



**Walter Reed
National Military
Medical Center**

Pediatric Rheumatology Clinic

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Dear Family,

Welcome to Walter Reed National Military Medical Center (WRNMMC). We are looking forward to your extended visit with the Pediatric Rheumatology Clinic.

We are located in the Subspecialty Clinic on the fourth floor of the America Building (Building 19). Parking is available in the America Garage directly across from the America Building.

ON THE DAY OF YOUR CHILD'S APPOINTMENT, PLEASE:

- Have your child wear soft, loose-fitting clothing that will allow the examination of knees, extremities and skin findings.
- Provide a brief history and symptom log in chronological order including:
 - Dates
 - Times
 - Temperatures
 - Photos of swelling or rashes
 - Any other symptoms
- Provide a list of your child's medications, including dosage and frequency.
- Write down any questions or concerns you want to address with the provider. We encourage you to use our [Discussion Guide](#) prior to arrival.

The length of your child's appointment may last a few hours. We encourage you to have snacks available. A vending machine for water and soft drinks is available at the clinic. During your visit, your child may be sent for labs or x-rays, and we will likely meet for daily follow-ups during your stay.

If you do not have military or federal identification upon your arrival, please visit Pass & I.D. (Building 102) located at the North Gate on Rockville Pike to obtain a base access pass. Hours of operation for Pass & I.D. are 0530-1500.

For more information, please go to our "[Planning Your Visit](#)" page.

We look forward to your visit.....safe travels.

Respectfully,
The Pediatric Rheumatology Care Team

