



Spinal Cord Injury Care at Shriners Hospitals for Children

Where Hope and Healing Meet,
Compassion and Expertise Come
Together, and Lives are Changed.



Shriners Hospitals for Children® began the country's first pediatric spinal cord injury rehabilitation program in 1980 at the health care system's Philadelphia hospital. Similar programs were started a few years later at the Shriners Hospitals for Children in Chicago and Sacramento, California. Our health care system continues to be recognized worldwide as a leader in pediatric spinal cord injury rehabilitation and management.



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Specialized Services for Children and Adolescents with Spinal Cord Injuries

Shriners Hospitals for Children is the only multi-hospital health care system in the United States with spinal cord injury rehabilitation and management programs designed specifically for children and teenagers. Comprehensive inpatient and outpatient services, directed by physicians specializing in pediatric spinal cord injury, include:

- 📍 Critical and intensive care
- 📍 Orthopaedic, plastic and reconstructive surgery and neurosurgery
- 📍 Physical, occupational, recreational and speech therapy
- 📍 Psychosocial guidance and assistance, including counseling and support services
- 📍 Exercise-based wellness and fitness programs
- 📍 Experiential programs to encourage confidence and independent living skills
- 📍 Urological consultations and surgery

About Shriners Hospitals for Children

Shriners Hospitals for Children is changing lives every day by providing innovative pediatric specialty care, conducting world-class research and offering outstanding educational programs for medical professionals. Our locations in the United States, Canada and Mexico provide advanced care for children with orthopaedic conditions, burns, spinal cord injuries, and cleft lip and palate. All care and services are provided regardless of the families' ability to pay.

Shriners Hospitals for Children is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization and relies on the generosity of donors. All donations are tax deductible to the fullest extent permitted by law.

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