



# Referral tip sheet

## Outpatient Behavioral Health Services



### Autism Center

504.896.7272

#### Psychologists

Koren Boggs, PhD, Corinn Johnson, PhD,  
Jodi Kamps, PhD, and Sarah Rayburn, PhD

#### Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrician

Susan Fielkow, MD, FAAP

The Autism Center at Children's Hospital New Orleans provides comprehensive, diagnostic evaluations and behavioral family consultation for children ages 18 months to 21 years with the diagnosis of Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD).

Dr. Fielkow provides evaluation, treatment, and medication management as indicated for children and adolescents with a wide range of neurodevelopmental and behavioral concerns such as attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD), learning disorders, mild intellectual disabilities, and developmental concerns accompanying some genetic conditions. She also provides Autism evaluations specifically for children ages 3 and under.

#### Referral process:

Referrals can be submitted via EPIC by selecting **LCMC Ambulatory Referral to Pediatric Behavioral Health/Psychiatry/Psychology** and selecting department **"CHNO ST Autism"** or via fax to **504.896.7273**. Please include reason for referral and provisional diagnosis.



### Medical Psychology Clinic (formerly Rapid Treatment Program)

504.896.7272

#### Psychologists

Michelle Niemeier, PhD, MP and  
Mayling Walker, PhD, MP

The Medical Psychology Clinic (MPC) offers a short-term assessment and treatment model for medication management of attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) and new onset depression and/or anxiety. The MPC provides assessment and treatment for children and adolescents ages 5 through 17. The goal of the MPC includes efficient stabilization of symptoms with eventual release to the pediatrician or, in some instances, a psychiatrist for longer-term medication management.

#### Referral process:

Medical psychologists accept referrals specifically from a patient's **pediatrician or primary care physician**. These referring physicians will assume ongoing medication management responsibility for the psychiatric condition after the youth is assessed and stabilized in the Medical Psychology Clinic.

Referrals can be submitted via EPIC by selecting **LCMC Health Ambulatory Referral to Pediatric Behavioral Health/Psychiatry/Psychology** and selecting department **"CHNO ST Rapid"** or via fax to **504.896.7273**. Referrals must include the provisional diagnosis and specifically request "Evaluation/Treatment with Medication Management."

Any new referrals for medication management of ADHD should be directed to our Medical Psychology Clinic.



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## Psychology 504.896.9484

### Psychologists

Diane Franz, PhD, Amy Henke, PsyD,  
Rebecca Wallace, PsyD, and Hillary Becker, PhD

The Psychology Department at Children's Hospital provides evidence-based comprehensive evaluation and treatment of cognitive, emotional, and behavioral problems of childhood and adolescence.

### Referral process:

Referrals can be submitted via EPIC by selecting **LCMC Health Ambulatory Referral to Pediatric Behavioral Health/Psychiatry/Psychology** and selecting department **"CHNO Psychology"** or via fax to **504.894.5115**. Please include reason for referral and provisional diagnosis.



## Psychology - Baton Rouge 504.896.9484 (new patients) 225.216.3047 (established patients)

### Psychologist

Jessica Hoffmann Picone, PhD

The Baton Rouge location of the Psychology Department at Children's Hospital provides evidence-based comprehensive treatment of cognitive, emotional, and behavioral problems of childhood and adolescence. This location also offers a virtual Parent-Child Interaction Therapy clinic for toddlers and preschoolers with challenging behaviors such as noncompliance, defiance, aggression, inattention, hyperactivity, and anxiety.

The Baton Rouge location does not currently offer psychological assessments.

### Referral process:

Referrals can be submitted via EPIC by selecting **LCMC Health Ambulatory Referral to Pediatric Behavioral Health/Psychiatry/Psychology** and selecting department **"CHNO BRG Psychology"** or via fax to **504.894.5115**. Please include reason for referral and provisional diagnosis.



## Neuropsychology 504.896.9484

### Neuropsychologists

Catherine Kiracofe, PsyD, and  
Rebecca Rothbaum, PsyD

Pediatric Neuropsychology at Children's Hospital provides comprehensive, evidenced-based assessments and treatment for children and adolescents with a range of medical and neurological disorders that affect cognition and behavior.

Conditions treated include: Brain Injury, Spina Bifida, Epilepsy, Genetic Conditions, Concussions, Brain Traumas, Premature Birth, Tourette's Syndrome, Brain Infections (e.g. encephalitis), Fetal Alcohol Syndrome, Cerebral Palsy, and Stroke.

### Referral process:

Referrals can be submitted via EPIC by selecting **LCMC Ambulatory Referral to Pediatric Behavioral Health/Psychiatry/Psychology** and selecting department **"CHNO Psychology"** or via fax to **504.894.5115**. Please include reason for referral and provisional diagnosis.



## Psychiatry 504.896.7790

### Psychiatrists

Charles Coleman, MD, Jennifer Creedon, MD,  
and Hannah Scott, MD

### Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner Louisiana State University and Tulane University Fellows

The Psychiatry Department at Children's Hospital evaluates, diagnoses, and treats mental disorders such as ADHD, anxiety, depression, mood disorders, eating disorders, substance abuse, psychosis, post-traumatic stress disorder, and others.

### Referral process:

Referrals can be submitted via EPIC by selecting **LCMC Health Ambulatory Referral to Pediatric Psychiatry** and selecting department **"CHNO ST Psychiatry"** or via fax to **504.896.7731**. Please include reason for referral and provisional diagnosis.

Any new referrals for medication management of ADHD should be directed to our Medical Psychology Clinic.