

Pediatric Rehabilitation Services

Inpatient Neuro-Rehabilitation
and Spinal Cord Injury Program



**Shriners Hospitals
for Children®**
Chicago

Advantages of Rehabilitation Services at Shriners Hospitals for Children – Chicago

Pediatric Focus

The Chicago Shriners Hospital offers the only onsite pediatric rehabilitation unit in a children's hospital in the Chicagoland area.

- **Personal Attention**

We are able to provide more hours of one-to-one therapy per day than other inpatient rehabilitation programs.

- **Diverse Range of Pediatric Specialists**

Our interdisciplinary team of physiatrists, orthopedists, therapists and other specialists has extensive training and expertise to meet the unique and varied needs of children under one roof.

- **Supporting Services**

Children in the rehabilitation program can also take advantage of onsite support including: pediatric intensive care unit, pediatric neurology, pediatric urology, pediatrician, hospitalist, imaging, laboratory services and more.

Conditions We Treat

- Spinal cord injury
- Acute flaccid myelitis
- AIDP/CIDP
- Guillain barre
- Multi-trauma
- Postop recovery with cerebral palsy or spina bifida
- Other neurologic conditions





Inpatient Rehabilitation

A physiatrist-led interdisciplinary team helps the child recover from an injury or loss of function. Nurses, doctors and therapists work with families on personalized functional goals and learning their care.

Intensive Outpatient Rehabilitation

Intensive outpatient rehabilitation allows children to continue to receive high intensity therapy after the acute phase, when they are ready to return to the community.

Outpatient Rehabilitation

Outpatient rehabilitation promotes continued improvement, and integration of skills in daily life.





Specialized Services

- Aquatic Therapy
- Feeding and swallowing therapy
- Constraint-Induced Movement Therapy
- Durable medical equipment
- Pediatric sports medicine
- Serial casting
- Scoliosis-specific exercises based on Schroth Method
- Robotic-assisted gait therapy
- Motion analysis center
- Wheelchair seating and positioning
- Wound care





Specialized Pediatric Equipment

- AlterG treadmill
- ArmeoSpring
- Body-weight-assisted treadmill
- FES cycles
- Galileo vibration plate
- GameCycle
- H200 wireless hand rehabilitation system
- MOTomed
- Myomo
- Planar seating system
- Reoambulator
- ReWalk
- SmartWheel
- Saebo ReJoyce
- Warm-water therapy pool



The Pediatric Rehabilitation Specialists Since 1983

The groundwork for the pediatric rehabilitation program at Shriners Hospital for Children — Chicago, began as the nation's first pediatric spinal cord injury (SCI) rehabilitation program. Since then it has provided care to over 1,000 youth with SCI, earning national and international reputation for its leadership and pioneering research in the field. The vision for that program: assuring children and adolescents with SCI attain independence and participate fully in their communities, has since extended beyond that patient population, and today addresses a wide range of unique physical rehabilitation needs.

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Do You Know a Child We May Be Able to Help?

To refer a patient, call:

773-385-KIDS (5437)

► Referrals may also be faxed to: **773-385-5505**