

Hemiplegia

Hemiplegia is the inability to move one's limbs on one side of the body and may be the result of stroke or cerebral palsy among other conditions.

Websites

Alternating Hemiplegia of Childhood Foundation

http://www.ahckids.org/ 2000 Town Center Suite 1900 Southfield, MI 48075

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AHCF's mission is to find the cause(s) of AHC, develop effective treatments and ultimately find a cure, while providing support to the families and children with AHC by funding research to accomplish these goals. Secondarily, they strive to promote proper diagnosis, educate health care professionals, the public and related organizations, encourage the worldwide exchange of information and advance the development of an international database of all AHC patients.

Children's Hemiplegia and Stroke Association

http://www.chasa.org/

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The Children's Hemiplegia and Stroke Association, CHASA, is the first organization in the United States dedicated to improving the lives of children and families affected by pediatric stroke and other causes of hemiplegia, hemiparesis, or hemiplegic cerebral palsy. CHASA is a non-profit organization and serves families around the world with information, support, and advocacy.

Cleveland Clinic: Hemiplegia

https://my.clevelandclinic.org/health/symptoms/23542-hemiplegia

Contact: HemiHelp: For Children and Young People with Hemiplegia (UK)

https://contact.org.uk/hemihelp

National Organization for Rare Disorders: Alternating Hemiplegia of Childhood https://rarediseases.org/rare-diseases/alternating-hemiplegia-of-childhood/

National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke: Alternating Hemiplegia https://www.ninds.nih.gov/Disorders/All-Disorders/All-Disorders/Alternating-Hemiplegia-Information-Page

Pediatric Stroke Network: Children's Hemiplegia

http://www.pediatricstrokenetwork.com/hemi.html

PSN is an online support group dedicated to helping parents and families cope and move forward in their lives. PSN is also the first support group for infant, pediatric and childhood stroke registered with the American Heart Association. To join PSN, email emilieh@pediatricstrokenetwork.com and JOIN in subject line.

SpinalCord.com: What Is the Difference Between Hemiplegia and Hemiparesis? https://www.spinalcord.com/blog/what-is-the-difference-between-hemiplegia-and-hemiparesis

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