



Dear Parent,

Your child has an ear infection and has been referred to Dr. Alejandro Hoberman at the Primary Care Center of Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC. We received a call from your pediatrician's office and are prepared to see you and your child upon your arrival.

Dr. Hoberman or a member of his research team will discuss the ear study with you, answer your questions and examine your child's ears. You will have time to read and discuss a Consent Form.

If you decide to allow your child to participate in the study, Dr. Hoberman will keep your child's doctor informed of his or her progress.

Please follow the attached driving directions to the Oakland Medical Building and park on the right side at the Purple "P" (past Arby's). We will give you a card to pay for parking.

If you need help with directions, call Diana at 412-692-6717 or Dr. Hoberman at 412-999-3277.

When you arrive:

- Enter the side door off the parking lot.
- Go through the second door.
- Turn right.
- Proceed through the third door (you are on the G floor).
- Take the elevator to the first floor.
- Turn right into the registration area.
- Give your child's name to the registration clerk.

We look forward to meeting you and your child.

Sincerely,

Alejandro Hoberman, MD

Diana Kearney, RN

Nader Shaikh, MD

Sonika Bhatnagar, MD

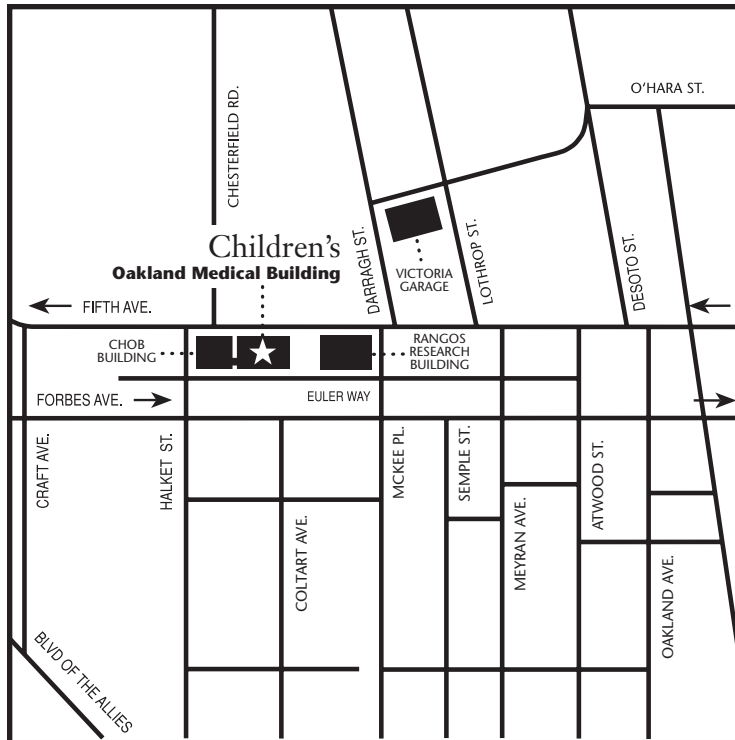
Judy Martin, MD

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Directions to Children's Oakland Medical Building



Children's Oakland Medical Building

3420 Fifth Avenue
Pittsburgh, PA 15213

LOCATION

Children's Oakland Medical Building houses Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC's —

- Division of Adolescent Medicine
- Autism Center
- Child Advocacy Center
- Child Development Unit
- Fragile X Center
- Primary Care Center
- Center for Research on Acquired and Neurological Communication Disorders
- Program for the Study of Neurodevelopment in Rare Disorders

PARKING

There is a parking lot at the rear of Children's Oakland Medical Building on Euler Way and in the Victoria Garage on Darragh Street.

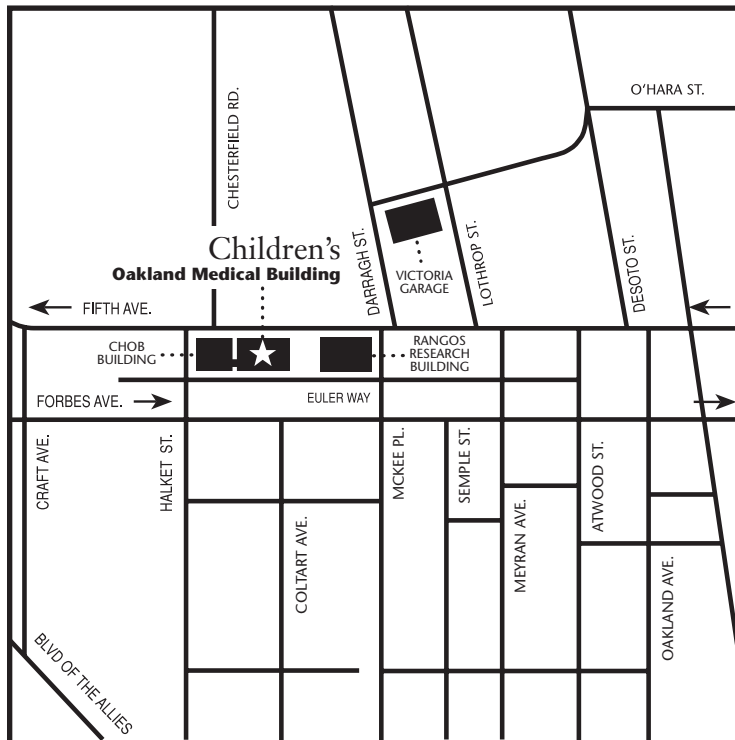
FROM POINTS NORTH

- Take Interstate 79 South to Interstate 279 South, Exit 72, Pittsburgh.
- Follow Interstate 279 South to Interstate 579 South (Veterans Bridge).
- Follow signs to Oakland/Monroeville/Interstate 376.
- As Interstate 376 narrows to two lanes, get into the right lane and take the first exit ramp. This puts you on the Boulevard of the Allies.
- Continue on the Boulevard of the Allies and follow the Forbes Avenue/Oakland sign.
- Continue on Forbes Avenue in the far right lane and turn right onto the Forbes Avenue bridge. At the stop sign, merge into traffic and get over to the far left lane.
- Follow Forbes Avenue to the third traffic light and make a left onto McKee Place.
- Take the first left into the alley called Euler Way.
- Continue along Euler Way for three-fourths of a block to the purple "P" sign (parking) on the right side of the street.

FROM POINTS SOUTH

- Take Interstate 79 North to Exit 59A, Pittsburgh Merge onto I-376 East toward Pittsburgh.
- Follow Interstate 376 through the Fort Pitt Tunnels and stay in right lane across Ft. Pitt Bridge to continue along Parkway East (I-376).
- Take Interstate 376 East and exit at Forbes Avenue/Oakland, Exit 2A.
- Continue on Forbes Avenue and turn left onto McKee Place.
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FROM POINTS EAST

- Take the Pennsylvania Turnpike to Exit 57, Pittsburgh/Monroeville Exit.
- Follow to Interstate 376 West.
- Follow Interstate 376 West to Exit 3B, Oakland/Bates Street.
- Turn slight right off ramp to Bates Street/885 North
- Follow Bates Street two blocks and make a left onto McKee Place.
- Cross over Forbes Avenue at the traffic light.
- Take the first left into the alley called Euler Way.
- Continue along Euler Way for three-fourths of a block to the purple "P" sign (parking) on the right side of the street.

FROM POINTS WEST

- Take the Pennsylvania Turnpike East to the Cranberry Interchange.
- Follow to 79 South.
- Continue on 79 South to Interstate 279 South.
- Follow Interstate 279 South to Downtown Pittsburgh.
- Cross the Fort Duquesne Bridge, which turns into Fort Pitt Boulevard.
- On Fort Pitt Boulevard stay in the far left lane and follow the signs to Monroeville/Interstate 376 (Parkway East).
- Take the Oakland Exit to Forbes Avenue. (Forbes is a one-way street.)
- Continue on Forbes Avenue and turn left onto McKee Place.
- Take the first left into the alley called Euler Way.
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