

# Hospital Based Lymphedema Services

## Barrie

<b>Royal Victoria Regional Health Centre</b>	201 Georgian Drive Barrie, L4M 6M2	Rowena Hill, PT/CDT Susan Travanut, OT/CDT	705-728-9090 Ext. 43522
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Assessment and treatment, education, MLD, compression bandaging, exercise, ADP authorizer  
**Referral Base:** Oncology related secondary lymphedema

## Kitchener

<b>Grand River Regional Cancer Centre</b>	835 King Street West Kitchener, N2G 1G3	519-749-4370 Ext.2881	519-749-4382 (f)
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Assessment, ADP authorizer, education, bandaging, MLD. **Referral Base:** LE secondary to cancer only

## London

<b>London Health Science Centre Victoria Hospital</b>	800 Commissioners Rd E London, N6A 5W9	519-685-8117	519-685-8051 (f)
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Assessment, ADP authorizer, compression bandaging, education, pump, refer out for MLD  
**Referral Base:** Primary and secondary LE patients, referred by physician

<b>London Regional Cancer Program</b>	790 Commissioners Rd E London, N6A 4L6	Mandy Thompson, Intake Clerk (New patient referral) 519-685-8664 (f)	Lyn Kligman, Acute Care Nurse Practitioner 519-685-8602
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Weekly clinic every Monday: assessment, education for self management, referral to community resources for garment fitting, physiotherapy, MLD, CCAC for compression bandaging, ADP authorizer, insurance prescriptions **Referral Base:** Secondary LE related to all cancers

<b>St Joseph's Parkwood Hospital Chronic Wound Management Clinic</b>	801 Commissioners Rd E London, N6C 5J1	David Keast, MD FCFP 519-685-4075(fax) 519-685-4292	Anne LeMesurier, RN Ext. 42163 Heidi Smith Ext. 4294
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Assessment, diagnosis, initiation of compression, wound care, referral to CCAC, education, ADP prescriber and authorizer, work with Certified Advanced Fitters in community. **Referral Base:** Intake by physician referral

## North Bay

<b>North Bay Regional Health Centre</b>	50 College Drive North Bay, P1B 5A4	705-474-8600 Brent Johnson PT Ext. 4800 Marnie Szewczyk PT Ext. 4800	Kari Owens OT Ext. 4800 Lorna Lake, PT Ext. 4846
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Physiotherapy assessment, ADP authorizer/fitter, education, pump—refer out MLD and compression bandaging  
**Referral Base:** Primary and secondary LE with referral

## Sudbury

<b>Health Sciences North</b>	41 Ramsey Lake Road Sudbury, P3E 5J1	Physiotherapy	705-522-6237 Ext. 2175
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Assessment, exercise, ADP, education, MLD, pump **Referral Base:** Secondary LE only with referral from health care professional or self referral

## Thunder Bay

<b>Thunder Bay Regional Health Science Centre</b>	980 Oliver Road Thunder Bay, P7B 6V4	Leona DiCasmirro, PT CDT 807-684-6270
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Assessment, education/prevention, treatment (MLD), bandaging, ADP, garment fitting and follow-up education

**Referral Base:** Inpatient and outpatient (designated to cancer patients)

## Toronto

<b>Odette Regional Cancer Centre Sunnybrook Health Sciences Centre</b>	2075 Bayview Avenue Toronto, M4N 3M5	Neda Soltani, RN	Ingrid White, RN 416-480-5000 Ext. 81406
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Assessment, ADP, education, refer out for MLD      **Referral Base:** Secondary LE patients of the Odette Cancer Centre

<b>Princess Margaret Hospital</b>	610 University Avenue Toronto, M5G 2M9	Stephanie Phan, OT Cancer Survivorship Program	Clinical Lead 416-946-4501 Ext. 5267
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Lymphedema Clinic: assessment, ADP, group education and customized individual plan for learning lymphedema self-management, refer out for MLD, skills refresher course      **Referral Base:** UHN out-patients LE secondary to cancer

<b>Sick Kids The Hospital for Sick Children</b>	555 University Avenue Toronto, M5G 1X8	Pamela Hilliard, PT Dorothy Kim, PT	416-813-6755 Ext. 0
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Assessment, monitoring, education, ADP authorizer, compression recommendations/bandaging, refer out for MLD

**Referral Base:** Upper and lower extremity LE (mostly primary), children under 18

<b>St. Joseph's Health Centre</b>	30 The Queensway Toronto, M6R 1B5	Marie Eason Klatt, OT	416-530-6058 Ext. 3550
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LE clinic, ADP authorizer including pump, refer out for MLD

**Referral Base:** Primary and secondary LE referred by a St. Joseph Hospital physician

<b>Toronto General Hospital</b>	200 Elizabeth Street Toronto, M5G 2C4	Cindy Dixon, RN	416-340-3857 416-340-5029 (f)
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Diagnosis, ADP authorizer, assessment for pump, refer out to CCAC for compression bandaging, no in-patient

**Referral Base:** Lower extremity primary and secondary LE patients. Fax referrals to vascular surgeon on call

<b>Women's College Hospital</b>	76 Grenville St Toronto, M5S 1B1	Naffisa Nathwani, OT Tania Obljubek, PT	416-323-6400 Ext. 4414
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Assessment, ADP, education, bandaging, initial compression and MLD, refer out for MLD maintenance phase

**Referral Base:** Secondary LE, breast cancer patients at Women's College Hospital

## Windsor

<b>Windsor Regional Hospital</b>	1995 Lens Avenue Windsor, N8W 1L9	Karie Gignac, RN, CLT	519-253-5253 519-255-8675 (f)
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Monthly awareness education classes, weekly clinic for assessment, education for self management, ADP authorizer, referral to community resources for garment fitting, MLD, CDT

**Referral Base:** Education classes for any active or non-active cancer patient at risk for lymphedema. Clinic visits only for active cancer center patients.

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**LEGEND:** ADP—Authorizers for Assistive Devices Program compression garments, CCAC—Community Care Access Centre, CDT—Complete Decongestive Therapy, LE—Lymphedema, MLD—Manual Lymph Drainage, OT—Occupational Therapist, PT—Physiotherapist, Pump—pneumatic extremity pump, RN—Registered Nurse