

# **Management of Chronic Non Cancer Pain**

# Resources\* for Chronic Non Cancer Pain LHIN 8 - Central

# Chronic pain management clinic

## 1. Allevio Pain Management

Location(s)

This evidence-based multidisciplinary pain management clinic provides interventions (e.g., nerve blocks, epidurals), pharmacotherapy, psychological therapies (e.g., CBT, mindfulness, psychotherapy), naturopathic services, osteopathic services, chiropractic services, acupuncture, massage therapy, nutritional counseling, and occupational health assessments.

North York

Website: http://allevioclinic.com

#### 2. Canadian Centre for Integrative Medicine

Location(s)

This multidisciplinary centre integrates conventional medicine (medications and interventions) with complementary medicine (acupuncture, physiotherapy, chiropractic, osteopathy, naturopathy, and Traditional Chinese Medicine) to move patients from chronic pain and suffering to enhanced function and quality of life.

Markham

Website: http://www.drkoprp.com/

# 3. Headache and Pain Relief Centre

Location(s)

This interdisciplinary pain clinic offers headache and chronic pain management and education. The team includes physicians, physiotherapists, massage therapists, a nutritionist, a psychologist, and an osteopathic therapist. It also provides a 3-step "lifetime pain relief program" that lasts 4-6 weeks.

Toronto

Website: http://www.headachepainreliefcentre.ca/

#### 4. Health Recovery Group

Location(s)

This multidisciplinary clinic, founded in 1980, was Ontario's first multidisciplinary pain clinic. It provides assessment and treatment.

Vaughan

Website: http://www.healthrecoverygroup.com

#### 5. Humber Valley Medical Centre

Location(s)

This family physician's office provides a referral-based pain management service.

Toronto

Website: http://www.manta.com/ic/mtqg2lr/ca/humber-valley-medical-centre/

# 6. Physiomobility - Don Mills

Location(s)

This multidisciplinary clinic has a team of medical doctors, pain management specialists, physiotherapists, psychotherapists, and other healthcare professionals. They provide medication, nerve blocks, physiotherapy, massage therapy, chiropractic, acupuncture, exercise therapy, meditation, and CBT.

Toronto

Website: http://www.physiomobility.com/pain-management.html

# 7. Physiomobility - Thornhill

Location(s)

This multidisciplinary clinic has a team of medical doctors, pain management specialists, physiotherapists, psychotherapists, and other healthcare professionals. They provide medication, nerve blocks, physiotherapy, massage therapy, chiropractic, acupuncture, exercise therapy, meditation, and CBT.

Toronto

Website: http://www.physiomobility.com/pain-management.html

# 8. Rothbart Centre for Pain Care Ltd.

Location(s)

This multidisciplinary clinic offers interventions (e.g., nerve blocks, epidural steroid injections) and medications.

Toronto

Website: http://www.rothbart.com/

9. Jacobs Pain Centre Location(s) This pain clinic provides interventions (Botox, interventional nerve blocks), medication, and mindfulness training to Markham manage chronic pain. Website: http://www.jacobspaincentre.ca/ 10. Toronto Poly Clinic-Thornhill Location(s) This multidisciplinary pain clinic offers interventions, medications, physical therapy, psychological therapy, and Toronto education on coping skills. Also provides medical marijuana therapy for medically legitimate indications. Website: http://www.tpclinic.com 11. Toronto Poly Clinic-North York Location(s) This multidisciplinary pain clinic offers interventions, medications, physical therapy, psychological therapy, and Toronto education on coping skills. Also provides medical marijuana therapy for medically legitimate indications. Website: http://www.tpclinic.com 12. Universal Health and Rehabilitation Location(s) This pain clinic, staffed by chiropractors, provides physiotherapy, orthopaedic devices (e.g., orthotics, cervical Toronto traction), and manual physical medicine (e.g., chiropractic, acupuncture, exercise) to help manage chronic pain. Website: http://www.pain-drs.com/pain-management 13. Vaughan Pain Clinic Location(s) This clinic works with family physicians to provide comprehensive pain management. When appropriate and Vaughan coordinated with the family physician, it provides medication including narcotics. It also provides nerve blocks, trigger point injections, joint injections and botox injections for patients. The clinic has a working relationship with physiotherapists, acupuncturists, chiropractors, massage therapists and nutritionists. It works with these professionals to provide a whole body approach to pain management. Website: http://www.vaughanpainclinic.ca/ 14. Wilderman Medical Clinic Location(s) This multidisciplinary clinic offers chiropractic, naturopathy, auriculotherapy, acupuncture, ultrasound-guided Thornhill injections, physiotherapy, orthotics/podiatry services, massage therapy and psychotherapy. Website: http://drwilderman.com/ 15. Karmy Chronic Pain Medical Clinic Location(s) This chronic pain clinic provides interventional management, independent pain assessments, and medico-legal Toronto assessments. Website: https://ca.linkedin.com/in/karmy 16. Phoenix Rising Pain Clinic Location(s) This clinic provides interventional pain management for back, neck, and leg pain, as well as for migraine headaches. It Richmond Hill also provides addiction counseling for prescription opioids in the context of chronic pain. Website: http://phoenixrisinghealthcare.com/ 17. Richmond Hill Headache and Neck Pain Clinic Location(s) This pain clinic specializes in headache and neck pain. Richmond Hill Phone: (905) 737-7699 18. The Pain Clinic Location(s) This pain clinic provides chronic pain consults and treatment, including interventional pain management. It specializes Toronto in low back pain, neck pain, headache and radiculopathy.

Phone: (416) 699-8843

19. Toronto Headache & Pain Clinic Location(s)

This pain and headache clinic is located in North York, Ontario. North York

Website: https://www.yelp.ca/biz/toronto-headache-and-pain-clinic-north-york

## 20. Toronto Interventional Pain Specialists

Location(s)

This pain clinic provides interventional pain management (e.g., epidural steroid injections, joint injections, nerve blocks, radiofrequency ablations, Botox, and viscosupplementation).t

Richmond Hill

Website: http://www.torontointerventionalpainspecialists.com/

#### 21. York Medical Chronic Pain Clinic

Location(s)

This chronic pain clinic is located in Newmarket, Ontario.

Newmarket

Website: http://yorkmed.net/

## 22. Altum Health Interdisciplinary Pain Program

Location(s)

Altum Health's CARF (Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities) accredited Interdisciplinary Pain Program provides an interdisciplinary approach to chronic pain management for those that have not returned to work within usual course of recovery (3-4 months from time of injury or accident) or those struggling while at work. The program is time limited and goal directed, with a cognitive behavioural and functional restoration focus.

Vaughan

Website: http://www.altumhealth.com/interdisciplinary-pain

# **Drug addiction clinics**

#### 23. Ontario Addiction Treatment Centres (OATC)

Location(s)

This multidisciplinary clinic offers a voluntary outpatient drug addiction treatment program using methadone or Suboxone.

Alliston

Website: http://www.oatc.ca/clinic-locations/alliston-clinic/

## 24. Ontario Addiction Treatment Centres (OATC)

Location(s)

This multidisciplinary clinic offers a voluntary outpatient drug addiction treatment program using methadone or Suboxone.

Keswick

Website: http://www.oatc.ca/clinic-locations/keswick-clinic/

## 25. Ontario Addiction Treatment Centres (OATC)

Location(s)

This multidisciplinary clinic offers a voluntary outpatient drug addiction treatment program using methadone or Suboxone.

Newmarket

Website: http://www.oatc.ca/clinic-locations/newmarket-clinic/

#### 26. Ontario Addiction Treatment Centres (OATC)

Location(s)

This multidisciplinary clinic offers a voluntary outpatient drug addiction treatment program using methadone or Suboxone.

North York

Website: http://www.oatc.ca/clinic-locations/north-york-clinic/

# 27. Ontario Addiction Treatment Centres (OATC)

Location(s)

This multidisciplinary clinic offers a voluntary outpatient drug addiction treatment program using methadone or Suboxone.

Willowdale

Website: http://www.oatc.ca/clinic-locations/willowdale-clinic/

# 28. trueNorth Medical Centre

Location(s)

trueNorth Medical Centre is a methodone/suboxone program that is focused on the treatment of opioid dependence and chronic pain.

North York

Website: http://www.truenorthmedical.com/opioid-find-us-s16381

# Self-management workshops

29. Healthy Living Now Location(s)

Stanford-model peer-led 6-week workshop on managing chronic pain for patients. Healthcare professional resources such as Brief Action Planning training and "choices and changes" training (supporting patients who are engaged in self-management programs. Has "recommended reading" list for health professionals and 1-page handout for referring patients to the program.

Alliston

Website: http://www.healthy-living-now.ca/

#### 30. Yee Hong Centre for Geriatric Care - Chronic Disease Self-Management Program: Living Well with Chronic Pain

Location(s)

Stanford-model peer-led 6-week workshop on managing chronic disease for patients.

Markham

Website: http://www.yeehong.com/centre/chronic\_disease\_self-management.php

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#### 31. Online Chronic Disease Self-Management Program of Ontario

Location(s)

This online program is based on the live Stanford model of chronic disease management, but provides the program completely online.

Online-ON Wide

Website: http://www.ontarioselfmanagement.ca/10/About\_the\_Workshop/

# Pain management program

#### 32. Nymark Medical Centre

Location(s)

The physician at this walk-in clinic provides pain management services.

Toronto

Website: http://www.dr.alloo.ca/index.html

# **Provider education program**

## 33. Project ECHO Ontario Chronic Pain and Opioids

This physician network provides primary care providers in Ontario with the knowledge and support to manage chronic pain safely and effectively. It uses Telehealth technology to offer weekly 2-hour videoconferences where local practice leaders ("spokes") present a brief didactic session followed by 2 or 3 de-identified case presentations, plus a yearly "Chronic Pain Basics Boot Camp". It also provides continuing education credits and fast-track specialist referrals for complex cases.

Website: https://www.echoontario.ca/Echo-Clinic/Chronic-Pain/Overview.aspx

# 34. Medical Mentoring for Addictions and Pain (MMAP)

The MMAP is a network that connects family physician mentees to psychiatrist and family physicians with a focused practice in pain and addictions mentors through telephone, email and fax. Mentees may contact their mentors on an informal basis for guidance and support. Formal continuing professional development (CPD) workshops, small group teleconferences and sessions take place regularly in order to foster group cohesion. These tools help to support and augment the case by case mentoring program. Advice in the areas of diagnosis, psychotherapy and pharmacology is provided to mentees. Mentees are matched with mentors based on clinical interests and/or geographic location. Please note this is not a referral service.

Website: http://ocfp.on.ca/cpd/collaborative-networks/mmap

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