



Pediatric Spinal Cord Injuries

Websites

http://carecure.org/index.php?page=viewarticle&afile=8_May_2003@PediatricSCI.htm

CareCure's article on Pediatric Spinal Cord Injury by Wise Young

This May 2003 article reviews the literature review on emergency care, acute complications, chronic complications, and functional recovery in children with spinal cord injury.

<http://www.gillettechildrens.org/default.cfm?PID=1.17.1.6.3>

Gillette Children's Specialty Healthcare: Spinal Cord Injury Program

Information on spinal cord injuries from Gillette Children's, a hospital located in Minnesota. The page includes an interactive map of the spinal cord.

<http://www.spinalcord.uab.edu/show.asp?durki=21608>

Spinal Cord Injury Information Network: Pediatric SCI

The Spinal Cord Injury Information Network provides links to pediatric SCI resources.

<http://www.shrinershospitalsforchildren.org/CareAndTreatment/SpinalCord.aspx>

Shriners Hospitals for Children: Spinal Cord Injury

Information on rehabilitation for spinal cord injuries from Shriners Hospitals.

www.ChristopherReeve.org/adcard

Christopher & Dana Reeve Foundation: Autonomic Dysreflexia wallet cards for children

Please see our free AD wallet cards for adults and children. The children's version has a light blue cover and has different medication levels than the adult edition. You may download a copy or order a laminated version from the Reeve Foundation. The order form is online at the above link or you may call us at 1-800-539-7309 x7224. Feel free to share the info on the card with your medical team as it was developed with the help of physicians at the Kennedy Krieger Institute.

Journals

- *Journal of Spinal Cord Medicine*. Vol. 27 Fall 2004 Supplement 1.

The whole issue is devoted to pediatric SCI. Note that the reading level is for the healthcare professional.

The following books are available for free loan from the PRC library. For more information, please see www.paralysis.org and click the Lending Library tab. **Books**

- **Kids on Wheels: A Guide to Wheelchair Lifestyle for Parents, Teachers and Professionals (Adult Volume).** Horsham, PA: No Limits Communications, 2004. Vol. 1 is written for children. Vol. 2 is written for parents of children who are wheelchair users.
- Betz, Randall R. and Mulcahey, M.J. **The Child with Spinal Cord Injury.** Chicago, IL: American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons, 1996.

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