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# Patient Referral Form

## DELL CHILDRENS NEUROGASTROENTEROLOGY PROGRAM

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Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

Patient Contact Information: \_\_\_\_\_

Referring Physician Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Referring Physician Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Referring Physician Fax Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Important:** Please fax patient demographics, insurance information, and pertinent medical records including: office notes, prior motility studies, endoscopy and related pathology reports, radiology reports, and growth charts.

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**Reason for Referral**

- General Motility Referral
- Diagnostic Testing [requested test: \_\_\_\_\_ ]<sup>†</sup>
- Collaborative Abdominal Pain Program
- Aerodigestive Program \*
- Bowel and Bladder Continence Program \*
- Spina Bifida Program \*

<sup>†</sup> If the clinician only wishes a diagnostic test, we will make a determination as to the appropriateness of the test, and then, once completed transfer care back to the primary clinician for further management

\* We will forward the referral along to the appropriate office managing the clinical program

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## Summary of Services

### Motility Diagnostic Laboratory

We offer a full array of gastrointestinal motility diagnostic capacity. This includes: pH-multichannel intraluminal impedance (pH-MII) monitoring, BRAVO capsule pH monitoring, esophageal manometry, antroduodenal manometry, colonic manometry, and anorectal manometry.

### Motility Clinical Services

We can assist with the management of complex motility related disorders. We serve patient in our general motility clinic, aerodigestive program, bowel and bladder continence program, and spina bifida programs.

**General Motility Clinic:** This clinic runs alongside our general GI program, we have dedicated motility staff, and do our best facilitate quick referral turnaround.

**Aerodigestive Program:** This program is a collaboration between otolaryngology, pulmonology, gastroenterology. We offer a comprehensive assessment of children with complex aerodigestive disorders (tracheoesophageal fistula, laryngeal cleft, subglottic stenosis, etc.) Additional services include: speech therapy, respiratory therapy, dietician, and social work. It is coordinated out of the DCMC specialty care center.

**Bowel & Bladder Continence Program:** This is a collaborative effort between urology and gastroenterology. We serve children with complex incontinence of bladder and bowel. It is coordinated out of the Children's Urology offices.

**Spina Bifida Program:** We participate in the DCMC spina bifida program coordinated out of the specialty care center. This is a collaboration between urology, neurosurgery, orthopedics, physical medicine, and gastroenterology. Additional services include: physical therapy, dietician, social work, and child life.

### Collaborative Abdominal Pain Program

In collaboration with the Texas Child Study Center (psychology), we have developed an innovative, evidence based, approach to children with functional gastrointestinal disorders. We are offering a seven session combined cognitive behavioral therapy and hypnotherapy protocol to these families. Our initial assessment also includes a physical therapy evaluation. We are conducting this program under the auspices of a research protocol in order to be able to publish the efficacy of our approach.

