

Outpatient Seating Clinic

The Outpatient Seating Clinic provides seating services to individuals 18 years of age and older, who live in the community.

The Outpatient Seating Clinic provides a full consultative service. Links are made with community allied health professionals, client caregivers and the vendor of the client's choice to determine the most ideal seating and mobility prescription.

The Outpatient Seating Clinic team includes...

- an Occupational Therapist who is an authorizer with the Assistive Devices Program (ADP) of the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care
- an Occupational Therapy/Physiotherapy Assistant (OTA/PTA)

A valid Ontario Health Card is required to access services through the Outpatient Seating Clinic. The individual must be able to attend appointments at Bridgepoint Hospital.

For more information, contact the Outpatient Seating Clinic Coordinator at 416-461-8251 extension 2012.

Referrals are welcome from clients, allied health professionals, health care agencies and hospitals. The standard Day Treatment Program referral form must be completed with the Seating Clinic option selected. Referral forms are made available by contacting the OTA/PTA, at 416-461-8251 extension 2381.

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Referral forms for Outpatient Seating
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Seating Clinic

BRIDGEPOINT HEALTH is a publicly-funded, integrated health services organization focused on providing a continuum of care for patients in the Greater Toronto Area who require specialized care including: complex rehabilitation, complex continuing care, and long-term care. The Bridgepoint Health network comprises Bridgepoint Hospital (formerly The Riverdale Hospital); Bridgepoint Centre for Living a soon-to-be constructed state-of-the-art complex continuing care and long-term care facility; Bridgepoint Community Rehab (formerly The Rehab Choice) a community-based rehabilitation service; Bridgepoint Health Research Institute, which conducts applied research in complex continuing care, rehabilitation, and long-term care; and Bridgepoint Health Foundation, which supports the programming and development goals of Bridgepoint Health.



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Bridgepoint Health offers specialized seating services through the Inpatient and Outpatient Seating Clinics. These services are housed and coordinated through Bridgepoint Hospital.

Services Offered



Comprehensive seating assessments including mat assessments and pressure mapping



Prescribed seating systems and mobility devices



Indoor and outdoor wheelchair driver training



Assisting clients in accessing funding for seating and mobility equipment needs



Equipment care and use follow-up sessions



Comprehensive service through links with the Augmentative Communication & Writing Clinic (ACWC)



Available as a resource for other allied health professionals and client caregivers



Inpatient Seating Clinic

The Inpatient Seating Clinic provides seating services to patients admitted to Bridgepoint Hospital.

Patients can benefit from a variety of wheelchairs and seating systems owned and maintained by the Bridgepoint Inpatient Seating Clinic. Both are available on a short term loan or equipment trial basis.

The Inpatient Seating Clinic team includes

- an Occupational Therapist who is an authorizer with the Ministry of Health and Long Term Care's Assistive Devices Program (ADP)
- a Seating Specialist (OTA/PTA)
- a Wheelchair Mechanic
- a Logistics Service Technician

The Inpatient Seating Clinic also offers a wheelchair cleaning and preventative maintenance program for all manual wheelchairs.

Clinic staff are ready to assist patients in accessing repair services for privately owned equipment.

For more information, contact your unit's Occupational Therapist, or the Inpatient Seating Clinic Coordinator at 416-461-8251 extension 2230.

Referrals can be made through your unit's Occupational Therapists.

