orthosis Cranial Remolding Orthosis with PT Evaluation & Treatment

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY (OT) Evaluate and treat as recommended for General OT or choose a specialty OT below

SPECIALTY OT Aquatic Therapy OT, Scottish Rite Aquatics Constraint Induced Movement Therapy

Serial Casting OT Splinting Hand Therapy Driver Rehabilitation

PHYSICAL THERAPY (PT) Evaluate and treat as recommended for General PT or choose a specialty PT below

SPECIALTY PT Aquatic Therapy PT, Scottish Rite Aquatics Serial Casting PT Splinting Vestibular

SPEECH-LANGUAGE THERAPY (ST) Evaluate and treat as recommended for: General ST with hearing eval if last results are >6 mo old or choose a specialty ST below

SPECIALTY ST Feeding ST, Flexible Endoscopic Evaluation of Swallowing Oral Pharyngeal Motility Study/Modified Barium Swallow

Voice Disorder

Physician's State of Medical Necessity and Services: The above-named individual is currently under my medical care. I have recommended the services/apparatus indicated which is medically necessary for optimal care of the condition for which I have been consulted.

Rehabilitation Potential: Good Fair Poor Recommended Frequency: _____ times per _____ week or month

Physician's Printed Name: _____

For questions about anything on this order please contact

Physician's Signature: _____

Physician Office Contact's Name: _____

Date: _____-_____-_____ Time: _____ AM PM

Contact's Phone Number: _____

Physician's License Number: _____

Fax Number: _____

Visit choa.org/rehabprofessionals for more information or to reorder this form.

Some physicians are affiliated healthcare professionals on the Children's Healthcare of Atlanta team are independent providers and are not our employees.

| For this service: | Parents, call this number to schedule: | Physicians, fax order to this number: |
|---|--|---------------------------------------|
| Rehabilitation/ Audiology (for services not listed below) | 404-785-7100 | 404-785-7113 |
| Hand Therapy | 404-785-4611 | 404-785-3732 |
| Assistive Technology | 404-785-3718 | 404-785-3768 |
| Orthotics and Prosthetics, Cranial Remolding | 404-785-3229 | 404-785-5690 |
| OPMS, FEES - Arthur M. Blank Hospital | 404-785-3255 | 404-785-1158 |
| OPMS, FEES - Scottish Rite and Children's at Webb Bridge (OPMS only at Webb Bridge) | 404-785-2270 | 404-785-5311 |
| Center for Advanced Technology and Robotics Rehabilitation | 404-785-4908 | 404-785-4388 |
| Driver Rehabilitation | 404-785-3300 | 404-785-3270 |
| Aquatics | 404-785-0841 | 404-785-5311 |
| To request an appointment online: choa.org/rehabappointment or choa.org/citapararehabilitacion | | |

| Location | Rehab/ Audiology | Orthotics & Prosthetics |
|---|------------------|-------------------------|
| <p align="center">Scottish Rite Campus</p> <p>Scottish Rite Hospital: 1001 Johnson Ferry Road NE, Atlanta, GA 30342 The Center for Advanced Technology and Robotic Rehabilitation, Aquatics, OPMS, and FEES are located inside Scottish Rite Hospital.</p> <p>Medical Office Building at Scottish Rite 5461 Meridian Mark Road NE, Suite 300, Atlanta, GA 30342 <i>A service of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital</i></p> | X | |
| <p>Arthur M. Blank Hospital: 2220 North Druid Hill Road NE, Atlanta, GA 30329 OPMS and Fees are located inside Arthur M. Blank Hospital</p> | X | |
| <p>Children's at North Druid Hills 1605 Chantilly Drive, Atlanta, GA 30324 <i>A service of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital</i></p> | X | |
| <p>Driver Rehabilitation 993 F Johnson Ferry Road, Suite 260, Atlanta, GA 30342 <i>A service of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital</i></p> | X | |
| <p>Children's at Webb Bridge 3155 North Point Parkway, Building A, Alpharetta, GA 30005 <i>A service of Children's at Arthur M. Blank Hospital</i></p> | OPMS only | |
| <p>Children's at Town Center 605 Big Shanty Road NW, Kennesaw, GA 30144 <i>A service of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital</i></p> | X | X |
| <p>Center for Advanced Pediatrics: 2174 North Druid Hills NE, 6th Floor, Atlanta, GA 30329 <i>A service of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital</i></p> | | X |
| <p>Children's at Duluth 2270 Duluth Highway 120, Suite 200, Duluth, GA 30097 <i>A service of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital</i></p> | | X |
| <p>Children's at Fayette 1250 Highway 54 West, Suite 200, Fayetteville, GA 30214 <i>A service of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital</i></p> | | X |
| <p>Children's at Forsyth 410 Peachtree Parkway, Suite 300, Cumming, GA 30041 <i>A service of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital</i></p> | | X |
| <p>Children's at Meridian Mark 5445 Meridian Mark Road, NE, Suite 200, Atlanta, GA 30342 <i>A service of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital</i></p> | | X |
| <p>Children's at Old Milton Parkway 3300 Old Milton Parkway, Suite 370, Alpharetta, GA 30005 <i>A service of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital</i></p> | | X |

Visit choa.org/locations for door-to-door driving directions.

Rheumatology



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Referral form

- Non-urgent referrals:** Fax this form to 404-785-9111.
- Urgent referrals:** Fax this form to 404-785-9096. Call 404-785-DOCS (3627) if you would like to discuss this case with the on-call rheumatologist.

Today's date

Patient's name: _____

Patient's date of birth: _____

Patient's gender: Male Female

Parent/guardian's name: _____

Cellphone: _____ Alternate phone: _____

Interpreter required: Yes No Language requested: _____

Referring provider's name: _____

Office phone: _____ Office fax: _____

Referring provider's status with patient: PCP Not PCP

PCP name: _____ PCP phone: _____

Reason for referral (check all that apply):

- Joint pain and swelling Muscle weakness Recurrent fevers Rash
- Uveitis Abnormal labs Other: _____

Did you send relevant labs pertaining to this referral? Yes No

- If yes, are the results included with this form? Yes No

- If yes, are any lab results still pending at this time? Yes No

- List labs that are still pending: _____

Were imaging studies performed (X-ray, ultrasound, CT, MRI)? Yes No

- If yes, are the results included with this form? Yes No

- Have the patient bring a CD with images if they were not performed at a Children's Healthcare of Atlanta facility.

Did another physician or specialist recommend this referral? Yes No

- If yes, have all relevant clinic notes, labs and/or imaging study reports from the specialist been faxed? Yes No

- If you do not have records from the specialist, provide the following:

Specialist name: _____ Phone: _____

Checklist:

- Fax all appropriate records to our office prior to the patient's visit. This includes office visit notes, imaging studies (X-rays, MRI, etc.) and lab results. If lab results are pending at the time records are faxed, make sure the completed results are sent over when available.
- If the patient had imaging studies, ask the family to bring a disc with the images to their rheumatology appointment.
- If the patient has seen other specialists related to their symptoms, send these records to us as well.

Children's Healthcare of Atlanta Sleep Disorders Laboratory Order Form

Please print clearly

Child's name: _____ Sex: M F Child's DOB: _____

Children's MRN (if known): _____ Parent/Guardian's Name: _____

Address: _____

Primary phone: _____ Alt. Phone: _____ Email: _____

Preferred language: English Spanish Other: _____

Ordering physician: _____ Office Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Primary care physician (if not the ordering physician): _____

Source: Office TDPC Craniofacial MDA Sickle cell Other: _____

Previous study: No Yes If Yes: Children's Healthcare of Atlanta Other: _____

Reason for study: _____

List signs/symptoms, do not use "rule out," "probable," "suspected," etc.

ICD-10 Code (sleep related; required) Check all that apply: R06.83 (snoring) G47.33 (obstructive sleep apnea)

G47.36 (hypoxemia) other(s) _____

Other medical problems: Down Syndrome ADHD Autism Sickle cell Tracheostomy Obesity

Insurance company: _____ Group/ID #: _____

Pre-certification/authorization number: _____

If pre-certification is required by insurance, please obtain and fax the authorization to us no later than one week before the test date.

Evaluation Requested: (for explanation, visit choa.org/sleep or call us)

Nocturnal Polysomnogram (CPT code 95810 if > 6 yrs or 95782 if < 6 yrs of age)

This is a complete overnight study that includes sleep staging and respiratory parameters

Check here if you would like us to order O2 (if needed) and provide consultation/follow up

Cardiology patients: Provide the child's baseline/expected SpO2 _____

CPAP or Bi-level PAP titration (CPT code 95811 if > 6 yrs or 95783 if < 6 yrs of age)

CPAP/BPAP titration order form required; a sleep medicine or pulmonology consult is recommended

Multiple Sleep Latency Test (MSLT) (CPT code 95805)

Nap study for narcolepsy; must also order the Nocturnal Polysomnogram above

A sleep medicine consult is required before an MSLT unless previously evaluated by a neurologist

Special study requests and/or special needs of the child: _____

We will schedule the study at the Children's Sleep Laboratory that is best for the family and the parameters requested:

Arthur M. Blank Hospital Sleep Center Satellite Boulevard Sleep Center Scottish Rite Hospital Sleep Center

Interpreting group for this study (each of our sleep specialists can interpret studies performed at any location):

Arthur M. Blank Hospital-based sleep physicians: Roberta Leu, Amit Shah, Daniel Torrez

Scottish Rite Hospital-based sleep physician: Sophia Kim

The ordering physician must choose the interpreting group and send clinical notes before we can schedule the study.

Ordering physician signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Please print name clearly: _____

Fax this form and history/clinical notes to 404-785-2211

Questions: Contact Central Scheduling at 404-785-2974 or sleepcenterschedulingoffice@choa.org



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SPORTS MEDICINE ORDER FORM

Name _____

Date of Birth _____

MRN# _____

Account/HAR# _____

PATIENT IDENTIFICATION

Patient's name: _____ Date: _____ Parent phone number: _____

Diagnosis/CD10 Code: _____

Precautions/specific instructions: _____

Physical Therapy Evaluate and treat

Gait training

- Crutches
- Non weight-bearing
- Touchdown weight-bearing
- Partial weight-bearing
- Weight-bearing as tolerated
- Full weight-bearing

Manual therapy

- Joint mobilization
- Soft tissue mobilization

Modalities

- Cold packs
- Electrical stimulation
- Dry Needling
- Iontophoresis
- Laser therapy (LLLT)
- Ultrasound
- As indicated

Therapeutic exercise

- Passive ROM
- Active assisted ROM
- Active ROM
- Strengthening
- Isokinetic strengthening/test
- Home exercise program
- Posture education
- Neuromuscular re-education
- Other _____

Motion analysis

- Running analysis
- Throwing/pitching analysis
- Other _____

Return to sport

- Baseball and softball
- Basketball
- Cheerleading
- Cycling
- Dance
- Diving
- Football
- Gymnastics
- Lacrosse
- Running
- Soccer
- Swimming
- Tennis
- Track and field
- Volleyball
- Wrestling
- Other _____

Register online

Your child's doctor has recommended physical therapy rehabilitation through our Sports Medicine Program.

Visit choa.org/sportsregistration to register for an appointment.

After you submit your child's information through our Sports Medicine Program website, a staff member will contact you to schedule an appointment and answer any questions.

Physician's signature

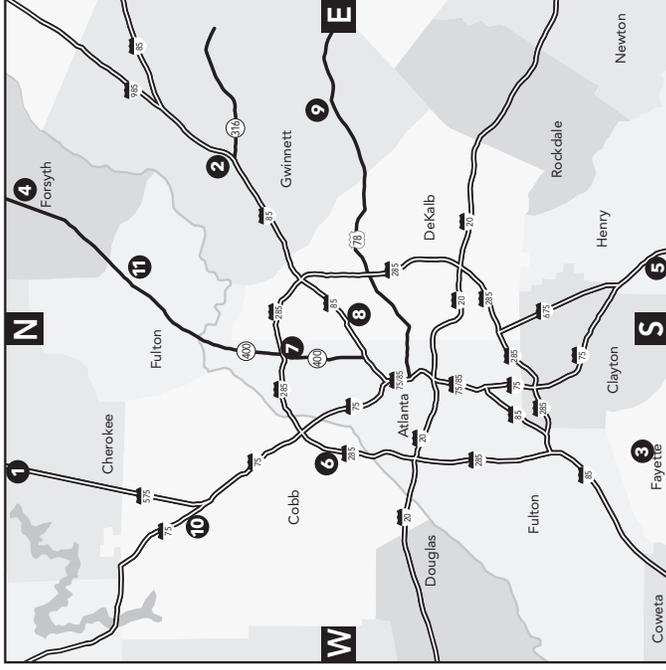
Physician's printed name

Date

Time

Sports Medicine Program locations

1. **Children's at Cherokee**
A service of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital
1554 Riverstone Parkway, Suite 160
Canton, GA 30114
2. **Children's at Duluth**
A service of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital
2270 Duluth Highway 120, Suite 200
Duluth, GA 30097
3. **Children's at Fayette**
A service of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital
1250 Highway 54 West, Suite 200
Fayetteville, GA 30214
4. **Children's at Forsyth**
A service of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital
410 Peachtree Parkway, Suite 300
Cumming, GA 30041
5. **Children's at Hudson Bridge**
A service of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital
1496 Hudson Bridge Road
Stockbridge, GA 30281
6. **Children's at Ivy Walk**
A service of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital
1675 Cumberland Parkway, Suite 305
Smyrna, GA 30080
7. **Children's at Meridian Mark**
A service of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital
5445 Meridian Mark Road NE, Suite 290
Atlanta, GA 30342
8. **Children's at North Druid Hills**
A service of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital
1605 Chantilly Drive NE, Suite 201
Atlanta, GA 30324
9. **Children's at Snellville**
A service of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital
2220 Wisteria Drive, Suite 204 Snellville,
GA 30078
10. **Children's at Town Center**
A service of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital
605 Big Shanty Road NW
Kennesaw, GA 30144



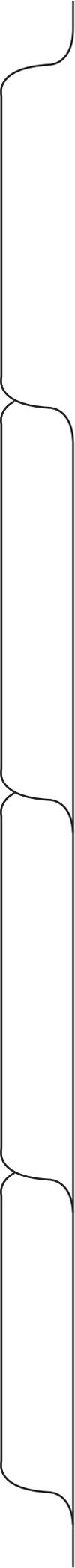
11. Children's at Webb Bridge

A service of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital
3155 North Point Parkway
Building A, Suite 100
Alpharetta, GA 30005

**To schedule an appointment, please call
404-785-8660**



Guidelines and tools



Guidelines

The following guidelines are meant to be general recommendations. If you have a specific question, call 404-785-DOCS (3627). Note, guidelines for additional specialties are in-progress and will be added as they are finalized.

- **Allergy and immunology:** Guidelines for referrals
- **Emergency:** Referring patients to a Children’s Emergency Department
- **Endocrinology:** Guidelines for referrals
- **Endocrine and obesity:** A physician’s quick guide
- **Gynecology:** Guidelines for referrals
- **Hematology/Oncology:** Guidelines for referrals
- **Nephrology:** Guidelines for referrals
- **Neurology:** Guidelines for referrals
- **Neuropsychology:** Guidelines for referrals
- **New-onset seizures:** Primary care guidelines
- **Radiology:** Sedation guidelines for CT and MRI
- **Rheumatology:** Guidelines for referrals
- **Strong4Life:** Obesity Treatment Clinic referral guidelines

Allergy and Immunology



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Guidelines for referrals

Below is a list of guidelines to follow when referring a patient to Children's Healthcare of Atlanta Allergy and Immunology. **Note, we do not accept new referrals for patients older than age 18.** These guidelines are intended to be general recommendations. If you have specific questions, call **404-785-DOCS (3627)** and ask to speak with the on-call allergist/immunologist.

Due to a high demand for our pediatric allergy/immunology services, patients may be triaged by the severity of their medical condition. Because environmental allergies (e.g. dust, pollen, etc.) are common conditions that can be effectively treated with over-the-counter allergy medications in many cases, we have developed an expedited diagnostic and treatment algorithm to help aid you in providing your patients timely care.

Conditions we treat

- Poorly controlled or complicated allergic rhinitis and/or conjunctivitis (hay fever, seasonal allergies)
*Patients with simple, uncomplicated environmental allergies can often be effectively diagnosed and treated prior to referral***
- Asthma/recurrent wheezing
- Anaphylaxis
- Atopic dermatitis/eczema
Do not perform allergy testing prior to referral
- Food allergies
- Sinusitis
- Chronic urticaria (hives occurring repeatedly for a period >6 weeks)
- Angioedema (swelling)
- Drug/medication allergies
- Insect sting allergies
- Eosinophilic esophagitis (EE or EoE)
- Primary immunodeficiency/Inborn errors of immunity (IEI)
- Recurrent/unusual infections
- Follow-up of abnormal newborn screens for IEI
- Recurrent/unusual infections
- Follow-up of abnormal newborn screens for IEI

Conditions we do not treat

- Pediatric Autoimmune Neuropsychiatric Disorders Associated with Streptococcal Infections (PANDAS)
- Postural Orthostatic Tachycardia Syndrome (POTS) / undifferentiated "mast cell" symptoms - *sometimes called Mast Cell Activation Syndrome (MCAS)*
- Long COVID
- Chronic fatigue syndrome/myalgic encephalomyelitis
- Autoimmune concerns - *Refer these patients to a rheumatologist.*
- Suspected contact dermatitis - *Refer these patients to a dermatologist as we do not perform patch testing in our clinic.*
- Isolated episode of acute urticaria without a clear trigger - *This is usually caused by an infection and is not allergic. Evaluation and testing are usually not indicated in this scenario.*

****** For patients with suspected **allergic rhinitis/environmental allergies**, you can initiate a diagnosis and treatment. For many patients with uncomplicated allergies (e.g. no sleep disturbance, difficult-to-control asthma, chronic sinus disease) the steps listed below are often sufficient to provide significant and rapid relief, and an allergy referral may not be necessary.

- If your patient has already had allergy testing for environmental allergies, tips on allergen avoidance measures can be found at choa.org/parent-resources.
- If your patient has not been tested, we recommend regional environmental allergy panels to measure serum IgE to common inhalant allergens. These panels are available through Children’s lab (test code INHALP), Quest Lab (test code 10285) and LabCorp (test code 602629).
 - **Because food IgE tests are frequently returned falsely positive, we strongly recommend that you do not order food allergy testing unless your patient has a clear history of an immediate reaction to food.**
 - **If you add food testing to an environmental panel, choose only the individual food(s) the patient has already clinically reacted. IgE panel testing is usually not appropriate for food allergy.**
- After avoidance measures, the first line evidence-based treatment for allergies is intranasal steroids given daily during the allergy season. These are often administered with PRN oral antihistamines and allergy eye drops. Intranasal antihistamines can be used as an alternative. Many of these are available over the counter, and some payers cover prescriptions for OTC meds written by a provider. Visit choa.org/parent-resources to view various options and dosing recommendations.
- Most patients respond well to allergen avoidance and medical therapy. If the above measures are not helping and/or your patient is specifically interested in allergen immunotherapy (e.g. allergy shots), we can discuss alternative treatment.

Urgent referrals

If you feel your patient needs to be seen urgently, denote “urgent” on the allergy/immunology referral form. **All referrals marked “urgent” are reviewed and clinically triaged to help make sure the patients with highest medical need are seen in a timely fashion.** If you wish to speak to the on-call allergist/immunologist, call **404-785-DOCS (3627)**.

Examples of conditions that may warrant an urgent referral include:

- An infant with atopic dermatitis and suspected food allergy.
- A severe immune deficient patient or an abnormal newborn screen for SCID.
- Severe allergic reaction/anaphylaxis (usually resulting in an emergency department visit and/or hospitalization) without an obvious avoidable trigger.

Referrals and medical records

- Place an internal ambulatory referral in Epic. If you are not a part of CHOA Epic, submit an [online referral](#) or complete our [printable referral form](#) and fax it to **404-785-9111**.
- Please make sure all appropriate medical records are faxed to our office with the referral. This includes prior allergy/immunology testing and labs and pertinent imaging studies. If the patient has been seen by an allergist/immunologist previously, include these records as well.

Thank you for trusting us to care for your patient. We look forward to working together.



Referring patients to a Children's Emergency Department



Children's Healthcare of Atlanta believes effective communication between community pediatricians, urgent care physicians and our Emergency Department physicians is an important part of our shared goal to provide high-quality care to our patients. Before you transfer a patient, review the following information. This will help you and patient families better connect with our services. **Do not send patients to the Emergency Department if they do not have a true emergent need.**

If you feel as though your patient warrants a direct admission, call the Transfer Center and discuss the case with the hospitalist on call. The patient may be able to bypass a trip to the Emergency Department depending on the complaint, the acuity, the workup that has already been completed and the comfort level of the admitting team.

Step 1: Call the Transfer Center at 404-785-7778 or 888-785-7778.

We need to know:

- The patient's name, date of birth and sex.
- The patient's complaint and any other relevant medical, personal or other history.
- The patient's lab results. Send copies of all labs or verbally detail the lab values.
- Relevant workup that has been completed for the patient. The Emergency Department physician will review this information to avoid any duplication.
- Whether the patient needs air or ground transportation.
- Your cell phone or after-hours contact information for the Emergency Department physician to use if they have questions regarding the patient; direct cell phone numbers are preferred rather than practice numbers, because patient arrival and workup times may take place after hours.
- Whether you would like updates on your patient.

Step 2: Decide if you need to speak to an Emergency Department physician regarding an emergent patient.

We need to know:

- Your preferences or concerns regarding the patient.
- Your patient's specific symptoms and the disease process(es) you are concerned about.

Direct communication can help us better understand your specific concerns and your desired outcome for the visit. This may help to increase efficiency, enhance the patient experience and reduce unreasonable expectations.

Step 3: Advise the parents/guardians on next steps.

- To help set proper patient family expectations, advise families that they may not see a specialist in the Emergency Department. The Emergency Department physicians will determine if the patient's condition requires an immediate evaluation by a specialist. This is often not required. Emergency Department physicians will also determine if the patient needs diagnostic testing, admission, etc.
- Tell them to keep the child NPO if you anticipate there may be a need for sedation or anesthesia.
- They can download the Children's mobile app to get step-by-step directions to a Children's Emergency Department. This free app can be downloaded on a mobile device by searching for Children's Healthcare of Atlanta on Google Play or the App Store. Visit choa.org/app to learn more.
- Have them call **404-785-KIDS (5437)** if they have questions or need to reach their child's room after they have been admitted.

Following up on patients

- Check accessCHOA for updates on your patient or visit the physician portal to review clinical guidelines.
- If you need an update on a patient while they are in the Emergency Department, call the Transfer Center at **404-785-7778** or **888-785-7778**. Representatives will attempt to connect you with the patient's Emergency Department care provider.

Leadership team contacts

We're here to help. Contact us if you need to connect with our leadership team regarding the Emergency Department.

Primary contacts

Reena Blanco, MD, Medical Director, Emergency Medicine at Arthur M. Blank Hospital
reena.blanco@choa.org

Mark Griffiths, MD, Medical Director, Emergency Medicine at Hughes Spalding Hospital
mark.griffiths@choa.org

Jim Beiter, MD, Medical Director, Emergency Medicine at Scottish Rite Hospital
james.beiter@choa.org

Toni Gross, MD, Division Chief, Emergency Services
toni.gross@choa.org

For unresolved issues, contact our campus medical directors:

- Scottish Rite Hospital: Margaux Charbonnet, MD
margaux.charbonnet@choa.org
- Arthur M. Blank Hospital: Stephanie Jernigan, MD
stephanie.jernigan@choa.org
- Hughes Spalding Hospital: Chevon Brooks, MD
chevon.brooks@choa.org

Frequently asked questions

At Children's, we are committed to helping physicians experience a smooth transition from patient care in our system through discharge to the patient's primary medical home.

Q: Does the Children's Transfer Center transfer patients to all Children's hospital campuses?

A: Yes, the Children's Transfer Center transfers patients to all Children's hospital campuses, including the Emergency Departments at Arthur M. Blank Hospital, Hughes Spalding and Scottish Rite.

Q: Who do I call if I am not certain the patient needs to be transferred and wish to consult with an on-call pediatric specialist?

A: If you feel your patient may need to be transferred and wish to consult with an on-call specialist, contact the Transfer Center anytime at **404-785-7778**. A registered nurse will assist you in coordinating this consult.

Q: What is the difference between the Transfer Center and 404-785-DOCS (3627)?

A: The Transfer Center, **404-785-7778**, assists physicians and outside facilities with transfers into our system. The Transfer Center helps with emergent patients and transport needs and consults on patients who need immediate or real-time interventions and guidance.

Our main physician line, **404-785-DOCS**, is not for Emergency Department patients. This contact number helps you connect to Children's services for non-urgent reasons during business hours without having to remember multiple numbers.

Q: Will I be contacted once my patient is discharged?

A: Yes. You will receive notification of patient discharge through fax. We are aware that this process needs improvement and will continue to look for ways to improve communication, specifically related to notifications of patient death. We welcome your feedback on how we can address your important concerns.

Q: How can I help make sure that I get an update about my patient?

A: Notify the Transfer Center that you would like an update from the emergency physician and be sure to leave your direct cell phone or after-hours phone number where you can be reached. On average, it takes patients two to three hours to arrive at the Emergency Department following your referral. Evaluation and test results may take an additional two hours.

Q: What if my patient wants to go to the Emergency Department because they need a diagnostic test or want to get in sooner to see a specialist?

A: We realize that many patient families do not wish to wait for their appointment with a specialist or want to complete a diagnostic test after hours. These nonemergent visits to the Emergency Department affect our efforts to provide care and efficient service. We are working to centralize referrals and reduce Children's Physician Group wait times. We are growing our offerings in many key specialty areas and are providing single points of contact for patients and physicians to improve patient access. We continue to rely on your support to help patient families appropriately utilize the Emergency Department.

Visit choa.org/guidelines for clinical guidelines and resources.



Guidelines for referrals

Below is a list of guidelines to follow when referring a patient for a consultation to Children's Healthcare of Atlanta Endocrinology. These are meant to be general recommendations. If you have specific questions, call **404-785-DOCS (3627)** and ask to speak with the on-call endocrinologist.

Common conditions treated

- Adrenal disorders (e.g., adrenal insufficiency)
- Bone disorders
- Calcium disorders, including hypercalcemia and hypocalcemia
- Cholesterol disorders
- Congenital adrenal hyperplasia
- Cushing syndrome
- Delayed, absent or early puberty
- Diabetes insipidus
- Disorders of the anterior pituitary gland
- Disorders of sex development
- Growth disorders
- Gynecomastia in males
- Hirsutism in females
- Hypoglycemia
- Prader-Willi syndrome
- Prolactin disorders
- Rickets
- Short stature
- Syndrome of inappropriate antidiuretic hormone (SIADH)
- Thyroid nodules
- Thyroid disorders, including hyperthyroidism and hypothyroidism
- Turner syndrome
- Type 1 diabetes mellitus
- Type 2 diabetes mellitus

Urgent referrals

If you feel your patient needs to be seen as soon as possible, note "urgent" on your referral. All referrals marked "urgent" are triaged to help make sure patients are seen in a timely fashion. If you wish to speak to the on-call endocrinologist, call 404-785-DOCS (3627). Generally, conditions that may warrant an urgent initial outpatient visit include, but are not limited to:

- New Type 1 or 2 diabetes.
- Congenital hypothyroidism (neonate).
- Goiter or palpable nodule, if clinical findings include asymmetric gland, increasing size or discomfort, abnormal thyroid biopsy.
- Abnormal height velocity or crossing percentiles **and** associated with severe headaches and/or blurry vision.
- Hypoglycemia and failure to thrive.

Routine referrals

There are several conditions we see that may not warrant an urgent evaluation given the available resources. These may include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Short stature (current height less than 3rd percentile for age or crossing percentiles on repeated growth measurements)
- Precocious puberty >7 years of age
- Delayed puberty
- Non-palpable nodule on thyroid (seen on ultrasound)
- Possible hypothyroidism with TSH <20 uIU/ml
- Congenital hypothyroidism (already on treatment)

E-consult

For non-urgent medical requests, we offer e-consult via accessCHOA. E-consult offers physicians the opportunity to receive timely guidance on lower-complexity and data-oriented clinical questions that may not require an in-person evaluation. One of our specialists will typically respond within three business days. Patient family consent is required.

Referral checklist and guidelines for common diagnoses

When referring a patient for any reason, you must include office notes and growth curves. Otherwise, we will not be able to schedule your patient. In the table below, we have listed the labs and/or documents we require for the most common referrals. If the suspected diagnosis is not listed below, you only need to include office notes, labs that have already been ordered and visual growth curves with plotted points (multiple points are preferred, if applicable).

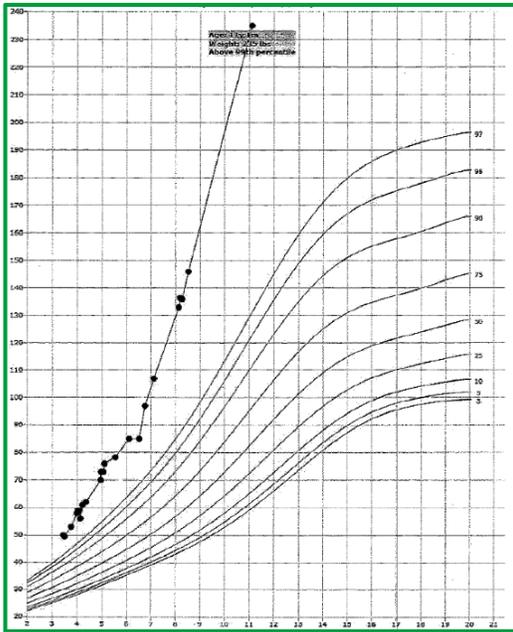
| Suspected diagnosis | Labs/documents required before scheduling | Criteria for referral | Steps to take if criteria are not met, but concern for condition still exists |
|---------------------------------------|--|---|---|
| Abnormal thyroid function | <input type="checkbox"/> Office notes <input type="checkbox"/> Growth curves <input type="checkbox"/> Thyroid function tests | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Goiter present • TSH > 9 uIU/mL • Free T₄ < 0.8 ng/dL and/or total T₄ < 5 mcg/dL | <p>If initial (TSH) is elevated, but < 8.9 uIU/mL, repeat labs in one month with TSH, free T₄, thyroid peroxidase autoantibody (TPO) and antithyroglobulin autoantibodies (ATG). Document thyroid exam.</p> <p>If there is no goiter and BMI >85%, TSH remains minimally elevated and autoantibodies are negative, TSH should return to normal after weight loss is achieved. No further testing required</p> <p>For positive autoantibodies and normal thyroid function please refer.</p> |
| Diabetes, obesity, metabolic syndrome | <input type="checkbox"/> Office notes <input type="checkbox"/> Growth curves <input type="checkbox"/> A1c <i>If a patient has an established diabetes diagnosis, send all available records with focus on initial lab eval.</i> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Due to the large volume of referrals of this nature, we redirect patients with an A1c <6.5% to Strong4Life, regardless of acanthosis or hyperinsulinemia • One or more positive diabetes antibody | <p>For possible Type 2 Diabetes, two abnormal values are required to diagnose diabetes in the absence of symptoms. Values include:</p> <input type="checkbox"/> Fasting glucose >126 mg/dl or <input type="checkbox"/> 2-hr post-prandial glucose >200 mg/dl or <input type="checkbox"/> A1c >6.5% |
| Hypoglycemia/syncope | <input type="checkbox"/> Office notes <input type="checkbox"/> Growth curves <input type="checkbox"/> Glucose | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Documented serum glucose < 60 mg/dl | <p>Consider another specialty referral based on symptoms.</p> |
| Hyperlipidemia | <input type="checkbox"/> Office notes <input type="checkbox"/> Growth curves <input type="checkbox"/> Fasting lipid panel | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LDL ≥190 mg/dL • HDL < 20 mg/dl • Triglycerides > 300 mg/dl • Moderate LDL elevation (130-189 mg/dL), no response to lifestyle management after 6 months and known risk factors | <p>For moderate LDL elevation (130-189 mg/dL), lifestyle management is recommended for 6 months before referring to endocrinology.</p> <p>Abnormal triglyceride levels that are <300 mg/dL may respond to lifestyle management plus-or-minus fish oil.</p> |
| Short stature and poor weight gain | <input type="checkbox"/> Office notes <input type="checkbox"/> Growth curves | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Poor weight gain and • Abnormal growth velocity | <p>If growth velocity is well maintained but weight gain appears to be lacking, growth hormone deficiency is unlikely. We recommend a referral to GI.</p> |

| Suspected diagnosis | Labs/documents required before scheduling | Criteria for referral | Steps to take if criteria are not met, but concern for condition still exists |
|------------------------------|---|---|--|
| Short stature in adolescents | <input type="checkbox"/> Office notes <input type="checkbox"/> Growth curves <input type="checkbox"/> Bone age | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bone age for female read < 15 years of age • Bone age for male read at < 16 years of age • < 2 years post menarche | <p>99% of final adult height achieved when bone age is > 15 years in females and > 16 years in males. No intervention available to enhance final adult height.</p> <p>Two years post menarche, final adult height is achieved.</p> |
| Vitamin D Deficiency | <input type="checkbox"/> Office notes <input type="checkbox"/> Growth curves <input type="checkbox"/> 25 OH Vitamin D | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Physical exam consistent with nutritional rickets • Radiographic evidence of rickets • Alkaline phosphatase above age normal limits | Begin Vitamin D supplementation based on American Academy of Pediatrics guidelines. |

Growth curves

We require growth curves for all referred patients prior to scheduling. Note, it is very important to provide a **visual line graph**, ideally for both height and weight, although both are not required. Multiple points are preferred, *if available*. If you have only seen the patient once, we will accept graphs with single points.

Sufficient



Insufficient



| Vitals with Age Percentiles | 8/11/2016 | 12/15/2016 | 7/20/2017 | 4/20/2018 | 4/20/2018 | 6/20/2019 | 6/20/2019 |
|-------------------------------|-----------|--------------|-----------|------------|------------|-------------|--------------|
| Height percentile | | 84.1 % | 79.1 % | | 60.5 % | | 66.9 % |
| Systolic percentile | | | | | | | |
| Diastolic percentile | | | | | | | |
| Weight percentile | 38.2 % | 39.4 % | 32.7 % | | 61.3 % | | 42.6 % |
| Head Circumference percentile | | 98.4 % | | | | | |
| Length | | 95.3 cm | 99.1 cm | | 102 cm | | 114.5 cm |
| Systolic | | | 90 | | 94 | | 90 |
| Diastolic | | | 59 | | 50 | | 62 |
| Head Circumference | | 21.250 | | | | | |
| Pulse | | | | | | | |
| Weight | 27 lb | 26 lb 6.1 oz | 30 lb | | 36 lb 4 oz | | 39 lb 6.1 oz |
| Body Mass Index | | | | 15.6 kg/m2 | | 13.63 kg/m2 | |
| Body Mass Index percentile | | 5.7 % | 4.3 % | | 65.0 % | | 6.8 % |
| BODY SURFACE AREA | | | | 0.68 | | 0.75 | |

Office notes

Office notes are crucial in helping us determine the intricacies of your patient’s case. Note, we require office notes *beyond* just the reason for referral. Whether you refer to them as Clinical Notes, History of Present Illness (HPI), Interval History or Notes, what we need are notes that the provider took during the last visit that explain the child’s case and chief concern. A short “reason for referral” is **not** sufficient. See examples below.

Sufficient



| | |
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| Diagnosis | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Congenital hypothyroidism ICD-10: E03.1: Congenital hypothyroidism without goiter |
| Order Name | Orders included: 1 Congenital hypothyroidism ICD-10: E03.1: Congenital hypothyroidism without goiter <ul style="list-style-type: none">• PEDIATRIC ENDOCRINOLOGIST REFERRAL Schedule within: provider’s discretion |
| Notes | 6 mo. male, former 30-week premature delivery – with congenital hypothyroidism, h/o elevated TSH x3 on newborn screenings. Presented for primary visit on [date], repeat TSH elevated to 5.4, normal free T4. Telephone consult with Dr. LastName. Advised to refer to pediatric endo at 6 mo. of age. Please evaluate and assist. |

Insufficient



Referral
Date requested: 08/16/2021
Requested by: FirstName LastName, NP
Referral to: pediatric endocrinology
Summary of care provided:
Reason for referral/notes: abnormal endocrine function
ICD code: ICD-10: R94.7: abnormal endocrine function

Required documentation

Specific documentation is required for the following diagnoses:

- Congenital hypothyroidism and congenital adrenal hyperplasia
 - Units of measurement for all lab results
- Precocious puberty
 - Documented physical exam to include tanner staging.

Pediatric endocrinology and obesity



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A physician's quick guide to helping children with obesity

At Children's Physician Group–Endocrinology and Strong4Life, our goals are to diagnose pathological causes of obesity and manage endocrine complications of obesity. This document provides a synopsis of endocrine problems that commonly arise in general pediatric management of obesity.

Etiology of obesity

Short stature or slow growth velocity in a growing obese child is a red flag for a pathological cause. Obesity onset before age 5 is typical in children with a monogenic cause of obesity. However, only 5% of children with early onset obesity have a known genetic case.

Common conditions

Cushing syndrome

This can be difficult to diagnose. Look for features beyond obesity and striae, including short stature, hypertension, proximal limb muscle wasting or weakness, and diabetes. The overnight dexamethasone suppression test is used to evaluate the risk of Cushing syndrome.

- One dose of 15 mcg/kg (max 1 mg) dex po at 11 p.m., and check cortisol the following morning between 7 a.m. and 9 a.m.
- Cortisol should be <2.0 mcg/dL.

Diabetes

- Screen for diabetes every three years in asymptomatic, obese children ages 10 to 19 years old with a family history of Type 2 diabetes, high-risk race or signs of insulin resistance. There is no agreed upon best test (fasting glucose, random glucose, HbA1c).
- Insulin levels do not effectively predict future Type 2 diabetes.
- Apart from lifestyle management, there is no approved therapy for children with prediabetes. Patients with prediabetes that persists after a serious effort to manage lifestyle for greater than six months may benefit from metformin treatment or an endocrine consult.

- A diabetes education consultation or a referral to Strong4Life can be arranged through Children's Healthcare of Atlanta for children with prediabetes.

High LDL cholesterol

- Ensure a fasting sample was obtained.
- Take an average of two samples drawn two to 12 weeks apart when patient is not acutely ill.
- Check for primary disease-causing high LDL cholesterol (i.e., fasting CMP, TSH and urinalysis).
- For moderate elevation (130-189 mg/dL), lifestyle management is recommended for all patients. If no response within six months, evaluate for the following risk factors:
 - Hypertension
 - Smoking
 - Diabetes
 - Nephrotic syndrome
 - Renal failure
 - Renal transplant
 - History of Kawasaki disease
 - HIV
 - Chronic inflammation
 - Cancer survivor
 - Family history of premature cardiovascular disease
- If a high-risk factor is present, the child may benefit from lipid clinic consult.
- If LDL \geq 190 mg/dL, a referral to the lipid clinic is recommended irrespective of risk factors present.

High fasting triglycerides

High triglycerides with low HDL cholesterol is common in obese children. Children with severely low HDL (<20 mg/dL) may benefit from a lipid clinic consult.

- Ensure fasting sample was obtained.
- Take an average of two samples drawn two to 12 weeks apart when patient is not acutely ill.
- Check for primary disease-causing high triglyceride (i.e., fasting CMP, TSH and urinalysis).
- Abnormal levels that are <300 mg/dL may respond to lifestyle management plus or minus fish oil.
- Levels >300 mg/dL may benefit from a lipid clinic consult.

Polycystic ovarian syndrome (PCOS)

Normal variations in adolescents can make a PCOS diagnosis difficult using standard criteria. Minimum requirements for diagnosis include:

- Irregular or absent ovulation
- Clinical signs of high androgens (e.g., hirsute and severe acne)

Differential diagnosis of adrenal disease or an ovarian tumor can be evaluated with minimal investigation.

- 17-hydroxyprogesterone
- Free testosterone
- DHEA-S
- TSH
- Fasting complete metabolic profile
- Fasting lipid profile
- hCG (urine or serum)
- \pm 25 (OH) vitamin D

A combined oral contraceptive pill (OCP) is the first line of therapy. Use OCP with low androgen activity. Consider the risk for thrombosis before starting oral contraceptive. Metformin is used by some, but it is not a Food and Drug Administration (FDA)-approved indication.

Evaluating complications of obesity

Thyroid function testing

- If initial thyroid-stimulating hormone (TSH) is high but <9 uIU/mL, palpate thyroid gland and repeat TSH and Free T4. Get thyroid peroxidase autoantibody (TPO) and antithyroglobulin autoantibodies.
- If there is no goiter, TSH remains minimally elevated and autoantibodies are both negative, TSH should return to normal after weight loss is achieved.
- If there is a goiter present, TSH rises above 9 uIU/mL or either autoantibody is positive, a referral to endocrinology is indicated.

Contact us



Call 404-785-DOCS (5437) to make a referral or for a physician-to-physician consult.



Visit choa.org/md for more information and to access our online referral form.



Guidelines for referrals

Below is a list of guidelines to follow when referring a patient for a consultation to Children's Physician Group—Gynecology. These are meant to be general recommendations. If you have specific questions, call **404-785-DOCS (3627)** and ask to speak with the on-call gynecologist.

Common conditions treated

- Abnormal uterine bleeding
- Adnexal masses (ovarian/paraovarian cysts)
- Amenorrhea
- Complex contraception (pregnancy prevention in medically complex patients)
- Congenital adrenal hyperplasia
- Delayed puberty
- Disorders of sex development
- Dysmenorrhea
- Endometriosis
- Hormone replacement therapy
- Menstrual suppression for special needs
- Mullerian (uterine) anomalies
- Pelvic inflammatory disease
- Precocious puberty
- Premature ovarian insufficiency
- Polycystic ovarian syndrome
- Urethral prolapse
- Vaginal anomalies
- Vulvar vaginal issues
 - Vaginal discharge
 - Prepubertal vulvovaginitis
 - Labial/vulvar masses and ulcers
 - Lichen sclerosus
 - Labial adhesions
 - Labial hypertrophy
 - Genital tract trauma

For patients with the conditions listed below, we recommend a referral to our Adolescent Medicine Clinic, located at Hughes Spalding Hospital (phone: 404-785-9850), or an external gynecology provider.

- **New patients >16 years:** irregular periods, vulvovaginitis, contraceptive counseling, dysmenorrhea
- **Return patients >16 years:** controlled symptoms and no complex medical issues

Urgent referrals

Most issues we see do not warrant an urgent referral. However, if you feel your patient needs to be seen as soon as possible, note “urgent” on your referral. All referrals marked “urgent” are triaged to help make sure patients are seen in a timely fashion. If you wish to speak to the on-call pediatric gynecologist, call 404-785-9635. Generally, conditions that may warrant an urgent initial outpatient visit include, but are not limited to:

- Ovarian, pelvic, adnexal masses
- Acute genital tract trauma
- Differences of sexual development
- Vaginal/menstrual outflow tract obstruction

Routine referrals

The majority of conditions we see may not warrant an urgent evaluation given the available resources. These may include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Heavy menses
- Irregular or abnormal menstrual bleeding
- Painful menses (dysmenorrhea, endometriosis, pelvic pain NOS)
- Vaginal discharge or pain
- Precocious puberty
- Delayed puberty
- PCOS

Referral checklist and guidelines for common diagnoses

When referring a patient, you must include office notes. Otherwise, we will **not** be able to schedule your patient.

In the table below, we have listed the labs and/or documents we require for the most common referrals. If the suspected diagnosis is not listed below, you only need to include office notes and labs that have already been ordered.

| Suspected diagnosis | Labs/documents required before scheduling | Criteria for referral | Suggested work-up | Possible initial management |
|--|---|---|---|--|
| Heavy menses | <input type="checkbox"/> Office notes <input type="checkbox"/> Lab results if ordered | Bleeding >7days, >7 pads per day, menses resulting in anemia | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CBC • Von Willebrand panel • Fibrinogen • TSH • Iron studies | ***Aygestin; combined oral contraceptive pill (OCP); consider the risk for thrombosis before starting OCP* |
| Precocious puberty | <input type="checkbox"/> Office notes <input type="checkbox"/> Growth curve <input type="checkbox"/> Lab results if ordered | Breast, genital hair, vaginal bleeding prior to age 8 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LH • FSH • Estradiol • TSH • Prolactin | |
| Delayed puberty | <input type="checkbox"/> Office notes <input type="checkbox"/> Growth curve <input type="checkbox"/> Lab results if ordered | No pubertal development by age 13 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LH • FSH • Estradiol • TSH • Prolactin | |
| Primary amenorrhea | <input type="checkbox"/> Office notes <input type="checkbox"/> Growth curve <input type="checkbox"/> Lab results if ordered | No menses by age 15 or 3 years after menarche | See irregular menses workup | |
| Irregular menses, oligomenorrhea, Polycystic Ovarian Syndrome (PCOS) | <input type="checkbox"/> Office notes <input type="checkbox"/> Growth curve <input type="checkbox"/> Lab results if ordered | Irregular or absent bleeding Do labs if any androgenizing symptoms (acne, hirsutism) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LH • FSH • Estradiol • 17-hydroxy-progesterone • Free testosterone • DHEA-S • TSH • Fasting complete metabolic profile • Fasting lipid profile • hCG (urine or serum) • Prolactin | OCP is the first line of therapy; consider the risk for thrombosis before starting OCP* Metformin is used by some, but it is not an FDA-approved indication |
| Pelvic mass | <input type="checkbox"/> Office notes <input type="checkbox"/> Imaging report* | We must have imaging report prior to scheduling appointment | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Patient to bring disc with images | |
| Dysmenorrhea | <input type="checkbox"/> Office notes <input type="checkbox"/> Imaging if done | | | Ibuprofen 600mg TID; heating pads, warm bath, physical activity |
| Complex contraception | <input type="checkbox"/> Office notes <input type="checkbox"/> Lab results if ordered | Patient has underlying medical problem that would prohibit adolescent medicine or general GYN from providing care | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gonorrhea • Chlamydia • Trichomonas • +/-RPR and HIV | |

*AUB labs should be drawn **before** starting hormone therapy, if indicated.

***Initial therapy in patient with heavy menstrual bleeding that is actively bleeding

- Taper if hgb 8-11.9 and actively bleeding:
 - Aygestin 10mg BID x3 days until 3 days after bleeding stops then continue 10mg daily OR
 - Orthocyclen 1 tab q8 hours x3 days, then BID x2 days, then daily
- Maintenance if hgb >11.9 or not actively bleeding:
 - Aygestin 10mg daily OR
 - Orthocyclen 1 tab daily (may skip placebo week)
- Send to Emergency Department for active bleeding (not spotting) and hgb <8

Growth curves

We require growth curves for all referred patients prior to scheduling. Note, it is very important to provide a **visual line graph**, ideally for both height and weight, although both are not required. Multiple points are preferred, *if available*. If you have only seen the patient once, we will accept graphs with single points.

Figure A

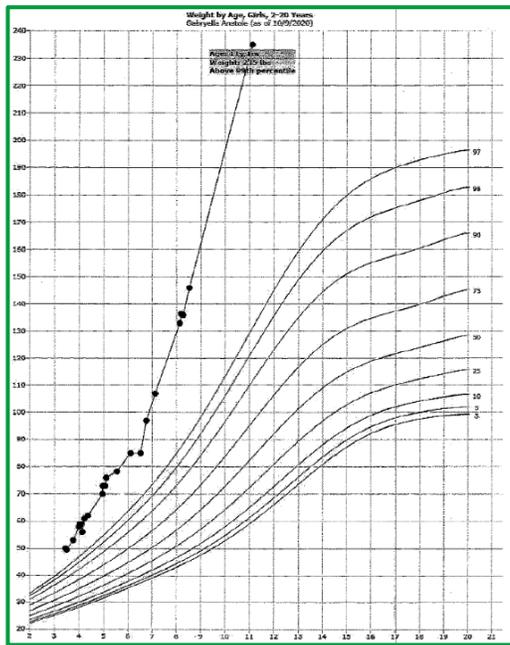


Figure B



| Vitals with Age Percentiles | 8/11/2016 | 12/15/2016 | 7/20/2017 | 4/20/2018 | 4/20/2018 | 6/20/2019 | 6/20/2019 |
|-------------------------------|-----------|--------------|-----------|------------|------------|-------------|--------------|
| Height percentile | | 84.1 % | 79.1 % | | 60.5 % | | 66.9 % |
| Systolic percentile | | | | | | | |
| Diastolic percentile | | | | | | | |
| Weight percentile | 38.2 % | 39.4 % | 32.7 % | | 61.3 % | | 42.6 % |
| Head Circumference percentile | | 90.4 % | | | | | |
| Length | | 95.3 cm | 99.1 cm | | 102 cm | | 114.5 cm |
| Systolic | | | 90 | | 94 | | 90 |
| Diastolic | | | 58 | | 50 | | 62 |
| Head Circumference | | 20.250 | | | | | |
| Pulse | | | | | | | |
| Weight | 27 lb | 26 lb 6.1 oz | 30 lb | | 36 lb 4 oz | | 39 lb 6.1 oz |
| Body Mass Index | | | | 15.8 kg/m2 | | 13.63 kg/m2 | |
| Body Mass Index percentile | | 5.7 % | 4.3 % | | 65.0 % | | 6.8 % |
| BODY SURFACE AREA | | | | 0.68 | | 0.75 | |

Office notes

Office notes are crucial in helping us determine the intricacies of your patient's case. Note, we require office notes *beyond* just the reason for referral. Whether you refer to them as Clinical Notes, History of Present Illness (HPI), Interval History or Notes, what we need are notes that the provider took during the last visit that explain the child's case and chief concern. A short "reason for referral" is **not** sufficient. See examples below.

Insufficient



Referral

Date Requested: 08/16/2021

Requested by: anastasiya drogoul, NP

Referral To: Pediatric Endocrinology

Summary of Care Provided

Reason for Referral/Notes: breast buds and pubic hair

ICD Code: Precocious puberty (ICD-10: E30.1)

Sufficient



Menarche 11/20. Cycles have been very heavy with clots, uses 5-6 pads/day. Cycles last 2-4 weeks
Asthma -mild persistent. On Ventolin HFA prn and Flovent daily. Needs refills

Aflac Cancer and Blood Disorders Center



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Referral Guidelines

Below is a list of guidelines to follow when referring a patient for a consultation with the hematology/oncology practice at the Aflac Cancer and Blood Disorders Center. These are meant to be general recommendations. If you have specific questions, call **404-785-DOCS (3627)** and ask to speak with the on-call hematologist or oncologist. If you have a question regarding a patient needing urgent care, call **404-785-7778** to connect directly with the Children's Transfer Center.

Common conditions treated

- Abnormal bleeding
- Thrombosis (excessive clotting)
- White blood cell problems (neutropenia, leukocytosis)
- Anemia
- Erythrocytosis
- Thrombocytosis (platelet counts >500,000)
- Thalassemia major/Hb H disease
- ITP/low platelets
- Sickle cell disease
- Immunohematology
- Lymphadenopathy
- Leukemia/lymphoma
- Solid tumor
- Brain tumor
- Histiocytosis
- Cancer predisposition (genetics/genetic counseling)
- Survivorship (>2 years off therapy)
- Bone marrow transplant

Urgent referrals

If you feel your patient needs to be seen as soon as possible, note "urgent" on your referral. All referrals marked "urgent" are triaged to help make sure patients are seen in a timely fashion. If you wish to speak to the on-call hematologist/oncologist, call **404-785-DOCS (3627)**. If you have an urgent referral for one of the below concerns, please call **404-785-7778** to connect with the Children's Transfer Center directly.

- Significant concern for new oncologic diagnosis
- Severe anemia (hemoglobin <6)
- ITP with platelet counts <20K
- Concern for new blood clot
- Severe neutropenia with fever (ANC <500)

Routine referrals

All referrals are reviewed for clinical appropriateness and may be deemed routine given the available resources. There are some conditions that do not need a referral to hematology/oncology at Children's. These may include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Elevated lead levels (see current CDC guidelines)
- Henoch-Schonlein Purpura (HSP), a non-hematologic disorder
- Mild or moderate iron deficiency anemia without a trial of iron (Hgb >8, iron trial x1 month)
- Thrombocytosis with platelet counts <500,000
- Any patient currently pregnant
- Any patient 18 and older with a new hematologic diagnosis with no existing relationship with the Aflac Cancer and Blood Disorders Center
- Any patient 21 and older with a new cancer diagnosis with no existing relationship with the Aflac Cancer and Blood Disorders Center (exceptions made for available clinical trials)

Note: All referrals to the Vascular Anomalies Clinic should be directed to vac@choa.org.

Referral checklist

All referrals are reviewed for clinical appropriateness. If appropriate, they are assigned to a team and scheduled based on the information provided. **When referring a patient for any reason, you must include all patient demographics, clinical notes, as well as labs and/or scans that may have been completed. Otherwise, we will not be able to schedule your patient.**

Other recommendations to help ensure your referral can be addressed in a timely manner:

- Be specific about what the referral is for and include a possible diagnosis (i.e., anemia, low WBC count).
- If you are referring for an abnormal newborn screen, include a copy of the newborn screen and any other associated workup or treatment notes.
- Provide a phone number and direct extension (if applicable) for the referring provider or someone within the practice who can answer questions about the referral.



Guidelines for referrals

Below is guidance to follow when referring a patient for a consultation with Children's Healthcare of Atlanta Nephrology, including our Hypertension Clinic. These are meant to be general recommendations. If you have specific questions, call **404-785-DOCS (3627)** and ask to speak with the on-call nephrologist. You will almost always be speaking directly with an attending nephrologist.

Conditions treated

- Congenital kidney problems
- Kidney failure
- Kidney stones
- Nephrotic syndrome
- Proteinuria
- Cystic kidney disease
- Glomerulonephritis
- Hematuria
- Hemolytic uremic syndrome
- Hypertension
- Enuresis
- Electrolyte abnormalities
- Urinary tract infections

Urgent referrals

If you feel your patient needs to be seen immediately, call **404-785-DOCS (3627)**. Some of these patients may warrant an Emergency Department evaluation or hospitalization. Generally, conditions that may warrant an Emergency Department evaluation, hospitalization or an urgent initial outpatient visit include, but are not limited to:

- **Nephrotic syndrome:** Urgent clinic if normal renal function and absence of severe edema; else, Emergency Department
- **Severe hypertension**
 - Stage 2 hypertension: Urgent clinic
 - Symptomatic hypertension or BP > 30 mm Hg above the 95% (>160/100 in adolescent): Discuss with nephrologist
- **Acute kidney injury with electrolyte abnormalities:** Go to the nearest Emergency Department
- **Acute glomerulonephritis:** Discuss with nephrologist
- **HSP with significant proteinuria:** Urgent clinic visit if renal function is normal; else, discuss with nephrologist; obtain random or first AM (preferred) urine protein/creatinine ratio, renal function panel* and microscopic urinalysis
- **Proteinuria with decreased kidney function:** Discuss with nephrologist
- **Gross hematuria:** Discuss with nephrologist if findings of glomerulonephritis (elevated BP, elevated creatinine or hypoalbuminemia); consider these labs if suspect glomerulonephritis: renal function panel*, urine protein/creatinine ratio C3, C4 and ANA; consider urine culture if fever, dysuria, frequency; consider ultrasound if significant pain, may need urgent evaluation (urology or Emergency Department)
- **Severe edema:** Inability to open eyes or walk due to edema, difficulty breathing due to abdominal distension, GU swelling causing skin irritation

Lab tests and ultrasound results that do not need a referral

- Elevated BUN/creatinine ratio: Normally elevated in young children due to low creatinine levels
- Elevated BUN and normal creatinine: Mildly elevated BUN is rarely a concern if creatinine is normal
- Elevated urine protein if urine protein/creatinine ratio is normal (< 0.2 mg/mg or <200 mg/g)
- Isolated urine crystals, unless cystine or 2,8-dihydroxyadenine crystals
- Kidney length asymmetry if both kidneys are normal in length
- Duplicated collecting system is a normal variant unless associated with hydronephrosis, urine leaking due to ectopic ureter or dysplasia

Conditions that should be referred to other specialists

- Hydronephrosis → urology
- Symptomatic kidney stones (inability to tolerate PO intake, severe pain, rigor, inability to urinate) require an evaluation in the ED and a discussion with urology.
- Terminal (end-of-stream) visible hematuria → urology

Conditions where most referrals can be avoided with basic testing in your office

- **Microscopic hematuria:** Only refer if red blood cells are confirmed by microscopy on at least 2 to 3 occasions; consider kidney ultrasound prior to referral if hematuria is persistent.
 - If blood is detected on UA, send urine for microscopy to confirm red blood cells
 - Dipstick tests can turn positive with myoglobin or hemoglobin in the urine
 - Microscopic hematuria: > 5 RBCs per high powered field (hpf) on microscopy
- **Proteinuria:** Only refer after screening for benign orthostatic proteinuria by performing a first AM urine protein/creatinine ratio and demonstrating an elevated value (> 0.2 mg/mg or >200 mg/g). If non-orthostatic proteinuria, consider renal function panel*, cholesterol, C3, C4 and ANA prior to referral.
 - For protein that is detected on a urine sample, obtain a first morning urine sample to repeat the UA and send for a urine protein to creatinine ratio
- **Hypertension:** Confirm by obtaining auscultatory values using an appropriately sized cuff. Many overweight or muscular teenagers need a large adult cuff. For stage 1 hypertension, confirm 1 to 2 weeks before referring. Please refer patients with hypertension without associated significant kidney disease to our Nephrology Hypertension Clinic that has ambulatory blood pressure monitoring (ABPM) and nutritional support for patients.

Locations

Our main clinic is at the Center for Advanced Pediatrics with additional outreach clinics in metro Atlanta.

- **Center for Advanced Pediatrics:** 2174 North Druid Hills Road NE, Atlanta, GA 30329
- **Children's at Northpoint:** 3795 Mansell Road, Alpharetta, GA 30022
- **Children's at Satellite Boulevard:** 2660 Satellite Boulevard, Duluth, GA 30096
- **Children's at Town Center Outpatient Care Center:** 605 Big Shanty Road, Kennesaw, GA 30144

Tell your patient families to ask to be seen in the clinic that is most convenient for them. Note: Outreach clinics may not be able to accommodate urgent appointments since some are only held monthly or bi-monthly.

Referrals and medical records

- **Fax:** Fax referral requests to 404-785-9111.
- **Online:** Complete our online referral form at choa.org/referral.
- **accessCHOA:** Send referrals through [accessCHOA](#).

Make sure all appropriate records are faxed to our office prior to the patient's visit, including office visit notes, imaging studies (i.e. kidney ultrasound) and lab results. If lab results are pending at the time the records are faxed, send the complete results when available.

Note: In case of an urgent concern or emergency, call 911 or advise the family to go to the nearest emergency department right away.

**Renal function panel includes electrolytes, BUN, creatinine, albumin and phosphorus. CMP is an alternative, but it does not include phosphorus.*



Guidelines for Referrals

Below is a list of guidelines to follow when referring a patient for a consultation to Children's Healthcare of Atlanta Neurology. These are meant to be general recommendations. If you have specific questions, call **404-785-DOCS (3627)**, and ask to speak with the on-call neurologist.

Office Notes

We require office notes beyond just the reason for referral. Office notes are crucial in helping us determine the intricacies of your patient's case. Whether you refer to them as Clinical Notes, History of Present Illness (HPI), Interval History or Notes, what we need are notes that the provider took during the **last visit that explain the child's case and chief concern for referral**. A short "reason for referral" is **not** sufficient. See examples below.

Insufficient



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| <p>Referral Date requested: 08/16/2021 Requested by: First Name Last Name, NP Referral to: Pediatric Neurology Summary of care provided by: Reason for referral/notes: Seizure Disorder ICD Code: Seizure Disorder, Epilepsy, unspecified, not intractable, without status epilepticus (ICD-10: G40.909)</p> |
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Sufficient



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|---|---|
| *ALL REFERRALS MUST INCLUDE COMPLETE OFFICE NOTES | |
| <p>Patient Name is a XX-year-old female presents with mom c/o having a seizure at school that lasted for two minutes. She states she was unconscious for 20 minutes. Per mom this is her second time having seizures. She was not sick or having any fever. Mom was concerned of patient not eating well.</p> <p>Neurological Symptoms: Seizures</p> | |
| Diagnosis: | Seizure Disorder, Epilepsy, unspecified, not intractable, without status epilepticus ICD-10: G40.909 |
| Order Name: | <p>Orders included: 1 Seizure Disorder</p> <p>ICD-10: G40.909. Seizure Disorder, Epilepsy, unspecified, not intractable, without status epilepticus</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PEDIATRIC NEUROLOGIST REFERRAL <p>Schedule within: provider's discretion</p> |

Excluded Services

Patients that meet the criteria below will be referred back to their primary care physician for management. Additional criteria must be met before patients will be seen by Children’s Healthcare of Atlanta Neurology.

| Suspected Diagnosis | Criteria |
|---------------------------|---|
| Simple febrile seizures | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Between 6 months and 5 years old • Fever • No focal features • Less than 15 minutes • 1 in 24 hour period <p>*Note: Age of first simple febrile seizure does change criteria</p> |
| Simple headaches | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Infrequent primary headache disorder (ex: migraine with or without aura or tension type) that responds to an abortive (OTC or triptan) and/or a first line preventative and lifestyle changes • Recurrent headaches for less than 6 months without red flags unless meets criteria for chronic headache (15 days or more for over 3 months) • Referrals from the ED (can make exceptions for documented chronicity) Suggestion: return to PCP for care and to determine if Neurology referral is needed • Acute onset headache (ex: associated with acute viral illness) |
| Syncope | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fainting in a standing position, than when sitting or lying • Turning pale • Vision went dark • Low blood pressure • Dizziness, lightheadedness, palpitations, fainting up on standing or moving to an upright position • If applicable, rule out syncope vs seizure with referral to cardiology first *If possible, obtain vitals when symptomatic (heart rate, blood pressure, etc.) |
| Tics (less than 6 months) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Simple motor (i.e. blinking) and/or vocal tics (i.e. throat clearing, sniffing) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Onset of tics between ages 4-11* ○ Not causing pain or interfering with activities OR have not tried one first-line tic medication (i.e. guanfacine or clonidine) ○ Normal neurological exam ○ No neurologic comorbidities |

Conditions Treated

- Acute disseminated encephalomyelitis
- Anti-NMDA receptor encephalitis
- Cerebral palsy
- Complex autism spectrum disorder with a neurological component
- Concussion
- Epilepsy and seizure disorders
- Headaches and migraines
- Infantile spasms
- Leukodystrophy
- Movement disorders
- Multiple sclerosis
- Myasthenia gravis
- Myopathies
- Neurodevelopmental Disorders
- Neurometabolic and neurogenetic disorders
- Neuromyelitis optica
- Neuropathy
- Psychogenic non epileptic events (PNEE)
- Rett syndrome
- Spasticity
- Spells
- Spinal Muscular Atrophy
- Stroke
- Transverse myelitis
- Traumatic brain injury

Referral Checklist and Guidelines

In the table below, we have listed the labs and/or documents we require, and the criteria needed for the most common referrals. If these guidelines are not met, we have outlined steps to take if the condition still exists. If the suspected diagnosis is not listed below, you only need to include office notes.

| Suspected Diagnosis | Lab documents to send as part of referral | Criteria for referral |
|--|---|--|
| Cerebral palsy | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Office notes, documentation of birth history and previous neuroimaging, preferred | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Known CP with co-morbid neurological disorders (e.g. epilepsy) Known CP without a current CP provider (not already seeing Physiatry) Suspected CP: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prematurity AND motor delay or problems with posture or muscle tone (hypertonia or hypotonia) History of brain injury or abnormal brain development AND motor delay or problems with posture or muscle tone (hypertonia or hypotonia) Motor delay AND exaggerated reflexes Motor delay AND hypertonia (stiffness, spasticity) Spasticity: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increased muscle tone Involuntary movements which may cause spasms and contractures Exaggerated reflexes Contractures Altered posture |
| Complex autism spectrum disorder with a neurological component | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Developmental assessments Other referrals MRI Genetics EEG results Description of medical or neurological complexity Current disabilities | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Known primary neurologic or genetic disorder with documented evidence Description of reason that psychological evaluation at Marcus would not be sufficient (do not include wait list issues) Documented visit with general or specialty neurology appointment with findings substantiating complexity |
| Concussion | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Documented when injury occurred Ongoing past concussion symptoms | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> History of post-traumatic seizures Headache > 4wks Injury < 6 months ago Persistent cognitive or neurological symptoms |
| Epilepsy and seizure disorders | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Office notes EEG Imaging results | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Two or more unprovoked seizures with or without abnormal EEG <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Known diagnosis of epilepsy/second opinion |

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| Headaches and migraines | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Office notes (including documentation that patient meets criteria) Imaging results | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recurrent headache for >6 months, not responding to abortive treatment and lifestyle modifications Headaches with other associated red flags or focal neurological deficits Headache that is resulting in missed school days or worsening school performance (including declining grades or decreased participation in extracurricular activities) Chronic headache criteria: Headache greater than 15 days in a month for over 3 months |
| Low muscle tone / hypotonia | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Office notes | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Low muscle tone affecting development |
| Movement disorders | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Office notes Lab results MRI results | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Abnormal involuntary movements with retained awareness (i.e. chorea, ataxia, dystonia) |
| Neurodevelopmental Disorders | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> OT, SLP or PT notes Labs results Imaging results | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Office notes pertaining to the developmental delay in question Developmental screening results from within the last 3 months Concern for not meeting developmental milestones Evidence that idiopathic autism spectrum disorder is not and should not be the primary concern |
| Neuropathy | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Office notes | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Numbness, tingling, burning sensation Increased sensation to touch Muscle weakness Pain Family history or inherited neuropathies |
| Rett syndrome | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Office notes Lab results Genetic testing (if already preformed) Any imaging (MRI, EEG, CT) Release of information from previous/current facilities | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Slowed growth Developmental delays (loss of coordination and movement) Unusual hand movements Seizures Sleep disturbances and irritability Genetic testing CT/MRI/EEG |

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|----------------------------------|--|--|
| Spells and Seizure-like Activity | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Office notes • EEG results • ED notes if applicable • Screening measures if applicable • Family recorded video of event(s) if applicable | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If applicable, rule out syncope vs seizure with referral to cardiology first • Screening for depression, anxiety, suicidal or homicidal ideation • Episodes of full body convulsions, staring spells, or jerking on one side of the body • Counsel family to record video for events to have available for appointment |
| Tics (>6 months) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Office notes • Lab results | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complex motor (jumping, hitting, copropraxia) +/- complex vocal tics (coprolalia, words/phrases) • Onset of tics after age 11, or under age 4* • Simple tics which have failed one first-line medication • Abnormal neurological exam or neurologic comorbidities (i.e. autism, cerebral palsy) • Eye fluttering • Concern for seizures • Routine/first available appointment: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Brief episodes ○ No altered mental status • Previously sought ED care for tics |

Urgent referrals

If you feel your patient needs to be seen as soon as possible, note “urgent” on your referral. All referrals marked “urgent” are triaged to help make sure patients are seen in a timely fashion. If you wish to speak to the on-call neurologist, call 404-785-DOCS (3627).

Referrals for Judson L. Hawk Jr., M.D., Clinic for Children

The Judson Hawk center consists of a multidisciplinary team of doctors who see patients with a wide range of medical conditions. **This center is different than the Children’s Healthcare of Atlanta Outpatient Neurology department and therefore has a different referral review process.** If your child requires treatment for one of the following conditions listed below, please have your referring provider send to (404) 785-9111.

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Charcot-Marie-Tooth • Facioscapulohumeral muscular dystrophy • Muscular dystrophy | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Neurocutaneous syndrome • Neurofibromatosis • Tuberous sclerosis complex |
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Guidelines for referrals

Below is a list of guidelines to follow when referring a patient to Children's Healthcare of Atlanta Neuropsychology for a consultation or testing. These are meant to be general guidelines. If you have specific questions, call the Neuropsychology provider line at **404-785-2849, option 4**.

Which patients should you refer?

Due to the specialized nature of our practice, we only see patients with a primary neurological diagnosis. While some of these patients might have secondary psychiatric or behavioral diagnoses*, we can only see them if they have a primary neurological diagnosis from a medical doctor.

Common conditions treated

- Abnormal electroencephalogram (EEG)
- Abnormal MRI of brain
- Anoxic or hypoxic brain injury/encephalopathy
- Arteriovenous malformations
- Brain or neurological injury (not listed elsewhere)
- Brain tumor
- Cardiac condition (congenital heart disease, heart failure, heart transplant)
- Cerebral palsy
- Chiari malformation
- Concussion
- Congenital brain abnormality (not listed elsewhere)
- Di George's Syndrome (22q11.2 Deletion Syndrome)
- Duchenne muscular dystrophy
- Encephalitis
- Epilepsy and seizure disorder
- Genetic and metabolic disorders
- Hydrocephalus
- Meningitis
- Neurofibromatosis
- Neuroimmunological disorders (e.g., Anti-NMDA receptor encephalitis, multiple sclerosis, autoimmune encephalitis)
- Spina bifida
- Stroke, brain hemorrhage, cerebral ischemia
- Traumatic brain injury
- Tuberosus sclerosis

**We do not see patients with a primary diagnosis or presence of severe psychiatric or mood symptoms*

Common reasons for referral

If your patient has a primary neurological diagnosis and there are concerns related to any of the following, either from the parent report or your impression, then a referral to Neuropsychology might be indicated.

- Learning/retention or memory problems
- Attention or processing speed problems
- Executive functioning (e.g., disorganization, forgetfulness, prioritizing)
- Reduced adaptive functioning or independence with activities of daily living (ADLs)
- Emerging adult transition or post high school planning
- Risk for neuropsychological impairment
- Speech/language, fine/gross motor, and/or global developmental delay
- Social development
- Emotional symptoms
- Behavior problems (e.g., hyperactivity, impulsivity, aggression)
- Medication monitoring
- Follow up evaluation (established patient)
- Rule out autism spectrum disorder

Documentation requirements

When referring your patient, please be sure to include:

1. Clinical notes documenting the neurological/medical diagnosis and patient demographics.
2. Any imaging done to support the injury, if applicable.
3. Copy of current IEP/504 plan and any previous psychological, psychoeducational or neuropsychological evaluation reports, if appropriate and available.

Other resources

If your patient does not have a primary neurological diagnosis but needs a psychological evaluation, please contact our office at **404-785-2849** for recommendations.

Primary care guideline for new-onset seizure



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First-time unprovoked nonfebrile seizure assessment

The recommendations in the following guideline do not indicate an exclusive course of treatment. The intent is to build a multifaceted system of care for pediatric patients and provide a framework for clinical decision-making.

Health history is key in determining if a seizure has occurred and if it is the first episode. History should be as detailed as possible and given from a reliable observer. This will help determine what further evaluation is necessary.

Documentation should include:

History

- Age
- Family history of seizures
- Developmental status
- Behavior
- Health at seizure onset (fever, illness, exposures to illness, sleep)
- Past medical history
- Precipitating events other than illness (trauma, toxins, ingestions)

Seizure characteristics

Detailed description of all aspects of the seizure, including:

- Aura (subjective)
- Behavior (mood or behavior changes prior to onset)
- Vocal symptoms (cry, speech changes)
- Motor symptoms, including, but not limited to:
 - Head or eye movements
 - Jerking
 - Posturing
 - Stiffening
 - Automatism (lip smacking, finger rolling)

- Generalized or focal movements
- Respiratory symptoms (change in pattern or cyanosis)
- Autonomic symptoms (drooling, incontinence, pallor, vomiting)
- Decrease or loss of consciousness
- Duration of the seizure

Symptoms following seizure

- Amnesia
- Confusion
- Lethargy
- Sleepiness
- Headaches
- Muscle aches
- Transient focal weakness
- Nausea or vomiting

In addition a complete physical exam, a complete neurologic exam should be performed and documented.

Lab evaluation

For patients younger than 6 months old, there is some evidence to support lab screening in the absence of specific suggested features. For patients older than 6 months old, routine lab screens are not recommended for first nonfebrile seizures without suggestive history or symptoms. Suggested lab screens include serum electrolytes, including calcium and magnesium.

Lab tests should be ordered based on the patient's clinical characteristics and history, such as vomiting, diarrhea, dehydration or persistent abnormal mental status.

- If there is any concern for drug exposure or abuse, perform a toxicology screening.
- If case suggests meningitis or encephalitis, perform a lumbar puncture.

Electroencephalogram (EEG)

An EEG is recommended as part of the evaluation for all children with a first-time unprovoked nonfebrile seizure to determine seizure classification and epilepsy syndrome.

Diagnostic imaging

The goal of the initial imaging is to try to classify the seizures as focal or generalized.

Many generalized seizures have focal onset, which is often missed but frequently associated with focal epileptiform on an EEG, and therefore will be classified as a focal seizure with second generalization.

Emergent neuroimaging is indicated for children with persistent postictal neurological deficits or for abnormal mental status persisting for several hours after the seizure. Request an urgent neurology consult.

Nonemergent imaging is indicated in children with abnormal development and/or a history of abnormal neurological examination if neuroimaging has not been done before.

Nonemergent imaging is an MRI of the brain.

After the second seizure or focal seizure, a nonemergent MRI is always indicated. Children of all ages are possible candidates for neuroimaging.

Diagnosis

Identify the diagnosis

- Dx1 seizure type: focal or generalized
- Dx2 epilepsy syndrome (remote): can be either symptomatic or genetic
 - Symptomatic: Focal lesion on imaging, intellectual disability, neurological abnormality, etc.
 - Genetic (presumptive): Absence, juvenile myoclonic, benign rolandic epilepsy, positive family history, etc.

Recurrence

It is difficult to predict if a child will have a second seizure. Many children will not have a recurrence. Risk for seizure

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If your patient has an emergent or life-threatening condition, stop and call 911, or send them to the nearest appropriate hospital emergency department.

recurrence for developmentally normal children with normal imaging and EEG is 33%. Risk of seizure recurrence with an epileptiform EEG generally exceeds 70%.

Treatment

If the first seizure is status epilepticus (a seizure that lasts at least five minutes), consider initiating anticonvulsant therapy. Physicians may consider providing a prescription for rectal Diastat to be used for subsequent seizure lasting longer than five minutes. Remember to provide the guardian with seizure first-aid education, instructions on how to use Diastat and directions to call 911 the first time Diastat is given.

- The protocol for Diastat AcuDial is based on age and weight:
 - Ages 2 to 5: 0.5 mg/kg
 - Ages 6 to 11: 0.3 mg/kg
 - Ages 12 and up: 0.2 mg/kg
- Doses are available in 2.5 mg intervals, so dosages should be: 2.5, 5, 7.5, 10, 12.5, 15, 17.5 or 20 mg.
- Diastat cannot be given in doses larger than 20 mg for any age.
- There is a smaller Diastat tip (4.4 cm) for smaller children (the larger tip is 7 cm).
- The syringes are available in 2.5 mg, 10 mg and 20 mgs. The pharmacist should lock the syringe at the appropriate dose. A green ring will appear when this is done.

Referral is indicated for:

- Prolonged, focal or second seizures or developmental delay/neurodevelopmental disability.
- Findings on initial workup indicating underlying etiology or true epileptic syndrome (developmental delay, abnormal neurological exam, abnormal neuroimaging or abnormal EEG).
- Patient or parental anxiety.

Documentation of medical history and physical, including all indicated laboratory, neuroimaging and neurodiagnostic studies, should be provided to the consulting physician.

Primary care guideline for new-onset seizure



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First-time unprovoked nonfebrile seizure assessment

1. Obtain a detailed history, physical and neurological exam, including at least the following:

Seizure history: Age, family history of seizures, developmental status, behavior, health at seizure onset, past medical history, precipitating events (other than illness)

Seizure characteristics: Aura, behavior, vocal symptoms, motor, generalized or focal movements, respiratory symptoms, autonomic symptoms, decrease or loss of consciousness, duration of seizure

Symptoms following seizure: Amnesia, confusion, lethargy, sleepiness, headaches, muscle aches, transient focal weakness, nausea or vomiting

2. Consider diagnostic testing

Lab testing

- Under 6 months old—lab screens of serum electrolytes including calcium and magnesium
- Over 6 months old—lab screening not recommended unless suspected:
 - Drug exposure (toxicology screening)
 - Meningitis or encephalitis (lumbar puncture)

Neurophysiology

- Electroencephalogram (EEG)

This test is recommended for patients of all ages. Inform the patient's family that a neurologist will review and interpret the EEG.

 - When ordering an EEG, write "NOS" or "new-onset seizure" on the order form, and the test will be scheduled within three business days.

Visit choa.org/eegorderform to download the EEG order form.

Neuroimaging

- MRI

This test is only recommended for a second seizure.

 - When ordering an MRI, order one without contrast. Indicate the reason for the exam as "new-onset seizure" or "NOS" on the order form.

Emergent imaging and neurology consult are needed if the patient has:

- Persistent postictal neurological deficits.
- Abnormal mental status persisting several hours after seizure.

3. Identify diagnosis and treatment

Identify diagnosis

- Dx1 seizure type—focal or generalized (EEG can help classify)
- Dx2 epileptic syndrome—symptomatic (abnormal MRI or neurodevelopmental disability) or genetic (presumptive)

Treatment

- Prescribe the rectal gel Diastat as needed for recurrent seizure.
- Provide the guardian with seizure first-aid education (turn patient on side and keep track of how long seizure lasts), instructions on how to use Diastat (if the seizure continues longer than five minutes, give Diastat rectally) and directions to call 911 after using Diastat for the first time.

4. Determine need for referral to neurologist

Referral is indicated for:

- Prolonged or second seizure.
- Developmental delay/neurodevelopment disability.
- Initial workup finding underlying etiology or true epileptic syndrome.
- Patient or parental anxiety.

Neurologists are available for consultations Monday through Friday.

- 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
- Phone: **404-785-DOCS (3627)**

Documentation of medical history and a physical, including all indicated laboratory, neuroimaging and neurodiagnostic studies, should be provided to the consulting physician.

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MRI and CT Scans



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Guidelines for sedation

Below are our basic guidelines for sedation when referring a patient for a MRI or CT scan at Children's Healthcare of Atlanta. If you have questions, call the pre-screening team at **404-785-2483** (Monday through Friday, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.) or **404-785-DOCS (3627)**.

MRI

8-week, full-term infants to age 6

Patients will be evaluated for sedation by the pre-screening team.

Children ages 7 and older

Sedation will be determined by the length and complexity of the scan as well as the following:

- Does the child have autism? Yes No
- Does the child have developmental delays? Yes No
- Does the child have tics, Tourette's or involuntary movement? Yes No
- Can the child follow directions? Yes No

Most children ages 7 and older are encouraged to attempt the scan without sedation. Children who are awake during the scan can watch a movie on our special movie screen. Children are encouraged to bring their favorite DVD.

Adolescents

If the ordering physician and/or parent feels as though the teenager will only need a mild sedative, please write them a prescription for an anxiolytic when ordering the scan.

CT

Infants < 6 months

- Most infants \leq 3 months are excellent candidates for the feed and bundle technique. Pre-term infants may be more successful.
- The success rate for the feed and bundle technique decreases significantly for infants $>$ 3 months and is not recommended for infants $>$ 6 months.

Infants > 6 months to age 5

- If the scan is performed with contrast, the child will require sedation.
- If the scan is performed with Orbit, Sella or Ear, the child will require sedation for quality imaging.

Children ages 6 and older

Children ages 6 and older can complete most CT scans—with and without contrast—without sedation unless the child has a developmental delay or autism.

Rheumatology



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Guidelines for referrals

Below is a list of guidelines to follow when referring a patient to Children's Healthcare of Atlanta Rheumatology for a consultation. These are meant to be general guidelines. If you have specific questions, call 404-785-DOCS (3627) and ask to speak with the on-call rheumatologist.

Conditions treated

- Ankylosing spondylitis
- Behcet's disease
- Chronic recurrent multifocal osteomyelitis (CRMO)
- Granulomatosis with polyangiitis (Wegener's)
- Juvenile dermatomyositis
- Juvenile idiopathic arthritis (JIA)
- Microscopic polyangiitis
- Mixed connective tissue disease
- Morphea/localized scleroderma (in conjunction with dermatology)
- Periodic fever syndromes
- Psoriatic arthritis
- Polyarteritis nodosa
- Sarcoidosis
- Sjögren's syndrome
- Systemic lupus erythematosus
- Systemic sclerosis/scleroderma
- Uveitis (along with ophthalmology)

Urgent referrals

If you feel your patient needs to be seen immediately, denote "**urgent**" on the rheumatology referral form. **All referrals marked "urgent" are triaged to help make sure patients are seen in a timely fashion.** If you wish to speak to the on-call pediatric rheumatologist, call 404 785 DOCS (3627). Generally, conditions that may warrant an urgent initial outpatient visit include, but are not limited to:

- Persistent joint swelling (chronic arthritis is defined as ≥ 6 weeks) without antecedent trauma. Starting an NSAID such as ibuprofen or naproxen may be warranted. We do not advocate giving these patients oral steroids prior to the initial consultation visit, as they may obscure alternative diagnoses and signs of arthritis.
- Significant joint contractures affecting function.
- Joint pain and swelling with persistent fevers ($>101^{\circ}$ F) without infectious or oncologic etiology.
- A persistent malar rash with mild cytopenias, signs of serositis (pleural effusion on X-ray or pericardial effusion on ECHO) or mild proteinuria (send first morning urine protein: creatinine).
- A dermatomyositis rash (i.e., persistent pink scaly papular rash over MCPs, PIPs, elbows, and/or knees, or malar rash) with signs of weakness or elevated muscle enzymes (i.e., AST, ALT, CK or LDH).

Non-urgent referrals

There are several conditions we see that may not warrant an urgent evaluation given the available resources. These may include the following:

- Chronic pain with sleep disturbances, fatigue, diffuse joint or muscle pain with normal exam, and normal CBC and acute phase reactants do not require an urgent appointment. These patients can be managed by the primary care provider with counseling or by the pain service if severe. A positive ANA test without other symptoms, exam findings or abnormal labs (i.e., CBC, ESR, CRP, CMP, urinalysis, muscle enzymes, TSH or free T4) does not change this recommendation.

- Children with musculoskeletal pain but no signs of inflammation (i.e., swelling, warmth or decreased range of motion) seldom have a chronic rheumatic condition, even if they have a positive ANA test. Consider X-ray to evaluate for fracture, cancer, physical therapy and increased physical activity. Children with prolonged episodes of intermittent leg pain at night with normal daytime activities and normal studies (i.e., CBC, ESR, CRP or X-ray) usually have “growing pains” and do not necessarily need a rheumatologic evaluation.
- Raynaud’s phenomenon is a common complaint in tall, thin teenage girls in winter months. Most of these patients—as long as they do not have other concerning symptoms or exam abnormalities—have primary Raynaud’s phenomenon and no underlying rheumatic disease. Labs that are helpful in evaluating these patients and could be obtained prior to referral include: CBC with differential, ESR, CRP, CMP, ANA IFA and anti-phospholipid antibodies. Make sure patients keep core and extremities warm by wearing warm gloves and socks, and by using heat packs.
- Abnormal lab findings, such as a positive ANA or positive rheumatic factor at a low titer, in the absence of objective clinical findings usually do not require rheumatologic evaluation.

E-consult

For non-urgent medical requests, we offer e-consult via accessCHOA. E-consult offers physicians the opportunity to receive timely guidance on lower-complexity and data-oriented clinical questions that may not require an in-person evaluation. One of our specialists will typically respond within three business days. Patient family consent is required.

Conditions seen by other specialists

There are some conditions that may warrant the expertise of other specialties, even though joint pain might be one of their manifestations.

- **Fibromyalgia/amplified musculoskeletal pain syndrome:** For patients with chronic widespread pain where you suspect fibromyalgia, make a referral to the Pain Relief Clinic as well. The wait is often long for these patients. If they wait to see rheumatology before a referral to the Pain Relief Clinic is made, they will wait even longer to be seen in the Pain Relief Clinic. Our primary role is to exclude a rheumatic disease that might be present concomitantly.
- **Non-inflammatory connective tissue disorders** (i.e., Ehlers Danlos syndrome or Marfan’s syndrome): Refer to the Genetics Clinic. Also consider a cardiology evaluation to screen for cardiac manifestations of connective tissue disease.

Referrals and medical records

All referrals marked “urgent” are triaged to help make sure patients are seen in a timely fashion. The on-call rheumatologist is available to discuss any case or concern by calling 404-785-DOCS (3627). A rheumatology referral form is available to aid in communication of clinical data.

- Non-urgent referral requests should be faxed to 404-785-9111.
- Urgent referral requests should be faxed to 404-785-9096.

Make sure all appropriate records are faxed to our office prior to the patient’s visit. This includes the office visit notes, imaging studies (i.e., X-rays or MRI) and lab results. If lab results are pending at time the records are faxed, send the complete results when available.

If the patient had imaging studies, ask the family to bring a CD with the images to their rheumatology appointment.

If the patient has already seen other specialists related to their symptoms (i.e., ophthalmology or orthopedics), send these records to us as well.

Strong4Life Obesity Treatment Clinic



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Primary care provider (PCP) referral guidelines

The Strong4Life Clinic at Children's Healthcare of Atlanta is dedicated to the multi-disciplinary approach to obesity treatment. The clinic offers lifestyle, medication and bariatric surgery treatment options. Patients are placed on a treatment track which includes medical provider, dietitian and exercise physiologist visits. All tracks include the teaching kitchen and activity experiences. Children may also see a clinic psychologist if needed.

Referral criteria

- Children and adolescents ages 2 to 20
- Diagnosis of Class 3 obesity (BMI >140th or 95th percentile)
- Diagnosis of Class 2 (BMI >120th or 95th percentile) with obesity with a weight-related comorbidity (e.g. prediabetes, dyslipidemia, steatotic liver disease, obstructive sleep apnea, PCOS, HTN)
- Interest in bariatric surgery (must meet surgery qualifications)

Bariatric surgery qualifications:

- BMI >40
- BMI >140th of 95th percentile
- BMI >120th of 95th percentile with at least one significant weight related comorbidity

Scheduling process

To be placed in line for a clinic appointment, families must complete the new patient forms. Forms may be accessed through a link (redcap.link/S4LNewPatient) or QR code.



Referral documents needed

- Recent clinic note, including a BMI
- Growth charts
- Most recent metabolic labs (HbA1C, lipid profile, ALT)

Scheduling priority

Due to high clinic demand, scheduling priority is given to the following groups:

- Patients with severe Class 3 obesity with multiple comorbid conditions
- Children aged <6
- Adolescents pursuing bariatric surgery

Referral alternatives

Please consider the following for children who do not meet clinic criteria:

- **Relevant specialists:** Sleep medicine, endocrinology, hepatology, cardiology
- **Dietitian network for nutritional counseling:** List may be accessed through a link ([Registered-Dietitian-Referral-List.pdf](#)) or QR code.



Tools

Helpful tools

- [Our locations and services](#)
- [Arthur M. Blank Hospital directions and parking](#)
- [Hughes Spalding Hospital directions and parking](#)
- [Scottish Rite Hospital directions and parking](#)
- [Center for Advanced Pediatrics visitor information](#)
- [Hughes Spalding quick reference guide](#)
- [Judson L. Hawk Jr., MD, Clinic for Children](#)
- [accessCHOA: Getting started](#)
- [Radiology CPT codes](#)
- [Sports medicine physician vs. sports physical therapist](#)

Hospitals

- 1. Arthur M. Blank Hospital**
2220 North Druid Hills Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30329
- 2. Hughes Spalding Hospital**
35 Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE
Atlanta, GA 30303
- 3. Scottish Rite Hospital**
1001 Johnson Ferry Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30342

Outpatient locations

- 4. Marcus Autism Center**
1920 Briarcliff Road
Atlanta, GA 30329
Autism spectrum disorder, feeding disorders, sleep
- 5. Center for Advanced Pediatrics**
2174 North Druid Hills Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30329
Aerodigestive, allergy/immunology, cardiology, cystic fibrosis, developmental progress, endocrinology, feeding, gastroenterology, general surgery, gynecology, hepatology, Judson L. Hawk Jr., MD, Clinic for Children,¹ infectious diseases, interventional radiology, nephrology, neurology, neuropsychology, orthopedics and sports medicine, otolaryngology, physiatry, pulmonology, rheumatology, sleep, Synagis, technology-dependent
- 6. Children's at Chamblee-Brookhaven**
5080 Peachtree Blvd., Suite 100
Chamblee, GA 30341
Urgent care
- 7. Children's at Cherokee**
In the River Pointe Shopping Center
1554 Riverstone Parkway, Suite 160
Canton, GA 30114
Sports physical therapy¹

1558 Riverstone Parkway, Suite 100
Canton, GA 30114
Orthopedics and sports medicine, urgent care
- 8. Children's at Duluth**
2270 Duluth Highway 120
Duluth, GA 30097
Orthopedics and sports medicine, orthotics and prosthetics, sports physical therapy¹

- 9. Children's at Fayette**
1250 Highway 54 West, Suite 200
Fayetteville, GA 30214
General surgery, orthopedics and sports medicine, orthotics and prosthetics, otolaryngology (ENT), sports physical therapy¹
- 10. Children's at Forsyth**
In The Collection at Forsyth
410 Peachtree Parkway, Suite 300
Cumming, GA 30041
ABA therapy, endocrinology, neurology, neurophysiology (EEG), orthopedics and sports medicine, orthotics and prosthetics, sports physical therapy,¹ urgent care, walk-in X-ray services¹
- 11. Children's at Hamilton Creek**
In the Hamilton Mill Town Center shopping center
2240 Hamilton Creek Parkway, Suite 600
Dacula, GA 30019
Orthopedics and sports medicine, urgent care
- 12. Children's at Hudson Bridge**
In the Hudson Bridge Crossing shopping center
1496 Hudson Bridge Road
Stockbridge, GA 30281
Sports physical therapy¹

1492 Hudson Bridge Road
Stockbridge, GA 30281
Orthopedics and sports medicine

1494 Hudson Bridge Road
Stockbridge, GA 30281
Otolaryngology (ENT)

1510 Hudson Bridge Road
Stockbridge, GA 30281
Radiology services (walk-in X-ray),¹ urgent care
- 13. Children's at Ivy Walk**
1675 Cumberland Parkway, Suite 305
Smyrna, GA 30080
Sports physical therapy¹
- 14. Children's at Meridian Mark**
5445 Meridian Mark Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30342
Endocrinology, orthopedics and sports medicine, orthotics and prosthetics,¹ sports physical therapy,¹ outpatient surgery center³

15. Children's at Mount Vernon Highway

859 Mount Vernon Highway, Suite 300
Atlanta, GA 30328
Pulmonology, sleep

16. Children's at North Druid Hills

1605 Chantilly Drive NE
Atlanta, GA 30324
Audiology,¹ behavioral and mental health, outpatient
rehabilitation,¹ sports physical therapy¹

17. Children's at North Point

3795 Mansell Road
Alpharetta, GA 30022
Endocrinology, gastroenterology, nephrology,
rheumatology, urgent care

18. Children's at Old Milton Parkway

3300 Old Milton Parkway
Alpharetta, GA 30005
Orthopedics and sports medicine, orthotics and
prosthetics, otolaryngology

19. Children's at Satellite Boulevard

2620 Satellite Blvd.
Duluth, GA 30096
Outpatient surgery center¹

2660 Satellite Blvd.

Duluth, GA 30096
Endocrinology, gastroenterology, general surgery,
hepatology, lab and radiology services (ultrasound
and walk-in X-ray),¹ nephrology, otolaryngology (ENT),
rheumatology, sleep lab,¹ urgent care

20. Children's at Snellville

2220 Wisteria Drive, Suite 204
Snellville, GA 30078
Sports physical therapy¹

21. Children's at Town Center

625 Big Shanty Road NW
Kennesaw, GA 30144
Radiology,¹ urgent care, walk-in lab and X-ray services¹

Children's at Town Center Outpatient Care Center

605 Big Shanty Road NW
Kennesaw, GA 30144
Audiology,¹ endocrinology, gastroenterology, general
surgery, nephrology, occupational therapy,¹ orthopedics
and sports medicine, orthotics and prosthetics,
otolaryngology (ENT), physical therapy,¹ pulmonology,
rheumatology, sleep, speech-language pathology,¹
sports physical therapy¹

22. Children's at Webb Bridge

3155 North Point Parkway, Building A
Alpharetta, GA 30005
Sports physical therapy,¹ walk-in lab and X-ray services¹

**23. Medical Office Building
at Scottish Rite Hospital**

5461 Meridian Mark Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30342
Gastroenterology, general surgery, gynecology, neurology,
neuropsychology, neurosurgery, outpatient rehabilitation,¹
plastic surgery and craniofacial

24. Northside Professional Center

975 Johnson Ferry Road
Atlanta, GA 30342
ABA therapy, child advocacy¹, plastic surgery

25. Zalik Behavioral and Mental Health Center

1777 Northeast Expressway
Atlanta, GA 30329
Behavioral and mental health

26. Athens-Hawthorne Avenue

1000 Hawthorne Ave., Suite S
Athens, GA 30606
General surgery

27. Athens-Oglethorpe Avenue

At Resource Medical
1500 Oglethorpe Ave.
Athens, GA 30606
Neurosurgery

28. Athens–Oconee Campus

Three Sixteen Professional Center
1181 Langford Drive, Building 200, Suite 101
Watkinsville, GA 30677
Orthopedics and sports medicine

29. Columbus

In the Regional Pediatric Center
705 17th St.
Columbus, GA 31901
General surgery, neurosurgery, sickle cell

30. Douglasville

6095 Professional Parkway
First Floor, Suite 101B
Douglasville, GA 30134
Orthopedics and sports medicine

31. Macon

250 Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard
Macon, GA 31210
Orthopedics and sports medicine

32. Thomasville

In Archbold Medical Center Specialty Clinic
100 Mimosa Drive
Thomasville, GA 31792
Neurosurgery

¹A department of Children's at Scottish Rite Hospital

²A department of Children's at Arthur M. Blank Hospital

³The Surgery Center at Meridian Mark Plaza LLC is an affiliate of Children's Healthcare of Atlanta. It is a joint venture with Scottish Rite as the majority owner and physician investors as partners. Physicians and affiliated healthcare professionals who perform services at the Surgery Center at Meridian Mark Plaza LLC are independent providers and are not our employees.



Arthur M. Blank Hospital

Directions and parking

2220 North Druid Hills Road NE
 Atlanta, GA 30329

Parking

The hospital has two parking decks that are open 24 hours a day. The visitor parking deck serves as the main parking deck for patient families and visitors while the emergency and staff parking deck is reserved for patient families accessing the Emergency Department and Children's employees. Handicap parking is available on all levels. Parking for expectant mothers is located on Level 2 of the visitor parking deck.

Parking is free.

Security

Check in at the security desk located in the main lobby. Be prepared to present identification.

Directions

Traveling on 85 North

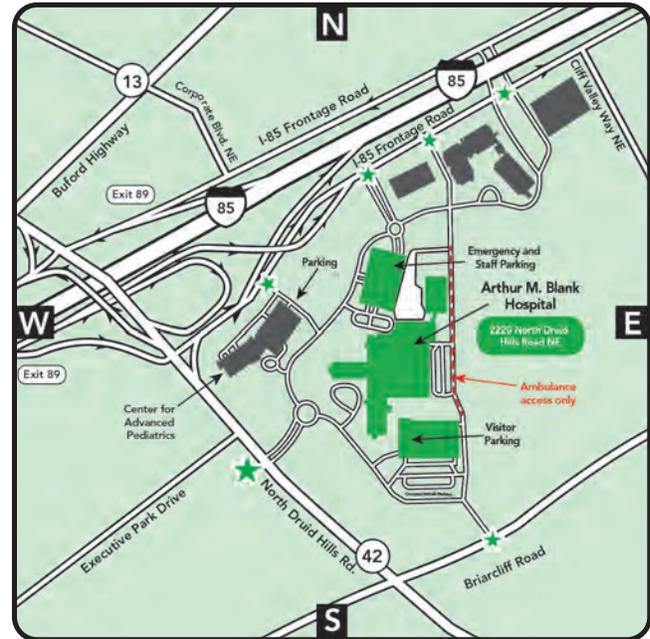
- Take Exit 89 for GA-42 S/North Druid Hills Road.
- Follow the exit ramp to GA-42 South/North Druid Hills Road.
- Turn right off exit ramp onto GA-42 S/North Druid Hills Road.
- Turn left at the traffic light to the main entrance to Arthur M. Blank Hospital.
- Follow the signs to hospital and visitor parking.
- Enter the hospital from Level 1 of the parking deck.

Traveling on 85 South

- Take Exit 89 for GA-42 S/North Druid Hills Road.
- Turn left off exit ramp onto North Druid Hills Road.
- Turn left at the traffic light to the main entrance to Arthur M. Blank Hospital
- Follow the signs to hospital and visitor parking.
- Enter the hospital from Level 1 of the parking deck.

Traveling on 85 South (alternate route)

- Take Exit 91 for US-23/GA-155/Clairmont Road/Decatur.
- Follow the signs to Access Road South/North Druid Hills Road. You will cross over Clairmont Road at the traffic light.
- Continue straight on I-85 Frontage Road (1.5 miles).
- Using the center lane, turn left at the I-85 underpass. Follow the signs towards Cliff Valley Way/Access Road North.
- At the traffic light, go straight to enter the Children's campus.
- Follow the signs to hospital and visitor parking.
- Enter the hospital from Level 1 of the parking deck.



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★ Campus entry and exit points

MARTA Bus*

Arthur M. Blank Hospital is served by multiple MARTA bus routes, including the North Druid Hills Road Bus Route 8, the I-85 Access Road Bus Route 47 and the Lavista Road Bus Route 30 that intersects at the Lindbergh Center Station.

*Routes may change. Visit itsmarta.org or call **404-848-5000** for more information.



Visit choa.org/locations for door-to-door maps and directions.



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Please be aware that ongoing construction could impact regular routes. We recommend checking your route for potential obstructions, detours or delays.

Arthur M. Blank Hospital

Información para visitantes

2220 North Druid Hills Road NE
 Atlanta, GA 30329

Estacionamiento

El hospital cuenta con dos playas de estacionamiento que están abiertas las 24 horas del día. La playa de estacionamiento para visitantes es el estacionamiento principal para los familiares de los pacientes y visitantes mientras que la playa de estacionamiento de urgencias y personal está reservada para los familiares que desean ingresar al Servicio de Urgencias (ED).

Todos los niveles cuentan con espacios de estacionamiento reservados para personas con discapacidad. El estacionamiento para embarazadas se encuentra ubicado en el nivel 2 de la playa de estacionamiento para visitantes.

El estacionamiento es gratuito.

Seguridad

Preséntese en el mostrador de seguridad ubicado en el vestíbulo principal. Tenga a mano su identificación.

Direcciones

Si viaja por la 85 North (en dirección norte)

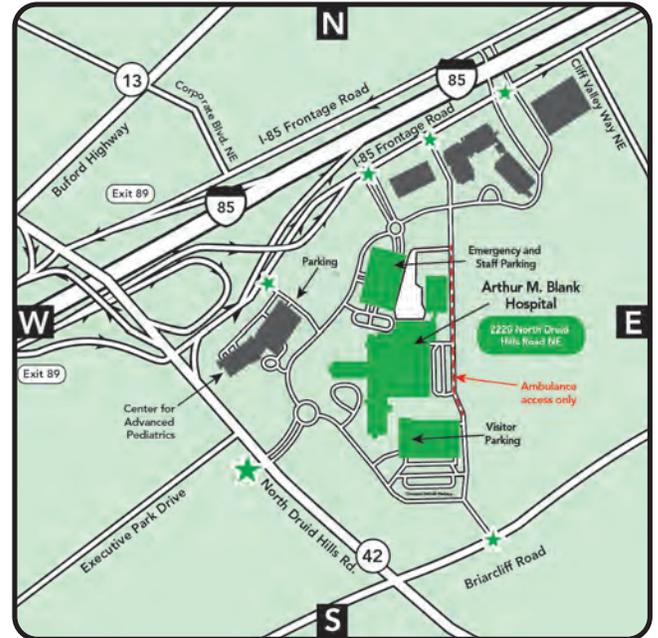
- Tome la salida 89 hacia GA-42 S/North Druid Hills Road.
- Siga por la rampa de salida hacia GA-42 South/North Druid Hills Road.
- Al final de la rampa de salida, doble a la derecha en GA-42 S/North Druid Hills Road.
- Doble a la izquierda en el semáforo hacia la entrada principal del Arthur M. Blank Hospital.
- Siga la señalización hacia el estacionamiento para hospital y visitantes.
- Ingrese al hospital desde el Nivel 1 de la playa de estacionamiento.

Si viaja por la 85 South (en dirección sur)

- Tome la salida 89 hacia GA-42 S/North Druid Hills Road.
- Al final de la rampa de salida, doble a la izquierda en North Druid Hills Road.
- Doble a la izquierda en el semáforo hacia la entrada principal del Arthur M. Blank Hospital.
- Siga la señalización hacia el estacionamiento para hospital y visitantes.
- Ingrese al hospital desde el Nivel 1 de la playa de estacionamiento.

Si viaja por la 85 South (ruta alternativa)

- Tome la salida 91 hacia US-23/GA-155/Clairmont Road/Decatur.
- Siga las señales hacia Access Road South/North Druid Hills Road. Usted cruzará sobre Clairmont Road en el semáforo.
- Siga derecho por la I-85 Frontage Road (1.5 millas).
- Utilice el carril del medio para doblar a la izquierda en el paso a desnivel de la I-85. Siga las señales hacia Cliff Valley Way/Access Road North.



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★ Puntos de entrada y salida al campus.

- En el semáforo, siga derecho e ingrese al campus de Children's.
- Siga la señalización hacia el estacionamiento para hospital y visitantes.
- Ingrese al hospital desde el Nivel 1 de la playa de estacionamiento.

Autobús de MARTA*

Se puede llegar al Arthur M. Blank Hospital a través de varias rutas de autobús de MARTA: la Ruta 8 North Druid Hills Road, la Ruta 47 de I-85 Access Road y la Ruta 30 La Vista Road que se conecta con la estación de Lindbergh Center.

*Las rutas pueden cambiar. Visite itsmarta.org o llame al **404-848-5000** para obtener más información.



Visite choa.org/locations para obtener mapas y direcciones puerta a puerta.



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Tenga en cuenta que las obras de construcción podrían afectar las rutas habituales. Le recomendamos verificar su recorrido en busca de posibles obstrucciones, desvíos o retrasos.

Hughes Spalding Hospital

Directions and parking

Hughes Spalding

35 Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE
 Atlanta, GA 30303
 404-785-KIDS (5437)

Parking

Valet service at Hughes Spalding is free for all patients from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Turn into the hospital entrance from Coca-Cola Place, and a valet will assist you. Overnight self-parking is available from 7 p.m. to 7 a.m. in the same lot and in the Bulter Street Parking Deck, at 80 Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE.

Self-parking is also available in the Butler Street Parking Deck and will be validated at Hughes Spalding's information desk.

Directions

Traveling on I-75/85 South

- Take Exit 248D for Jesse Hill Drive/JW Dobbs Avenue/Auburn Avenue (0.2 miles).
- Go straight on Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE and cross Edgewood Avenue SE (0.4 miles).
- Turn right at Coca-Cola Place.
- Turn left into the Hughes Spalding entrance and a valet attendant will assist you.

Traveling on I-75/85 North

- Take Exit 248B for Edgewood Avenue/JW Dobbs Avenue/Auburn Avenue (0.2 miles).
- Turn left onto Edgewood Avenue SE (0.2 miles).
- Turn left onto Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE (0.4 miles).
- Turn right at Coca-Cola Place.
- Turn left into the Hughes Spalding entrance and a valet attendant will assist you.

MARTA Rail

- From the East-West rail line, exit the train at the Georgia State University station.
- Go down the stairs, exit the station and turn left onto Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE.
- Continue on Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE for three blocks.
- Hughes Spalding will be on your left, at the corner of Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE and Coca-Cola Place.



Traveling on I-20 West/East

- Take Exit 57 for I-75/85 North (1.4 miles).
- Take Exit 248B for Edgewood Avenue/JW Dobbs Avenue/Auburn Avenue (0.2 miles).
- Turn left onto Edgewood Avenue SE (0.2 miles).
- Turn left onto Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE (0.4 miles).
- Turn right at Coca-Cola Place.
- Make a left into the Hughes Spalding entrance and a valet attendant will assist you.



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Visit the App Store or Google Play to download the free Children's Healthcare of Atlanta app for your smartphone or tablet.



Please be aware that construction could impact regular routes. We recommend checking your route for potential obstructions, detours or delays.

Children's Healthcare of Atlanta Hughes Spalding Hospital is owned by Grady Health System and managed by HSOC Inc., an affiliate of Children's.

Routes may change. Visit ismarta.com or call 404-848-4711 for more information.

Hughes Spalding Hospital

Direcciones y estacionamiento

Hughes Spalding

35 Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE
 Atlanta, GA 30303
 404-785-KIDS (5437)

Estacionamiento

El estacionamiento de Hughes Spalding ofrece a todos sus pacientes servicio de valet gratuito entre las 7:00 a.m. y 7:00 p.m. Ingrese al hospital por la entrada de Coca Cola Place y un empleado del estacionamiento le ayudará. Por la noche, entre las 7:00 p.m. y las 7:00 a.m., usted puede estacionar su vehículo en la misma playa de estacionamiento o en el Butler Street Parking Deck ubicado en 80 Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE.

Puede estacionar también su vehículo sin la ayuda del servicio de valet en el Butler Street Parking Deck. Le validarán su boleto en el mostrador de información de Hughes Spalding.

Direcciones

Si viaja por la I-75/85 South (en dirección sur)

- Tome la salida 248D hacia Jesse Hill Drive/JW Dobbs Avenue/Auburn Avenue (0.2 miles).
- Siga derecho por Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE y cruce Edgewood Avenue SE (0.4 miles).
- Doble a la derecha en Coca-Cola Place.
- Doble a la izquierda en la entrada de Hughes Spalding y un empleado del estacionamiento le ayudará.

Si viaja por la I-75/85 North (en dirección norte)

- Tome la salida 248B hacia Edgewood Avenue/JW Dobbs Avenue/Auburn Avenue (0.2 miles).
- Doble a la izquierda en Edgewood Avenue SE (0.2 miles).
- Doble a la izquierda en Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE (0.4 miles).
- Doble a la derecha en Coca-Cola Place.
- Doble a la izquierda en la entrada de Hughes Spalding y un empleado del estacionamiento le ayudará.

Línea ferroviaria MARTA

- Tome el tren en dirección East-West (Este-Oeste) y bájese en la estación de Georgia State University.
- Baje las escaleras, salga de la estación y doble a la izquierda en Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE.
- Continúe por Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE por tres cuadras.
- Hughes Spalding se encuentra a mano izquierda, en la esquina de Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE y Coca-Cola Place.



Si viaja por la I-20 West/East (en dirección oeste/este)

- Tome la salida 57 hacia la I-75/85 North (1.4 miles).
- Tome la salida 248B hacia Edgewood Avenue/JW Dobbs Avenue/Auburn Avenue (0.2 miles).
- Doble a la izquierda en Edgewood Avenue SE (0.2 miles).
- Doble a la izquierda en Jesse Hill Jr. Drive SE (0.4 miles).
- Doble a la derecha en Coca-Cola Place.
- Doble a la izquierda en la entrada de Hughes Spalding y un empleado del estacionamiento le ayudará.



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Evisita tu tienda de aplicaciones o Google Play y descarga la aplicación gratuita Infantil para smartphone o tablet.

Children's Healthcare of Atlanta en Hughes Spalding es propiedad de Grady Health System y está administrado por HSOC Inc., una filial de Children's. Las rutas pueden cambiar. Visite itsmarta.com o llame al 404-848-4711 para obtener más información.

Scottish Rite Hospital

Directions and parking

Scottish Rite

1001 Johnson Ferry Road NE
 Atlanta, GA 30342
 404-785-KIDS (5437)

Parking

Valet service is available Monday through Friday from 6 a.m. to 8 p.m. for \$7 at the hospital main entrance. Free valet service is available at the Emergency Department 24 hours a day.

The hospital has a main parking deck and an additional parking deck for the Children's Medical Office Building at Scottish Rite Hospital. You can access the hospital from either deck. Scottish Rite Hospital parking is free.

Directions

Traveling on I-285 East

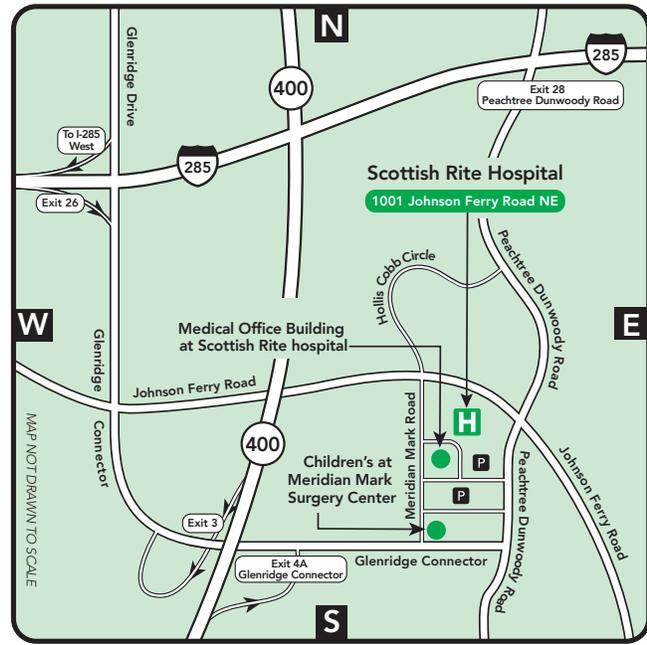
- Take Exit 26 for Glenridge Drive (0.3 miles).
- Turn right onto Glenridge Drive (less than 0.1 miles).
- Turn left onto Johnson Ferry Road (0.4 miles).
- Turn right onto Meridian Mark Road (0.4 miles).
- The main entrance to the hospital is on the left.
- Follow the signs for visitor parking.

Traveling on I-285 West

- Take Exit 28 for Peachtree Dunwoody Road (0.2 miles).
- Turn left onto Peachtree Dunwoody Road (less than 0.1 miles).
- Turn right onto Johnson Ferry Road (0.5 miles).
- Turn left onto Meridian Mark Road (less than 0.2 miles).
- The main entrance to the hospital is on the left.
- Follow the signs for visitor parking.

Traveling on GA-400 North

- Take Exit 4A for Glenridge Connector (0.3 miles).
- Turn right onto Glenridge Connector (0.5 miles).
- Turn left onto Meridian Mark Road (0.2 miles).
- The main entrance to the hospital is on the right.
- Follow the signs to visitor parking.



Traveling on GA-400 South

- Take Exit 3 for Glenridge Connector (0.5 miles).
- Turn right onto Glenridge Connector (0.5 miles).
- Turn left onto Meridian Mark Road (0.2 miles).
- The main entrance to the hospital is on the right.
- Follow the signs for visitor parking.

MARTA* Rail and the Children's shuttle bus

- From the North-South rail line, exit the train at the N8 Medical Center Station.
- Bus 41 stops at the Medical Center Rapid Rail Station.
- Call the Children's security office at 404-785-2073 to request a shuttle bus pickup.



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Please be aware that ongoing construction could impact regular routes. We recommend checking your route for potential obstructions, detours or delays.

Scottish Rite Hospital



Información para visitantes

Scottish Rite

1001 Johnson Ferry Road NE
Atlanta, GA 30342
404-785-KIDS (5437)

Estacionamiento

El servicio de valet está disponible de lunes a viernes de 6 a.m.-8 p.m. a un costo de \$ 7 en la entrada principal del hospital. En la Sala de Urgencias, el servicio de valet es gratuito y está disponible las 24 horas del día. El hospital cuenta con un edificio de estacionamiento principal y otro adicional para el edificio de consultorios médicos (Medical Office Building) en Scottish Rite. Puede llegar al hospital de ambos estacionamientos. El garaje de estacionamiento de Scottish Rite Hospital no acepta dinero en efectivo, solo tarjeta de débito o crédito y Apple Pay.

Indicaciones

Viajando por la I-85 North (norte)

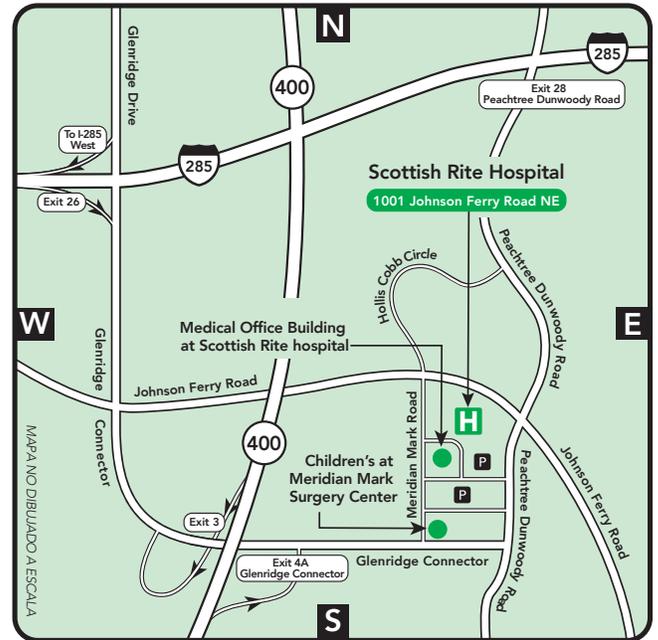
- Tome la salida 26 (Glenridge Drive) (0.3 millas).
- Doble a la derecha en Glenridge Drive (menos de 0.1 millas).
- Doble a la izquierda en Johnson Ferry Road (0.4 millas).
- Doble a la derecha en Meridian Mark Road (0.4 millas).
- La entrada principal del hospital está a la izquierda.
- Siga las señales hacia el estacionamiento de visitantes (visitor parking).

Viajando por la I-285 West (oeste)

- Tome la salida 28 (Peachtree-Dunwoody Road) (0.2 millas).
- Doble a la izquierda en Peachtree-Dunwoody Road (menos de 0.1 millas).
- Doble a la derecha en Johnson Ferry Road (0.5 millas).
- Doble a la izquierda en Meridian Mark Road (menos de 0.2 millas).
- La entrada principal del hospital está a la izquierda.
- Siga las señales hacia el estacionamiento de visitantes (visitor parking).

Viajando por la GA-400 North (norte)

- Tome la salida 4A (Glenridge Connector) (0.3 millas).
- Doble a la derecha en Glenridge Connector (0.5 millas).
- Doble a la izquierda en Meridian Mark Road (0.2 millas).
- La entrada principal del hospital está a la derecha.
- Siga las señales hacia el estacionamiento de visitantes (visitor parking).



Viajando por la GA-400 South (sur)

- Tome la salida 3 (Glenridge Connector) (0.5 millas).
- Doble a la derecha en Glenridge Connector (0.5 millas).
- Doble a la izquierda en Meridian Mark Road (0.2 millas).
- La entrada principal del hospital está a la derecha.
- Siga las señales hacia el estacionamiento de visitantes (visitor parking).

Tren de MARTA* y el autobús de servicio interno de Children's (MARTA* Rail /Children's Shuttle Autobús)

- De la línea del tren North-South (norte-sur), salga del tren en la estación N8 (Medical Center).
- El autobús 41 para en la estación Medical Center.
- Llame a la oficina de seguridad (Security Office) de Children's, al 404-785-2073 para solicitar que lo recoja el autobús de servicio interno.



Visite choa.org/locations para direcciones puerta a puerta y mapas.



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Tenga en cuenta que las obras en curso podrían afectar las rutas regulares. Recomendamos verificar su ruta para detectar posibles obstrucciones, desvíos o retrasos.

Center for Advanced Pediatrics

Directions and parking

2174 North Druid Hills Road NE
 Atlanta, GA 30329

Parking

Park your vehicle in the Center for Advanced Pediatrics parking deck. Parking is free.

Directions

Traveling on 85 North

- Take Exit 89 for GA-42 S/North Druid Hills Road.
- Turn right off exit ramp onto GA-42 S/North Druid Hills Road.
- Turn left at the traffic light to the main entrance into Children's North Druid Hills campus.
- Follow the signs to the Center for Advanced Pediatrics.

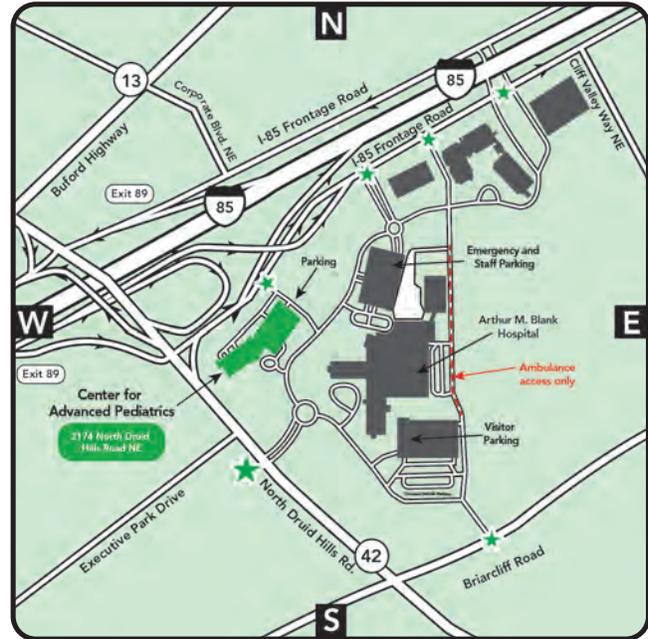
Traveling on 85 South

- Take Exit 89 for GA-42 S/North Druid Hills Road.
- Turn left off exit ramp onto North Druid Hills Road.
- Turn left at the traffic light to the main entrance into Children's North Druid Hills campus.
- Follow the signs to the Center for Advanced Pediatrics.

MARTA Bus*

The Center for Advanced Pediatrics is served by multiple MARTA bus routes, including the North Druid Hills Road Bus Route 8, the I-85 Access Road Bus Route 47 and the Lavista Road Bus Route 30 that intersects at the Lindbergh Center Station.

*Routes may change. Visit itsmarta.org or call 404-848-5000 for more information.



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★ Campus entry and exit points



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Please be aware that ongoing construction could impact regular routes. We recommend checking your route for potential obstructions, detours or delays.

Center for Advanced Pediatrics

Información para visitas

2174 North Druid Hills Road NE
 Atlanta, GA 30329

Estacionamiento

Puede estacionar su vehículo en el estacionamiento del Center for Advanced Pediatrics. El estacionamiento es gratuito.

Indicaciones para llegar

Si viaja por la 85 North (en dirección norte)

- Tome la salida 89 hacia GA-42 S/North Druid Hills Road.
- Siga por la rampa de salida hacia GA-42 South/North Druid Hills Road.
- Al final de la rampa de salida, doble a la derecha en GA-42 S/North Druid Hills Road.
- Doble a la izquierda en el semáforo hacia la entrada principal para al campus de Children's.
- Siga la señalización para el Center for Advanced Pediatrics.

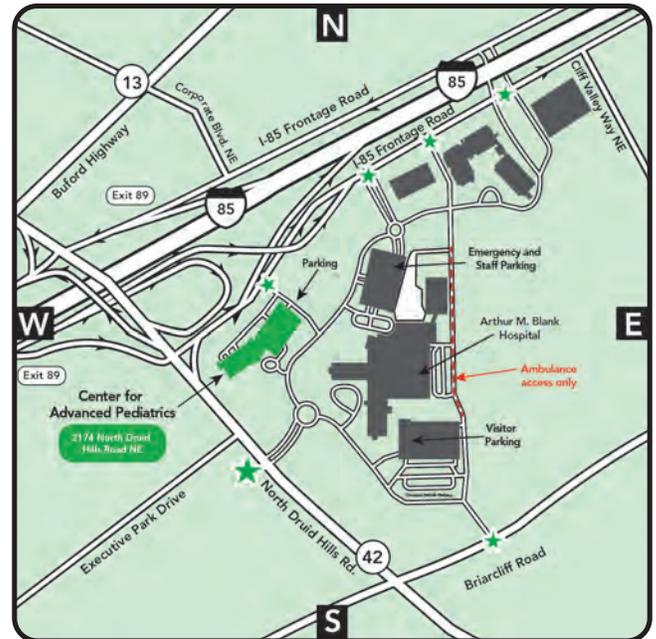
Si viaja por la 85 South (en dirección sur)

- Tome la salida 89 hacia GA-42 S/North Druid Hills Road.
- Al final de la rampa de salida, doble a la izquierda en North Druid Hills Road.
- Doble a la izquierda en el semáforo hacia la entrada principal para al campus de Children's North Druid Hills.
- Siga la señalización para el Center for Advanced Pediatrics.

Autobús de MARTA*

Se puede llegar el Center for Advanced Pediatrics a través de varias rutas de autobús de MARTA: la Ruta 8 North Druid Hills Road, la Ruta 47 de I-85 Access Road y la Ruta 30 La Vista Road que se conecta con la estación de Lindbergh Center.

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★ Puntos de entrada y salida al campus.



Visite choa.org/locations para obtener mapas e indicaciones de cómo llegar desde cualquier lugar.



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Tenga en cuenta que las obras de construcción podrían afectar las rutas habituales. Le recomendamos verificar su recorrido en busca de posibles obstrucciones, desvíos o retrasos.

Children's at Hughes Spalding



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Quick reference guide

Admissions and Emergency Department

Transfer Center: 404-785-7778

- Admit a patient to the hospital.
- Provide notification that you are sending a patient to the Emergency Department.
- Connect with a physician to obtain information about a patient who has already been admitted to the hospital.

Specialty Services

Referrals: 404-785-9850

Fax: 404-785-9231

- Once a referral has been sent, the patient's family can make an appointment by calling the scheduling phone numbers below.

Adolescent Clinic

404-785-9850

Mon: 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Tue: 1 to 8 p.m.

Fri: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Asthma/Allergy

404-785-9850

Mon, Tue and Thu: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Wed: 8 a.m. to noon

Autism/Cerebral Palsy

404-785-9850

Wed: 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Tue (telemedicine only): 8 a.m. to noon

Autism Follow-up Clinic

404-785-9850

Fri: 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Development Progress

404-785-9850

Thu: 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Endocrinology

404-785-9850

1st and 2nd Tue: 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Neurology

404-785-9850

Tue: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Wed: 12:30 to 5 p.m.

Sickle Cell

404-785-9850

Sickle cell: Mon, Wed and Thu: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.;

Tue: 8 a.m. to noon

Transfusion: Mon to Fri: 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Stephanie V. Blank Center for Safe and Healthy Children

404-785-9850

Mon to Fri: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Judson L. Hawk Jr., MD, Clinic for Children



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About our multidisciplinary clinics

The Judson L. Hawk Jr., MD, Clinic for Children—located on the sixth floor of the Center for Advanced Pediatrics—offers multispecialty outpatient treatment for children with a wide range of medical and social complexities. By housing several outpatient services together, families have a place where they can receive coordinated care. This model builds upon the clinic concept that Judson L. Hawk Jr., MD, helped initiate more than 30 years ago.

Our clinics:

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Brachial Plexus

Brachial plexus birth injuries, brachial plexus birth palsy

Cerebral Palsy/Spasticity

Motor skills, muscle weakness

Concussion

Complex concussions

Differences in Sex Development

Ambiguous genitalia, intersex

Neurogastroenterology and Motility

Abdominal pain, incontinence, constipation, difficulty swallowing

Genetics

Craniofacial genetics, developmental delay, pigmentary disorders, Café au lait spots, neurofibromatosis, autism spectrum disorders

Medically Complex Care

Cerebral palsy, hypoxic ischemic encephalopathy, mitochondrial diseases

Muscular Dystrophy

Spinal muscular atrophy, Duchenne, Becker, myotonic diagnosis

Neurofibromatosis/Tuberous Sclerosis

Skin abnormalities, neurological symptoms

Neuro Spine

Back and neck pain, herniated discs, spinal degeneration

Osteogenesis Imperfecta

Easily broken bones, bone deformities, barrel-shaped rib cage, spinal curvature, loose joints, muscle weakness

Pain

Musculoskeletal, inflammation, abdominal pain

Pelvic and Anorectal Care

Hirschsprung's disease, anorectal malformations, idiopathic constipation, pelvic and spinal tumors

Procedures

Neurology and psychiatry procedure clinics

Spina Bifida

Hydrocephalus, bowel problems, mobility weakness

Strong4Life

BMI's outside of height and weight range coupled with weight-related illness

Vascular Anomalies

Hemangiomas, capillary malformations, vascular malformations, venous malformations, lymphatic malformations, arteriovenous malformations

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accessCHOA

Getting started

What is accessCHOA?

AccessCHOA is a tool that provides real-time web access to patient information, comprised of different web pages or activities that correspond to different tasks. The activity that you use depends on what you want to accomplish. For example, if you want to see detailed information about a patient's lab results, you can use the Results Review activity.

This tip sheet includes information to help you get started, including browser requirements, and how to log in and log out. Each section contains information on how to accomplish the task, along with a picture of the activity for quick reference. Note that these images may differ slightly from what you see when you are using accessCHOA.

Browser, system and connection requirements

We strongly recommend a high-speed internet connection for optimal performance. Your browser must be Java enabled, and you must use one of the following internet browsers to use accessCHOA:

- Microsoft Internet Explorer 8.0 or 11.0 (for Microsoft Windows platforms)
- Mozilla Firefox 3.0 (for Microsoft Windows platforms and Mac OS X platforms)

You also need a minimum screen resolution of 1024x768 pixels, and Adobe Reader must be installed to view documents.

Why use accessCHOA?

This web application is designed to extend continuity of patient care by providing community physicians secure access to select patient information in the patient's medical record. Typical users are physicians, physician assistants, nurse practitioners, nurses and office staff who require access to patient clinical, demographic and insurance information at Children's.

Users must complete several steps to gain secure access to accessCHOA.

1. Identify individuals in your practice who will require access to accessCHOA. Note that you must identify any physician or provider for whom you would like to see patient information.
2. Include all users who will need access to accessCHOA on the **New Practice Request Form** at accesschoa.org. Be sure to complete all required information.
 - Complete the contact information section at the top of the form.
 - Enter the first name, middle initial, last name, job title and/or practice role of each office staff member.
 - The last four digits of the Social Security number is a Children's standard for creating Epic login IDs for each nonemployed individual who will access confidential patient information.
 - An email address must be provided for each provider or other professional who will use accessCHOA. The email address is used to return the users' login information, and can also be used to notify users of certain patient events, such as a new lab result or admission.

- Once all information is complete, submit the New Practice Request Form using the **“Submit”** button at the bottom of the form. Once the practice and users are approved, an email with the user’s login information is generated and sent to each user.
- Go to accesschoa.org to sign in to the web application.

Note: First-time users are asked to accept the Terms and Conditions. Click **“Accept.”**

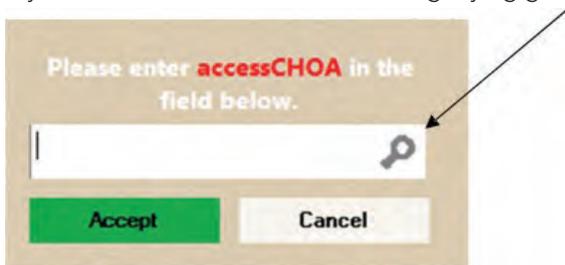
How do I log in?

- Enter the following URL: accesschoa.org
- Enter the **“User ID”** that you received in your welcome to accessCHOA email in the User ID field.
- Press **“Tab”** to move to the **“Password”** field. Enter the password that you received in your welcome to accessCHOA email.
- After you have entered your user ID and password correctly, press **“Enter,”** or click the **“Log In”** button.
- You will be prompted to change your password, which is required.
- When the **Terms and Conditions** page appears, read the agreement and click **“Accept”** to acknowledge your agreement with the terms. You are now logged in to accessCHOA.

Note: Terms and conditions will appear when they are updated and on an annual basis.

- You may be prompted to identify a department when logging in to accessCHOA.

If you see this screen, click on the magnifying glass,



and choose the accessCHOA department.



If this is the most common way you log in to the system and would like to have accessCHOA as your default department, contact us at **404-785-6767** and we can make that change for you.

Note: If you see patients at our facilities and log in to **“hyperspace,”** any changes to your default department in accessCHOA will change your department there as well.

How do I log out?

To maintain patient confidentiality, you need to log out, or use a secure screen when finished or leaving the computer for any reason. There are two ways to do this:

1. Click  to log out of accessCHOA. The next time you log in, you are directed to your start page.
2. Secure the computer by clicking . When you log back in, you are returned to the same page you were using before securing the screen. There is no need to navigate back to the page you were previously working on.

Show time-out warning

After **20 minutes** of inactivity, your accessCHOA session will time out. If your session is about to time out, a warning message appears in the application banner. Until you perform an action, such as clicking on a page or typing, the session times out.

What if I forget my password?

See your site administrator or call the solution center at **404-785-6767**.

Help and contact information

For help using an activity, click  on the web page.

Additional tip sheets can be found within the accessCHOA application on the training page.

Contact the Children's Solution Center at **404-785-6767** if you have any questions or concerns.

Radiology CPT codes



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MRI/MRA

MRI head, neck, spine

Protocol or area of interest:

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|------------------------------------|---------------------|
| MRI brain w/o | 70551 |
| MRI brain w/ | 70552 |
| MRI brain w/ and w/o | 70553 |
| MRI epilepsy surgery protocol | 70551 |
| MRI w/o (orbit, face, neck) | 70540 |
| MRI w/ (orbit, face, neck) | 70542 |
| MRI w/ and w/o (orbit, face, neck) | 70543 |
| MRI spine cervical w/o | 72141 |
| MRI spine cervical w/ | 72142 |
| MRI spine cervical w/ and w/o | 72156 |
| MRI spine thoracic w/o | 72146 |
| MRI spine thoracic w/ | 72147 |
| MRI spine thoracic w/ and w/o | 72157 |
| MRI spine lumbar w/o | 72148 |
| MRI spine lumbar w/ | 72149 |
| MRI spine lumbar w/ and w/o | 72158 |
| Complete spine w/o | 72141, 72146, 72148 |
| Complete spine w/ | 72142, 72147, 72149 |
| Complete spine w/ and w/o | 72156, 72157, 72158 |

MRI chest, abdomen, pelvis

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| MRI chest w/o | 71550 |
| MRI chest w/ and w/o | 71552 |
| MRI abdomen w/o | 74181 |
| MRI FERRISCAN | 74181 |
| MRI abdomen w/ and w/o | 74183 |
| MRI enterography w/o | 74181, 72195 |
| MRI enterography w/ | 74182, 72196 |
| MRI enterography w/ and w/o | 74183, 72197 |
| MRI pelvis w/o (i.e., hip) | 72195 |
| MRI pelvis w/ and w/o (i.e., hip) | 72197 |
| MRI renal study (abd/pel) | 74183, 72197 |
| MRI abd/pelvis w/o | 74181, 72195 |
| Brachial plexus w/o "shoulder" neuro | 72141, 73221 |
| MRI fetal, first gestation | 74712 |
| MRI fetal, each additional gestation | 74713 |

MRI shoulder, elbow, wrist, knee, ankle

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| Upper extremity joint w/o | 73221 |
| Upper extremity joint w/ | 73222 |
| Upper extremity joint w/ and w/o | 73223 |
| Lower extremity joint w/o | 73721 |
| Lower extremity joint w/ | 73722 |
| Lower extremity joint w/ and w/o | 73723 |

MRI humerus, forearm, femur, tibia, fibula, foot

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| Upper extremity w/o | 73218 |
| Lower extremity w/o | 73718 |
| Lower extremity w/ and w/o | 73720 |

Arthrograms

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| Elbow | 73085, 24220, 73222 |
| Hip | 73525, 27093, 73722 |
| Shoulder | 73040, 23350, 73222 |
| Wrist | 73115, 25246, 73222 |

MR angiography, venography, cardiac

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| Head w/o | MRA or MRV | 70544 |
| Head w/ | MRA or MRV | 70545 |
| Head w/ and w/o | MRA or MRV | 70546 |
| Neck w/o | MRA or MRV | 70547 |
| Neck w/ | MRA or MRV | 70548 |
| Abdomen | MRA or MRV | 74185 |
| Pelvis | MRA or MRV | 72198 |
| Lower extremity | MRA or MRV | 73725 |
| Upper extremity | MRA or MRV | 73225 |

Cardiac MRI (Arthur M. Blank Hospital only)

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| Chest | MRA or MRV | 71555 |
| Spectroscopy | | 76390 |
| MRI heart w/ and w/o contrast | | 75561 |
| MRI heart w/o contrast | | 75557 |
| MRI heart w/ and w/o, w/ stress | | 75563 |
| MRI heart w/o, w/ stress | | 75559 |
| MRI velocity flow mapping | | 75565 |
| Heart iron quantification | | 74181 |

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CT

Head, face, neck, sinus, 3D

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| CT head w/o contrast | 70450 |
| CT head w/ contrast | 70460 |
| CT head w/ and w/o contrast | 70470 |
| CT orbit/sella/ear w/o contrast | 70480 |
| CT orbit/sella/ear w/ contrast | 70481 |
| CT neck w/ contrast | 70491 |
| CT maxillofacial/sinus w/o contrast | 70486 |
| CT maxillofacial w/ contrast | 70487 |
| 3D volume rendering/recon (PC) | 76377 |

Spine

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| CT cervical spine w/o contrast | 72125 |
| CT thoracic spine w/o contrast | 72128 |
| CT Lumbar spine w/o contrast | 72131 |

Abdomen, pelvis, chest

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| Abd/pel w/ (entire abd cavity) | 74177 |
| Abd/pel w/o (entire abd cavity) | 74176 |
| Abd/pel w/ and w/o (entire abd cavity) | 74178 |
| Chest/abd/pel w/ | 74177, 71260 |
| CT abdomen w/o contrast | 74150 |
| CT abdomen w/ contrast | 74160 |
| CT chest w/o contrast | 71250 |
| CT chest w/ contrast | 71260 |
| CT limited hip w/o contrast (spica) | 76380 |
| CT pelvis w/o contrast | 72192 |

Extremities

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| L R CT upper extremity w/o | 73200 |
| L R CT lower extremity w/o | 73700 |

Angiography

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| CT angiography head | 70496 |
| CT angiography neck | 70498 |
| CT angiography chest | 71275 |
| CT angiography abdomen | 74175 |



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Fluoroscopy

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| Voiding cystogram | 51600, 74455 |
| Urine culture (from catheter) | 87088 |
| Cystogram (non-voiding) | 74430 |
| Esophagram | 74220 |
| Airway fluoro/diaphragm | 70370 |
| Upper GI series | |
| (through duodenum) | 74240-74241 |
| Upper GI series through tube | 74240-74241 |
| UGI SBFT (esoph through colon) | 74245 |
| Barium enema | 74270 |
| Mod barium swallow OPMS | 74230 |
| Therapeutic enema | 74283 |
| G-Tube check | 74240 |
| Inject contrast check line | 36598 |

Nuclear medicine

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| Sedation possible <5yr or special need | |
| DEXA bone density | 77080 |
| Nuclear cystogram | 78740, 51701 |
| Thyroid scan multi-uptake (I-123) | 78014 |
| HIDA | 78226 |
| w/ CCK | 78227 |
| Gastric emptying scan | 78264 |
| Meckels scan | 78290 |
| Kidney w/ lasix (MAG3/DTPA) | 78708 |
| Kidney w/o lasix (MAG3/DTPA) | 78707 |
| Kidney, static (DMSA) | 78700 |
| Lung scan perfusion | 78580 |
| Lung scan ventil and perfusion | 78582 |
| Brain scan w/ SPECT | 78607 |
| Bone scan w/ SPECT (78320) | 78306 |
| 3 Phase bone scan (specify area) | 78315 |
| CSF shunt evaluation | 78645 |
| MIBG whole body SPECT | 78802, 78804, 78803 |
| GFR | 78725 |

Ultrasound

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| Retroperitoneal (Renal) | 76770 |
| Kidney transplant | 76776 |
| Adrenals only (LTD retroperitoneal) | 76775 |
| Abdomen | 76700 |
| Doppler (vascular abdomen/renal) | 93975 |
| Abdomen limited (i.e., RUQ/pyloric) | 76705 |
| Hips (dynamic) (less than 6 months) | 76885 |
| Hips (static) (less than 6 months) | 76886 |
| Pelvis, non-OB | 76856 |
| Doppler transcranial (hospital only) | 93886 |
| Soft tissue head/neck | 76536 |
| Encephalogram (cranial) | 76506 |
| Scrotum | 76870 |
| w/ doppler | 93975 |
| Spinal canal/sacrum (less than 5 months) | 76800 |
| Chest | 76604 |
| Breast(s) | 76645 |
| Extremity, non-vasc compl. (i.e., mass) | 76881 |
| Doppler (vascular extremity) | 93971 |

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X-ray

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| Neck soft tissue | 70360 | Femur 1V | 73551 |
| Clavicle complete | 73000 | Femur (2 views) | 73552 |
| Chest (1/2 views) | 71010, 71020 | Knee (1/2 views) | 73560 |
| Infant chest w/ abdomen | 74000, 71010 | Tibia/Fibula (2 views) | 73590 |
| Ribs unilateral 2 views | 71100 | Ankle, 2/3 views | 73600, 73610 |
| Ribs bilateral 3 views | 71110 | Foot (min 3 views) | 73630 |
| Ribs bilateral w/ chest (min 4 views) | 71111 | Toe(s) (min 2 views) | 73660 |
| Abdomen AP/decub/erect | 74020 | Shunt series | 74020, 70250, 71020 |
| Abdomen AP (KUB) | 74000 | Sinuses, <3/3+ views | 70210, 70220 |
| Pelvis (1-2 views) | 72170 | Skull, <4 views | 70250 |
| Hips unilateral w/pelvis, 1V | 73501 | Joint Survey 1 views, (rickets) | 77077 |
| Hips bilateral w/pelvis, 2V | 73521 | C-spine, 3 views or less | 72040 |
| Hips, 3-4V | 73522 | L Spine, 2-3 views (complete) | 72100 |
| Nose-rectum, foreign object | 76010 | Spine, entire TL, (scoliosis) 1V | 72081 |
| Shoulder (min 2 views) | 73030 | Spine, entire TL 2 or 3 views | 72082 |
| Humerus (min 2 views) | 73060 | Spine, entire TL 4 or 5 views | 72083 |
| Elbow (2 views) | 73070 | Spine, entire TL minimum of 6V | 72084 |
| Forearm (2 views) | 73090 | T-spine (2 views) | 72070 |
| Wrist (min 3 views) | 73110 | Skeletal survey | 77075, 77076 |
| Hand (min 3 views) | 73130 | Bone age | 77072 |
| Finger(s) (min 2 views) | 73140 | Bone length (i.e., scanogram) | 77073 |

Sports medicine physician vs. sports physical therapist



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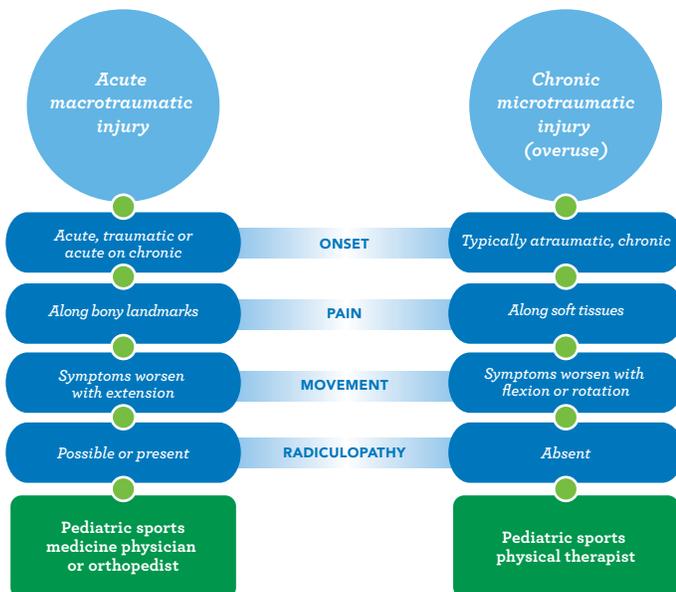
Your reference guide

Use these guidelines to support your clinical decision to refer a patient to a pediatric orthopedic physician or a pediatric sports physical therapist. Follow the center categories and choose the appropriate corresponding column based on your patient's case history. If the majority of responses fall in the acute macrotraumatic injury column, it may be appropriate for the patient to see an orthopedic physician. Conversely, if most responses fall in the chronic microtraumatic injury column, it may be appropriate for the patient to be sent directly to sports physical therapy. Physicians should exercise their independent medical judgement in making referrals.

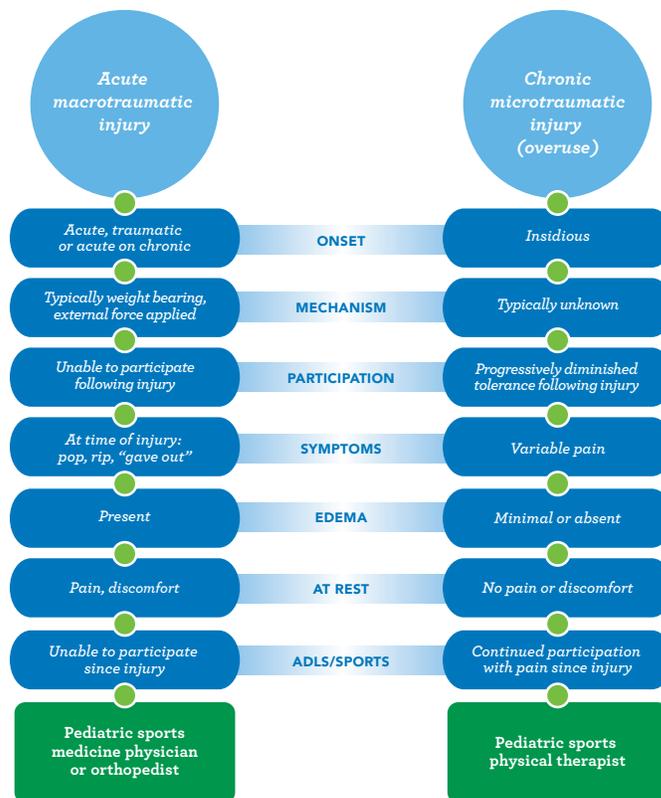
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When it comes to treating growing athletes, there's no competition. Our Sports Medicine Program is dedicated exclusively to caring for growing athletes. Our sports medicine professionals, including sports medicine primary care physicians and sports physical therapists, are trained specifically to take care of kid and teen athletes. We provide complete, coordinated care from diagnosis to treatment to rehabilitation. We have 14 orthopedic and sports medicine clinics, and offer sports physical therapy at 11 locations across metro Atlanta.

Back pain cervical/thoracic and lumbar/pelvic



Extremity pain upper/lower extremity



To make a physician referral, choa.org/md or call 404-785-DOCS. For sports physical therapy referrals, call 404-785-8660. See our locations and providers at choa.org/sportsmed.

If your patient has an emergency or life-threatening condition, stop and call 911 or send them to the closest hospital emergency department. This guide is for informational purposes only. Providers must use their own clinical judgment in referring their patients, as each situation is different.

