



SPOTLIGHT ON...

Child Development Clinic

The Child Development Clinic (CDC) is part of the Department of Paediatrics and Child Health Program and is currently located at the Children's Hospital. We are very excited to be a part of the SSCY project and are looking forward to re-locating to the SSCY building when it opens.

The Child Development Clinic first opened in 1964. Many changes and developments have taken place over the last 47 years, and today the Clinic offers assessment, diagnosis and some brief intervention for pre-school children with developmental and/or behavioural concerns, including developmental delay, Autism Spectrum Disorder, and learning and attentional difficulties.

The Child Development Clinic staff works closely with the High Risk Newborn Follow-up Program and the Child Protection Centre Developmental Clinic. The developmental pediatricians at the Child Development Clinic are also part of the diagnostic team at the Manitoba FASD Centre.

Consultation Clinics occur with the Department of Clinical Health Psychology, Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, the Department of Communication Disorders and the Child Protection Centre.

CDC also has close ties with other departments of the Children's Hospital; in particular the Departments of Social Work, Occupational Therapy, Physiotherapy, Communications Disorders, Child Health Psychology and Child & Adolescent Psychiatry. CDC also works closely with the clinics at the Rehab Centre for Children, as well as various subspecialty clinics, including: Neurology, Genetics and Metabolism, and Feeding Clinic.

Child Development Clinic also has close linkages with the community, especially with Children's Special Services, the Family Centre, Manitoba Child Daycare Office and community therapies.

Teaching is a large part of the Section of Developmental Pediatrics with extensive educational commitments at both the undergraduate and postgraduate level for medical students and paediatric residents and trainees from other disciplines. A developmental pediatrics residency program has been accredited by the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada.

Referrals to CDC are received for pre-school children from physicians, public health nurses, speech-language pathologists, occupational therapists and physiotherapists. Children are assessed for overall development and behaviour.

The Child Development Clinic offers brief intervention programs including Let's Get Started (for children who have just been diagnosed with Autism Spectrum Disorder and their caregivers) and CDC Outreach (for caregivers challenged by their child's behaviour), as well as appointments with a Clinical Social Worker for families who need help managing a variety of concerns.

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Capital Planning Update

The **Planning Phase** is well underway! The Prime Consultant, Stantec Architecture, presented a "test-fit" adjacency diagram to the SSCY Site Management Team in February 2011.

The design incorporates a large amount of natural light, courtesy of the existing skylights and large windows in the 1930s-style building.

A slightly smaller second floor will overlook the main floor, enabling light to flow from the skylights to the main floor.

An enclosed outside play and therapy area will be located on the main floor, with walls reaching through the second floor, open to the sky above! This promises to be a truly unique building.

A community day care will be situated on the main floor, with its own external access and play area.

The consultants have begun to meet with individual programs to confirm program function, room adjacencies and space needs.

Schematic Design Phase (IN PROGRESS)

Meetings are taking place with the Prime Consultant, Stantec Architecture, to advance the Schematic Design, engage users from each group involved and to form an Integrated Design Process (IDP) working group. This working group is integral to translate our needs and wants into the overall design.

The space program is being confirmed and will establish preliminary adjacencies within departments and adjacent departments within the floor plate. These Schematic Design floor plans will establish relationships between disciplines, room sizes, corridors, etc.

Design Development Phase

Will result in a reconciled final layout of all requirements in greater detail, including furniture and equipment, telephones, computers, security and finishes.

Contract Document Phase

The Consultants will prepare a set of Specifications & Drawings integrating all the technical, mechanical and electrical requirements ready for Public Tender, followed by Contract Award & Construction of the Interior Tenant improvement package.

Occupancy is tentatively scheduled for Fall of 2012 or early 2013.



Who Can I Contact for More Information?

A Site Management Team has been assembled to plan for the re-location to the new site and will be responsible for relaying information to and from the co-locating programs. General updates will also be maintained on the **SSCY website at <http://www.sscy.ca>**

For **general information** about SSCY, please contact **Jeanette Edwards** at JEwards@wrha.mb.ca, telephone 204-926-8021 or **Collette Wilson**, SSCY Family Centre Coordinator at collettew@rccinc.ca, telephone (204) 453-9820.

SSCY Site Management Team

Child Development Clinic	Sue Morison	Supervisor
Children's Rehabilitation Foundation	Chris Schollenberg	Executive Director
Children's Home Care	Maria Steeds	Team Manager
Children's Hospital (PT, OT, SLP)	Kristal Laminman	Director of OT, HSc
Children's Special Services	Irma Nadeau	Program Manager
Community Respite Service	Michelle Hammond	Executive Director
Manitoba FASD Centre	Mary Cox-Millar	Manager
Rehabilitation Centre for Children	Cheryl Susinski	Executive Director
Rehabilitation Centre for Children	Donna Vielhaber	Clinic Manager
Rehab Centre for Children	Doug Paulsen	Director of Rehab Engineering
Rehab Centre for Children	Kizzy Phillips	Executive Assistant
Rehab Centre for Children	Marlene Waldron	Director of Rehabilitation Therapy
Rehab Centre for Children	Silvia Hidara	Director of Finance/Support Serv.
SSCY Central Intake	Marianne Klassen	SSCY Central Intake
SSCY Family Resource Centre	Collette Wilson	Director
Society of Manitobans with Disabilities	John Griffin	Manager of Outreach Therapy
Society of Manitobans with Disabilities	Patti McIntyre	Director of SMD Services
WRHA (Child Health)	Cheryl Susinski	Director of Community Services
WRHA	Janet Clark	Regional Director of SLP/Audiology

SSCY's Intersectoral Working Group

The Intersectoral Working Group (IWG) is composed of representatives from SSCY agencies and is responsible for implementing the SSCY workplan. Progress reports are made to the IWG at monthly meetings and approval is gained from the IWG on key decisions. Participant representatives communicate with their departments and agencies to inform them of SSCY decisions. SSCY participants maintain final approval authority for all strategic and policy decision.

Jeanette Edwards, Chair	WRHA
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Janet Clark	Winnipeg Regional Health Authority (WRHA)
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