Clinical Movement Analysis Society – UK and Ireland Statement of Purpose Form



Name of Laboratory	Sheffield Children's Hospital Gait Laboratory	
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	laboratory/	

Please provide a brief description of your laboratory – history, location, etc. Also describe main activities – clinical/teaching/research (maximum 150 words).

The Gait Laboratory is part of the Sheffield Children's NHS Foundation Trust, which is a major provider of healthcare for children and young people. The Laboratory was opened in 1994 and is located in the Ryegate Children's Centre site which is approximately one mile from the main Sheffield Children's Hospital site (opened in 1876).

The Gait Laboratory provides analysis of gait (using 3-D kinematics and kinetics, video data and clinical examination as required) and works closely with other specialists within the Trust including orthopaedic surgeons, paediatric neurologists, paediatricians and orthotists. It also provides education and training to NHS staff and students.

The Laboratory's research programme is clinically led and is focussed currently on cerebral palsy, centre of mass, and hip dysplasia.

Host Institution

NHS Trust	
University/Academic	
Private Company	
Other(please specify)	Click or tap here to enter text.

Named Staff

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Staffing

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Orthopaedic Surgeon		
Rehabilitation Consultant		
Paediatrician		\boxtimes
Neurologist		\boxtimes
Physiotherapist	×	\boxtimes
Sports Scientist		
Bioengineer (Clin Sci)	\boxtimes	\boxtimes
Clinical Technologist		
Orthotist	\boxtimes	
Prosthetist		
Podiatrist		\boxtimes
Others (please specify:) Rheumatologist Oncologist		

Clinical Expertise

- indicate a major interest in an area, minor interest or if you would not accept a referral (excluded)

	Adults	Children
Cerebral Palsy	Minor	Major
Neuromuscular disorders	Minor	Major
The Foot	Minor	Major
Orthopaedics	Minor	Major
Spinal injuries	Minor	Minor
Stroke	Minor	Major
Orthotics	Minor	Major
Orthotic tuning	Minor	Minor
Prosthetics	Minor	Minor
Sports	Excluded	Minor
Others (please specify:) Click or tap here to enter text.	Click or tap here to enter text.	Click or tap here to enter text.

Testing Available

	Level of Reporting
Clinical exam	Treatment Recommendations
Orthogonal video filming	Treatment Recommendations
Force plate	Treatment Recommendations
Video vector technology	Descriptive Interpretation
3D movement analysis	Treatment Recommendations
Detailed foot movement analysis	Treatment Recommendations
Electromyography	Choose an item.
Plantar pressure measurement - barefoot	Choose an item.
Plantar pressure measurement – in shoe	Choose an item.
Energy cost measurement (oxygen/HR)	Choose an item.
Balance assessment	Choose an item.
Upper limb assessment	Choose an item.
Other (please specify)	
Functional Measures e.g. Gross Motor Functional Classification	Basic Data and Graphs
(GMFCS), Functional Assessment Questionnaire (FAQ), Gait	Choose an item.
Profile Score (GPS), Functional Mobility Scale (FMS)	Choose an item.
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