

## EMERGENCY CARE

If your child requires urgent care outside of clinic hours (noted below) please call our Inpatient Unit A6. The phone number is **705-876-5059**.

Please ask to speak to the charge nurse. The charge nurse will gather a brief history of your child and will then provide you with instructions and directions to bring your child directly to A6 for assessment. You will not need to go to the Emergency Department.

## CLINIC HOURS

The POGO Satellite Clinic at Peterborough Regional Health Centre is open:

**Monday to Friday**  
**8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.**

## PHONE NUMBERS

The POGO and POP Clinics at PRHC have clerical support:

**Monday to Friday**  
**8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.**

If your child needs to come to the clinic for an assessment, please call **705-743-2121 x. 3038**.

## LOCATION, DIRECTIONS & PARKING

Peterborough Regional Health Centre  
1 Hospital Drive, Peterborough ON, K9J 7C6

The POGO Clinic is located on Level 6, in the A6 Wing.

Parking is available in front of the Main Entrance.

- ★ MAIN ENTRANCE
- VISITOR PARKING
- PAY & DISPLAY PARKING



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POGO PEDIATRIC  
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**Peterborough Regional  
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## WHAT IS A POGO SATELLITE CLINIC?

The Pediatric Oncology Group of Ontario (POGO) Satellite Program is a networked, shared-care system based on a partnership between Ontario's five tertiary hospitals and eight POGO Satellite Clinics. POGO Satellite Clinics are located in community hospitals and allow families to receive care closer to home.

POGO and The Hospital for Sick Children (SickKids) collaborated to create the POGO Pediatric Oncology Satellite Clinic at Peterborough Regional Health Centre (PRHC). This POGO Satellite Clinic helps families by reducing travel time, loss of income and separation from your home and community, while maintaining confidence that your child is receiving the best quality care, under the direction of The Hospital for Sick Children.

## ABOUT POGO

POGO champions childhood cancer care by providing programs and services for children with cancer and their families, from diagnosis through treatment and into survivorship.

To find out more about the POGO Provincial Pediatric Oncology Satellite Program, visit: [www.pogo.ca/satelliteprogram](http://www.pogo.ca/satelliteprogram)

Or contact the POGO office:  
480 University Avenue, Suite 1014  
Toronto, ON M5G 1V2  
416-592-1232 or toll free 1-855-367-7646  
[www.pogo.ca](http://www.pogo.ca)

## SATELLITE SERVICES

### AT PETERBOROUGH REGIONAL HEALTH CENTRE

We provide a wide range of services, including:

- Chemotherapy
- Blood/blood product transfusions
- Follow-up care
- Consultations
- Education
- Central line care
- Blood specimen collection
- X-ray, ultrasound tests and CT scans
- Medication administration
- Insuflox care
- Supportive care (e.g., management of fever/neutropenia and dehydration)

## ADDITIONAL SERVICES

### CARING FOR THE WHOLE CHILD ❤️

In addition to pediatricians, nurse practitioners and nurses, our satellite team includes the services of a social worker, psychology associate, registered dietitians and a child life specialist.

Child life specialists are certified professionals who aim to reduce stress and anxiety associated with hospital visits. Referrals to other health care specialists are available for patients who live in the Peterborough catchment area.



## YOUR CHILD'S FIRST SATELLITE VISIT

The Hospital for Sick Children will coordinate a meeting with the Outreach Program Coordinator prior to your child's discharge. The Outreach Program Coordinator will arrange for the sharing of your child's health information with the POGO Satellite Clinic. You will be contacted by the POGO Satellite Clinic to receive further information and schedule your first appointment. Please bring your child's health card and a list of all medications and doses.

It is a good idea to bring any special objects to comfort your child and help with any wait times. This will help make your child's visit as comfortable as possible.

## IF YOUR CHILD HAS A FEVER...

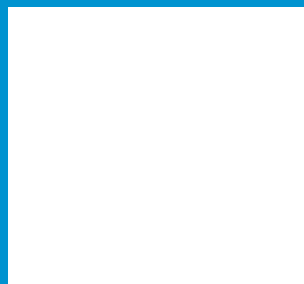
Fevers in children being treated for cancer need prompt assessment. Call the POGO Satellite Clinic immediately if:

- Your child has a single temperature of 38.3 degrees Celsius or higher (taken by mouth) or a temperature of 38 degrees Celsius or higher (taken by mouth) for 1 hour or more.
- Your child has a single temperature of 37.8 degrees Celsius or higher (under the arm) or a temperature of 37.5 degrees Celsius or higher (under the arm) for 1 hour or more.
- You are not sure what to do.
- You have questions.

During your initial meeting you will have an opportunity to meet with your POGO team as well as members from the Pediatric Outpatient (POP) Clinic and tour the inpatient unit.

If you have any questions or concerns prior to your initial appointment, please call the POGO Satellite Clinic at **705-743-2121 x. 3038**

### YOUR POGO SATELLITE CLINIC NURSE IS:



**PLEASE NOTE:**  
Temperatures taken by mouth are more reliable and the preferred practice.