

Camp DMC



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About Miami Children's Hospital Dan Marino Outpatient Center

Miami Children's Hospital Dan Marino Outpatient Center in Weston is a center for comprehensive, state-of-the-art neurodiagnostic testing, evaluation and treatment of children with special needs. The center, developed as a partnership between the Dan Marino Foundation and Miami Children's Hospital, is a not-for-profit entity fully owned by Miami Children's Hospital. Since this center's inception in 1998, it has grown rapidly and is now providing neurological and developmental services to children throughout South Florida as well as South America and Europe. The center also coordinates community outreach projects that include the services of specialized medical and allied healthcare professionals, educational organizations, volunteer programs, parent support organizations. Onsite swimming instruction and water safety programs are also available for children 6 months to 21 years old.

Pediatric services, available during standard medical office hours, include physical, occupational, aquatic and speech-language therapies, applied behavior analysis (ABA), orthopaedics/sports medicine program, neurology, clinical genetics, cardiology, ENT, psychology, dermatology and neurology. Diagnostic services provided include electroencephalogram (EEG/video EEG), magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) and digital X-ray.

On weekends, the Urgent Care Center offers walk-in service on Saturdays and Sundays from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. providing personalized and prompt care by board-certified pediatric physicians for minor injuries and illnesses for children up to 21 years of age.

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Founded in 1998, the Miami Children's Hospital Dan Marino Center is an integrated neurodevelopmental center specializing in the evaluation and treatment of children with neurological disabilities. The Dan Marino Center provides an array of pediatric out-patient services with access to top pediatric specialists from Miami Children's Hospital, the only licensed specialty hospital exclusively for children in South Florida.





Camp DMC is a summer MOST (Maximizing Out of School Time) program run by Miami Children's Hospital and sponsored by the Children's Services Council of Broward County for children with special needs. The objective of Camp DMC is to provide a fun-filled, educational and therapeutic curriculum while enhancing each child's academic skills, functional communication, fine and gross motor skills and social interactions.

The program is conducted by trained professionals, including certified teachers, behavior specialists, and education aides. Certified Behavior Analysts are on-site at all times. Camp DMC is proud to also host community volunteers and interns participating in the Dan Marino Foundation's Summer STEPS program. The ratio of staff to children ranges from 1:3 to 1:7. The program welcomes children from 5 to 12 years old.*

Children new to the program must participate in a pre-camp screening evaluation. To be considered for participation, all children are required to be fully toilet trained. The program cost ranges up to \$375 per week. Families who qualify for financial assistance may be

eligible to enroll at no cost (proof of income is required). Once accepted, families must commit to their child attending Camp DMC for the duration of the 8-week camp, for a minimum of 6 hours per day. This camp is limited to Broward County residents, and financial assistance is on a sliding fee scale. A non-refundable \$100 deposit per child is required to reserve. Space is limited to 60 children with special needs.

Camp location:
Somerset Academy
20803 Johnson Street
Pembroke Pines, Florida 33029.

Camp Dates: 6/13/11 through 8/5/11
Camp Hours: 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Camp Age: 5 to 12 (up to 14 if appropriate *)
Pre-care: 7:30 a.m. – 9 a.m.
After-care: 3 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.



Key Areas of Focus

- Educational curriculum includes:
Reading, math, science, art, physical education (PE) and social skills training
- Therapeutic services include:
Behavior analysis, speech, occupational and physical therapies
- Service learning project
- Music and movement
- Yoga

Special Events

- Weekly field trips to the pool at MCH Dan Marino Outpatient Center
- End-of-summer field trips (3)
- Visitors from local community programs and organizations.

**Children as old as 14 may qualify to participate based on evaluation.*