



Inpatient Rehabilitation Program

Each child's rehabilitation is different. The rehabilitation medical team will work with you and your child to figure out the best plan for your child to continue working toward their goals.

Who needs the Inpatient Rehabilitation Program (the program)?

The rehabilitation doctor will help decide if your child would benefit from our program.

Your child may be admitted to the program if they:

- Had a recent change in how they can do daily tasks or activities because of a medical condition, injury, or treatment
- needs daily care by nursing and medical team
- can do at least 3 hours of therapy (PT, OT, Speech) each day
- needs at least 2 types of skilled therapy daily (PT, OT, and/or Speech) to meet goals
- can improve with this type of program
- does not require mechanical ventilation or frequent medical procedures

A plan will be created to best support you and your child.

Leaving the program:

Some children/adolescents may need to go to another part of the hospital if they:

- are not able to fully participate in the program
- need surgery
- have met therapy goals, but still needs medical or psychiatric care

Your child may be able to return to the program later if needed. The rehabilitation medical team will review this with you.

Leaving the hospital: The rehabilitation team will work with you and your child to help decide when it is safe to leave the hospital. Your child may be ready to leave when:

- inpatient therapy goals are met
- ready to work on outpatient, long-term goals

- daily medical care from nurses and doctors is no longer needed
- family and caregivers have finished training to safely care for your child at home
- your child is no longer benefiting or improving with the program
- a plan for continuing care to meet your child's and your family's needs has been made

Call the Rehabilitation Team at 816-802-1200 ext. 19841 or 816-234-3970 if you have questions.