

# Liver Transplant Evaluation Checklist

Here is a checklist of things that we need to do together before your child can be added to the waiting list for liver transplant. Once these steps are finished, your child's healthcare team will have a selection meeting to decide if your child needs to be on the waiting list for transplant. They might also decide that your child needs more tests or appointments before being put on the list. The selection meeting will not happen until all of these steps are finished.

Please contact the transplant specialist to schedule the transplant evaluation by calling 206-987-1800.

If you need to change any appointments, call the transplant specialist ahead of time. Bring any questions you have to your child's appointment or call the transplant specialist.

## Patient and family responsibilities

- Call the transplant specialist with any insurance or financial changes.
- If your child was seen somewhere other than Seattle Children's Hospital, please contact them and sign the release of information form so we can access your child's records.

## Items to bring with you to your first appointment or fax to the transplant office at 206-729-3068:

- Your child's **current immunization records**. You may need to contact your primary care provider to get these.
- Your child's social security number
- A **current record of your child's dental care** (within the last 6 months). Your child's dentist can fax these. If your child has not seen the dentist in the last 6 months, please call them to make an appointment.

## Tests and appointments

- Blood tests
- CT scan and/or ultrasound
- X-rays
- Echocardiogram and EKG

### Meet with a:

- Transplant liver doctor
- Transplant surgeon
- Transplant nurse coordinator
- Transplant dietitian
- Transplant social worker
- Anesthesiologist
- Transplant pharmacist

### Your child might need these other tests or appointments:

- Cardiology
- Nephrology
- Adolescent Medicine
- Neurodevelopmental
- Infectious Disease

### Transplant Specialists

- Cindy  
206-987-6613  
(if your last name starts with A-L)
- Michelle  
206-987-2478  
(if your last name starts with M-Z)

### Free Interpreter Services

- In the hospital, ask your child's nurse.
- From outside the hospital, call the toll-free Family Interpreting Line 1-866-583-1527. Tell the interpreter the name or extension you need.

Seattle Children's offers interpreter services for Deaf, hard of hearing or non-English speaking patients, family members and legal representatives free of charge. Seattle Children's will make this information available in alternate formats upon request. Call the Family Resource Center at 206-987-2201.

This handout has been reviewed by clinical staff at Seattle Children's. However, your child's needs are unique. Before you act or rely upon this information, please talk with your child's healthcare provider.

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