

RECRUITMENT AND ASSESSMENT SITES

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CANADA			
St John's NL Janeway Children's Health and Rehabilitation Centre	Provincial tertiary care centre for children's health. The Development and Rehabilitation Division provides care and services to children and adolescents with physical, developmental, behavioral and or cognitive disabilities. Specialized services and ambulatory care programs include Day Patients, Outpatients, specialized clinics and community supports if necessary. The primary location of the service is in St. John's NL, with outreach physiotherapy and occupational therapy services in Gander, Grand Falls Windsor and Corner Brook. Travelling Clinics to various regions of the province are held annually.	Province of Newfoundland and Labrador	Site Supervisor: Marjorie Scott Study Assessors: Renee Squires Sandra Nickel
Halifax, NS IWK Health Centre	Provincial/Maritime tertiary care center for Children's Health. In-patients/out- patients/clinics and traveling clinics.	Province of Nova Scotia	Families recruited through site for previous Move & PLAY study, followed up for On Track Study by independent assessor: Krista Sweet

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Peterborough, ON Five Counties Children's Center	Five Counties Children's Centre is one of 21 children's treatment centres in the province of Ontario. The centre offers assessment, treatment and consultation to infants, children and youth with physical, developmental and communication needs. Services include occupational therapy, physiotherapy, speech language pathology, augmentative communication, therapeutic recreation, social work and preschool resource. Service is provided in numerous settings dependent on client/family need.	Peterborough, City of Kawartha Lakes, Northumberland and Haliburton Counties	Site Supervisor and Study Assessor: Barbara Purdie Independent Assessor: Sharon White
Toronto, ON Holland Bloorview Kids Rehabilitation Hospital	Canada's largest children's rehabilitation hospital. In/ out-patient facility. Multiple specialty clinics.	Province of Ontario. Serves out- of -province special referrals.	Families recruited through site for previous Move & PLAY study, followed up for On Track Study by independent assessors.
Winnipeg, MN Winnipeg Rehabilitation Center for Children	Regional center, community based services (Winnipeg region + rural areas) plus specialty clinics and outpatient therapy at the center. • Orthopedic clinic • Assistive technology clinic • Feeding clinic (Barb B –OT here)	Province of Manitoba and Northwest Ontario	Site Supervisor: Barb Borton Study Assessors: Jane Daniels Carol Kehler

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Children's Hospital of Winnipeg St Boniface Hospital Provincial Outreach Therapy for Children	Affiliated with Children's Hospital of Winnipeg. 16 PTs practice both in the center and offsite in rural areas; traveling PT/OT teams serve portions of Manitoba. • Child Development Clinic (Dr Sally Longstaffe, developmental pediatrician)-recruitment- • PT department involved with recruitment • Newborn FU clinic (Dr Diane Moddemann, developmental pediatrician) –recruitment - Community-based therapists- recruitment	Winnipeg and surrounding rural areas	
Regina, SK Wascana Rehabilitation Center	Provides comprehensive medical rehabilitation programs for adults and children, as well as specialized long-term care; outpatient clinics and some inpatient care.	Southern Saskatchewan	Site Supervisor: Sue Pitura Recruiter: Rae-Lynn Lang Study Assessors: Patti Norman Paula Popick Janice Penner

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Vancouver, BC B.C.'s Centre for Ability, Vancouver Sunny Hill Center, (part of BC Children's Hospital) Vancouver	"Early Intervention Program" serving children birth to school entry providing clinic and community-based services, in a Family Centred Model, for children with a variety of developmental disabilities. Provincial, tertiary care facility offers specialized services to children and youth with developmental disabilities aged birth to nineteen; services are provided when the needs of the child cannot be met by their own community services. Services are delivered at Sunny Hill or in a child's community via outreach; provide specialized services and clinics such as seating and augmentative communication.	Greater Vancouver area - Burnaby, Richmond and the North Shore Serves most of BC, excluding Vancouver and lower mainland	Site Supervisor: Judit Spence Study Assessors: Marlayne Metzker Jude Rushton Angelina Woof Andrea Soo
Victoria BC Queen Alexandra Center for Children's Health	QACCH provides a range of services, including assessments and therapeutic interventions, for children from birth to 19 years of age and their families. For further information please see the Island Health website: http://www.viha.ca/cyf_rehab/	Serves Greater Victoria area	Site Supervisor: Erin Sloan Study Assessor: D'Arcy Wingrove

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Hamilton ON Children's Developmental Rehabilitation Program CDRP	Provides assessment, treatment, and consultation services for children with congenital or acquired neurological, developmental and/or multiple disabilities Services may be provided in several locations including the CDRP, in the home, preschools, and community agencies Consultation to preschool staff provided by early childhood resource specialists, occupational therapists, physiotherapists, and speech-language pathologists Therapeutic Recreationist provides individual and community consultation to CDRP clients of all ages and social workers are available for all CDRP families.	Serves south central Ontario and beyond.	Site Supervisor: Robin Halls Study Assessors: Annamaria Tancredi Betty Yundt Marilyn Wright Deana Mercier
London ON Thames Valley Children's Centre	Regional rehabilitation centre to help children and youth with physical disabilities, communication disorders, developmental delays and autism spectrum disorders to reach their potential in terms of independence, participation, and quality of life. Our services are highly individualized and based on each child's and families' needs and preferences. Using a collaborative goal-setting model with children and youth, their families and daycare/school	Provides services primarily in southwester Ontario: Middlesex, Lambton, Oxford, Huron, Bruce, Perth, Essex, Elgin, Chatham- Kent, Grey	Site Supervisor: Michelle Truppe Study Assessors: Liz Lusk Tania Tucker Christine Moser Gill Stapleton Lynn Kloss Independent Assessors: Deepa

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	personnel/community service providers, a coordinated and integrated plan is developed. We also offer a variety of specialty services, including medical clinics, seating and mobility, and augmentative communication services. We offer a range of service delivery options including: assessment, diagnosis, direct intervention, (i.e., physiotherapy, occupational therapy, speech therapy, therapeutic recreation, ABA-based services, Intensive Behavioural Intervention), consultation, counseling, parent education, support groups, as well as community education and development. Services are provided in a variety of settings depending on the need.		Jeevanantham
North Bay ON One Kids Place Children's Treatment Centre	One Kids Place Children's Treatment Centre offers a range of services to help children, youth and their families with physical, developmental and communication delays and disabilities. Services include: physiotherapy, occupational therapy, speech language pathology, therapeutic recreation, and social work. One Kids Place is the lead agency for Preschool Speech and Language Services, and the Applied Behaviour Analysis Program and offers specialty services such as Augmentative Communication, Seating and Mobility, Feeding, Developmental	Serving the Districts of Nipissing, Muskoka and Parry Sound.	Site Supervisor: Darlene Laferriere Study Assessor: Krista Robertson- Palmer

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	Assessment. Service delivery includes: assessment, individual and group therapy, parent training, consultation, counselling, community education. Services are centre based and community based depending on the need.		
Timmins ON Cochrane Temiskaming Children's Treatment Centre	Committed to providing quality rehabilitation services to Children and their Families in the Districts of Cochrane and Temiskaming. The Centre employs: Occupational Therapists, Physical Therapists, Speech Language Pathologists, Social Worker, Recreation Therapist. The Centre also employs Therapy Assistants, who provide therapy services under the supervision of the Therapists. Services include consultation, assessment, treatment and education. Children may be seen on a regular basis by the Therapist or the Therapy Assistant. Programming may also be developed by the Therapist and carried out by family members, day care workers, respite workers or by educational assistants in the school system.	The Centre's catchment area includes both Districts of Cochrane and Temiskaming – stretching from the Northwest corner of the District of Cochrane in Hearst to the Southeast corner of the District of Temiskaming in Latchford. The Centre also covers Moosonee and Moose Factory on the James Bay coast. Satellite offices in Kirkland Lake, New Liskeard, Kapuskasing and in Moose Factory.	Site Supervisor: Karina Lacroix Study Assessor: Chantal Roy

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Surrey BC The Centre for Child Development	The Centre for Child Development provides specialized pediatric medical rehabilitation services and supports to children with special needs and their families. The Centre offers a number of services including communication therapy, family services, occupational therapy, physiotherapy, supported child care, integrated preschools, psychology services, recreation therapy and specialty services such as eating skills team, equipment team, casting team, equipment and toy loan program. These services are provided in the Centre, in family homes and through consultation at child care centres and schools.	Serves children across Delta, Surrey, South Surrey, White Rock, Langley.	Site Supervisor and Study Assessor: Rowan Kimball
Ottawa ON Ottawa Children's Treatment Centre	A fully accredited regional centre providing specialized ambulatory services to children, youth and certain adults with physical and/or developmental disabilities and their families. Programs are provided by specialists: physiotherapists * occupational therapists * speech-language pathologists * nurses * preschool, school, and liaison teachers * psychologists * social workers * technical and medical specialists * developmental paediatricians * neurologists * physiatrist * orthopaedic surgeons * behaviour consultants * early childhood consultants	The area served in the Champlain Region stretches across the eastern Ontario counties of Prescott/Russell, Stormont/Dundas/Glengarry, to north Lanark, the vast area covered by Renfrew County, and the City of Ottawa.	Site Supervisors: Susan Mendelsohn Liz Vilé Independent Study Assessors: Linda Kealey Elizabeth Cuddy

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	and recreation therapists Early Childhood Program. Assistive Technology Program. Special Education. Life Span Core Program.		
Mississauga ON ErinoakKids Centre for Treatment and Development	Provides a comprehensive range of treatment & rehabilitation programs and support services to children and young adults with physical, developmental and communication disabilities to help them reach optimal levels of health, well-being & independence. Core services are: Medical Services, Occupational Therapy, Physiotherapy, Autism Services, Communication Services, Infant Hearing Screening and Services Vision Services.	Ontario's largest children's treatment centre serves Halton, Peel, Dufferin regions & some of Welllington county, offering services from 10 sites with over 700 staff members.	Site Supervisor: Gillian Hogan Jane Sandercock Study Assessors: Daniela Shea Monette Graham Heather Stroz Aralia Toledo Russell Lauren Fehlings
Kingston ON Religious Hospitallers of Saint Joseph of the Hotel Dieu Kingston	The Child Development Centre (CDC) is located at Hotel Dieu Hospital, Kingston. It is one of 21 Children's Treatment Centres Ontario. The CDC serves children and youth with multiple disabilities such as cerebral palsy, acquired brain injury, spina bifida and muscular dystrophy, as well as preschoolers with developmental delay. Staffing includes approximately 45 professional and support staff working on interdisciplinary teams that include the Medical, Social Work, Physiotherapy, Occupational therapy, Psychology, and Speech and Language disciplines.	Provides services to residents of Kingston and surrounding area	Site Supervisor: Janet Coppold Study Assessor: Lesley Prevost

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Windsor ON John McGivney Children's Centre	JMCC is one of 21 Children's Treatment Centres in Ontario. It is a pediatric rehabilitation / treatment facility for persons 0 – 21 years of age with physical, developmental and neurological challenges. Services include speech, occupational and physiotherapy, family services, seating and mobility clinic, augmentative communication, cleft lip and palate and an orthopedic clinic. JMCC has an onsite licensed childcare program (18 months to 6 years) and an onsite elementary school. JMCC partners with other agencies to provide services in the home and community including CCAC School Health Support Program, CCAC Home Therapy Program, Preschool Speech and Language Program, Autism Intervention Program (TVCC) and others. JMCC accepts referrals from parents and legal guardians as well as hospitals, physicians, other service providers as well as directly from individuals via self- referral.	Serving Windsor/Essex County	Site Supervisor: Laurie Lessard Study Assessors: Kristin Mosser Marie O'Neil

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St. Catharines ON Niagara Children's Centre	Provides assessment and therapy to children up to age 18 with physical, developmental and/or communicative (speech and language) disabilities. Services provided include: physiotherapy, occupational therapy, speech/language pathology, recreation therapy, social work and augmentative communication. Other programs include: Special Services At Home, Gait Analysis Clinic, Splinting and Casting Clinic, Seating Clinic and Medical clinics including Orthopaedic and Developmental Paediatrics for children on caseload. Niagara Preschool Speech and Language Service System, known as Speech Services Niagara, offers families support with speech, language, and literacy needs. The Centre is the central intake for all referrals for preschool speech and language services for the Niagara Region.	Serving Niagara Region	Site Supervisor: Chris Tawil Study Assessor: Linda Wallman
Simcoe York ON Children's Treatment Network	The Network provides comprehensive, coordinated care and services to kids with complex physical, developmental and communications needs who live in Simcoe County or York Region. Professionals from Network Partner organizations work together with families to develop a coordinated Single Plan of Care	Serving Simcoe County and York Region	Site Supervisors: Sandy Thurston Kim Woodland Study Assessors: Barb Fortuna Melissa Morby Dena Shulman

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	that adapts to a child's changing needs. Tools like a shared electronic record and common assessments allow professionals on a child's team to share clinical information, coordinate services and monitor the child's progress through all the stages of their development. Network funding has also expanded the range of services provided by Network Partners so that more children with multiple special needs can receive the specialized services they need, closer to home.		
Prince Albert, SK Victoria Hospital Therapies Department	Pediatric Early Development Services Team within a general hospital Therapy department. Pediatric services include PT, OT, SLP (including specialist in feeding/swallowing), Social Work and full team assessments (developmental, Autism ADOS assessment and FASD assessment) to a primarily preschool population. Developmental PT consultation to in-patient ward also provided as well as contract school consultation.	Prince Albert Parkland Health region in north- central Saskatchewan with services also provided to the 3 northern health regions on an out-patient basis, depending on availability of their therapy services (fluctuating).	Site Supervisor and Study assessor: Gillian Davis

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USA			
Philadelphia			
Shriner's Hospital Philadelphia	Medical care for children with spinal cord injuries, as well as a host of orthopedic and neuromusculoskeletal disorders and diseases.	Philadelphia area	Courtney Mullen
Cindy Miles & Associates	Private out-patient therapy practice specializing in pediatrics providing individual, high quality, hands on physical, occupational and speech therapy	Whitehall, PA area	Cindy Miles (Site coordinator) Rachael Weitknecht
Children's Specialized	Children's Specialized Hospital (CSH) is the largest pediatric rehabilitation health system in the United States with 10 sites in New Jersey. CSH treats children and adolescents from birth to 21 years of age with a wide variety of medical, developmental, educational, and rehabilitative needs. This health system services thousands of children affected by brain injury, spinal cord dysfunction and injury, premature birth, autism, developmental delays and life-changing illnesses annually. Therapeutic programs include physical, speech, and occupational therapy; psychology services; neurodevelopmental physician services; recreational therapy and child life, and a full complement of support services.	New Jersey area	Sue Winning (Site coordinator) Mary Alexander Lisa O'Connell

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Voorhees Pediatrics	Nationally recognized pediatric specialty care center that offers residential long term-care for medically fragile and technology dependent children. In addition to being the largest freestanding pediatric ventilator program in the country, it is home to an innovative and comprehensive private education program and a medical day care center.	New Jersey area	Lauren DelRossi
Weisman Children's Hospital	Leading provider of comprehensive pediatric rehabilitation services in the Delaware Valley through inpatient, outpatient, medical day care, and day hospital programs.	New Jersey area	Carrie Russen Amy Miloszewski
Kennedy Krieger Institute	Internationally recognized for improving the lives of children and adolescents with disorders and injuries of the brain, spinal cord and musculoskeletal system, the Kennedy Krieger Institute in Baltimore, Maryland. serves more than 20,000 individuals each year through inpatient and outpatient clinics, home and community services and school-based programs. Kennedy Krieger provides a wide range of services for children with developmental concerns mild to severe, and is home to a team of investigators who are contributing to the understanding of how disorders develop while pioneering new interventions and	Baltimore, Maryland area	Christopher Joseph (Site Coordinator) Rhonda Stalling Shalmali Talwalkar

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Good Shepherd Rehabilitation Network	Good Shepherd is a nationally recognized rehabilitation leader, offering a continuum of care for people with injuries, complex medical needs and physical and/or cognitive disabilities.	Pennsylvania - Lehigh County area	Erin Martinez
Private Therapists	Pediatric physical therapist	Delaware, New Jersey and Pennsylvania area	Melissa Shukdinas (New Jersey)
			Kim Ward (Greater Philadelphia)
			Linda Montas (Greater Philadelphia)
			Tracy Stoner (Delaware)
			Kristin Capone (Delaware)
Oklahoma Region			
Private Therapists	Pediatric Physical Therapists	Oklahoma City area	Jennifer Miller Amanda Porter Carrie Ferguson
		Northwest area	Shannon Raterman
		Dallas Texas area	Caitlyn Deville

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Early Intervention	Birth – 3 yrs early intervention program, all home based. State-wide program.	State of Oklahoma	OK City based: Mary Whitmarsh Tulsa based: Lara Gill
Heart Springs School	Pediatrics services and schools for children in the community	Wichita, KS	Cheryl Jabara
Georgia			
Private Therapists	Pediatric Physical Therapists	Large geographic area12 counties in Atlanta region - 1 county in middle Georgia -Urban, suburbs and rural areas	Erin Wentz Tammy Buck Anna Berry Lisa Newton Kimberly Mello Jaclyn Maxwell Marla Smith Iris Linn-Morris (Atlanta, GA) Catherine Stubbs (Columbus, GA) Heather Kontos Kimberly Hart

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Pacific Northwest			
Seattle Children's Hospital (SCH) Seattle, WA	Large pediatric hospital. Inpatient, outpatient, diagnostic, surgical, rehabilitative, behavioral, emergency and outreach services. Pediatric referral center for Washington, Alaska, Montana and Idaho.	Seattle, WA	Kristie Bjornson PT, PhD, PCS
MultiCare Pediatric Therapy Services Good Samaritan Children's Therapy Unit (CTU)	Acute-care facility with a Children's Therapy Unit (CTU) for infants, children, and adolescents with neuromuscular disabilities and other special needs.	Puyallup, WA	Sara Kerrick PT, PCS
Children's Therapy Center (CTC) Kent, WA	CTC offers center based Speech, Physical and Occupational Therapy for children with developmental delays and disabilities from birth–18 years old. Services include feeding, fitness, and social skills groups, as well as aquatic and hippotherapy programs.	Kent, Burien, Tacoma WA	Cari Anderson PT
South King Early Intervention Program (SKIP)	SKIP offers home based speech, physical and occupational Therapy for children with developmental delays and disabilities from birth–3 years old. SKIP also has inclusive community playgroups and an autism program.	Kent, Burien, Tacoma WA	Cari Anderson PT
Shriners Hospital for Children, Portland	Inpatient and outpatient services for children with variety of orthopedic and neuromusculoskeletal disorders and	Portland, Oregon	Susan Sienko Thomas, MA

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UW Medicine/Valley Medical Center Renton, WA	diseases. Large general hospital, regional center for children's therapy clinics; NICU follow-up clinic, inpatient and outpatient treatment in OT, PT, speech and language therapy, orthotics.	Renton, WA Southeast King County	Jessica Mendoza PT, DPT
Waypoint Pediatric Therapies	Private outpatient pediatric physical therapy practice serving infants, children, and young adults with disabilities and motor delays.	Issaquah, WA East Seattle	Allison Yocum PT, DSc, PCS