



Neuromuscular Medicine Clinical Telemedicine Consultations

The following is a listing of clinical conditions appropriate for clinical telehealth neuromuscular medicine consultations. If you would like to refer a patient with a condition which is not listed below, please send your request with that patient's chart notes to the telehealth coordinator for the specialist's consideration.

Clinical Conditions:

Muscular Dystrophies

Duchenne and Becker muscular dystrophy

Myotonic muscular dystrophy

Facioscapulohumeral (FSHD)

Limb Girdle Muscular dystrophy (LGMD)

Various myopathies

Spinal Muscular Atrophy (SMA)

Pediatric and Adult types

Charcot Marie Tooth Disease (CMT)

Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS)

Specific requirements:

All relevant Laboratory Results and may include:

CK

Aldolase

TSH

If available:

Electrodiagnostic study results

Genetic test results

Muscle or Nerve biopsy

Relevant Radiology Studies (scoliosis films)

Appointment Scheduling:

New: 60 minutes

F/U: 30 minutes

Level of Presenter Required:

May include a brief introduction from the Primary Care Provider when appropriate

Video Equipment Required:

Videoconferencing unit

General patient exam camera

The following information must be received prior to scheduling an appointment:

1. Telehealth Referral Request Form
2. Recent H&P and all applicable clinical information from patient's chart
3. After review, we may request additional labs, patient data or a patient history prior to appointment.

The following must be received before the consult begins:

1. Signed NCTP Acknowledgement of Receipt: Notice of Privacy Practices form (new patients only)
2. Documented verbal consent from patient for participation in telehealth consultation.