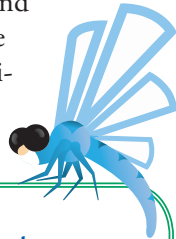


Individual Care, Designed for Kids

Children are not just little adults. They have unique differences that require specialized training. It is essential to have a team with extensive pediatric experience, that understands normal development, and that specializes in pediatric diseases and disorders.

WHY CHOOSE US?

- We provide care for the most medically and surgically complex conditions related to children's bowel function.
- Our multidisciplinary team approach lets you meet with all the necessary specialists in one appointment.
- Our Bowel Management program has some of the best results in helping children achieve bowel control.
- Our child-friendly environment and commitment to treating the entire family improves the patient experience.



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Primary Children's Hospital ranks among the best children's hospitals in the United States. Located in scenic Utah, our 289-bed hospital is focused on providing the best care to more than 1 million children living in a 400,000 square-mile service area.

Our simple philosophy of *The Child First and Always*® informs every decision we make, and how we care for patients and their families.



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The Colorectal Center at Primary Children's Hospital is the leading program in the western United States providing care specifically to children and adolescents with anorectal malformations, Hirschsprung's disease, severe constipation, fecal incontinence, and other issues related to bowel function.

CONDITIONS WE TREAT

Anorectal Malformations (Imperforate Anus) are defects in which the anus and rectum do not form properly during fetal development. These include a wide spectrum of defects as well as anomalies associated with other organ systems.

Hirschsprung's Disease is a congenital condition where some of the nerve cells that are normally present in the wall of the intestine do not form properly, causing abnormal peristalsis of the bowel and a functional obstruction. This most commonly involves the rectum and sigmoid, but may also affect the proximal colon.

Fecal Incontinence or soiling, is defined as "the incapacity to voluntarily hold stool." Fecal incontinence can be divided into two categories

- **True fecal incontinence:** The normal mechanisms of bowel control are damaged.
- **Pseudo-incontinence:** Patients have the potential for bowel control, but constipation leads to overflow and soiling.

Bowel Management is for children who



are unable to anticipate or control their bowel activity or who suffer from severe constipation. This is an artificial way to clean the colon at regular intervals and prevent accidents between treatments.

OUR TEAM

The Colorectal Center coordinates patient care with a comprehensive, multidisciplinary medical and surgical team to improve the quality of life for patients and their families. Our team includes pediatric specialists in:

- Surgery
- Urology
- Gastroenterology
- Gynecology
- Neurosurgery
- Wound/Ostomy
- Child life
- Social work

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