

# Referral Criteria – Neuromuscular Team

## Ambulatory Care

The Neuromuscular Team provides tertiary and quaternary care for clients with neuromuscular conditions.

Our multidisciplinary family-centred approach includes a paediatrician, a respirologist, ambulatory care nurses, physiotherapists, occupational therapists, a speech language pathologist, a social worker, a psychologist, a respiratory therapist, a life skills coach and youth facilitator.

Clients are seen within multidisciplinary clinics and required intervention is available for clients who reside in the Toronto area between clinic visits. Consultation services are available for all clients who reside outside Toronto.

To enable co-ordination of care for each child, the Neuromuscular Team communicates with other involved community partners such as schools, Community Care Access Centre, other medical facilities, local children's treatment centres and government agencies.

In order to be eligible for this service a **Physician referral** is required and the client must meet **all** the following criteria:

- Live in Ontario except where multidisciplinary services are available for this client population
- Is under the age of 19 (at the time of referral)
- Has a confirmed or suspected Neuromuscular diagnosis
- **Genetic Testing Results** must be provided if available

*\* The client/family must be aware of the referral*

Please use the referral form online at: [hollandbloorview.ca/referrals](http://hollandbloorview.ca/referrals)

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