

# Focused Ultrasound Pallidotomy for Dyskinetic Cerebral Palsy in Pediatric and Young Adult Subjects

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Status	RECRUITING
Phase	Not Applicable
Sponsor	Children's National Research Institute
Enrollment	10 participants

## Key Eligibility Criteria

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### Inclusion (12)

- The treating physician has chosen GPi-DBS or pallidotomy for the treatment of the secondary dystonia caused by cerebral palsy in this patient
- Patient and/or legal representative, if the patient is underaged or not capable to give consent himself, have chosen pallidotomy as treatment
- The consent to participate in the trial of the underaged patient, if he is capable to understand the study requirements, is required
- Age at enrolment 8-22 years
- Diagnosis of secondary dystonia due to cerebral palsy caused by perinatal hypoxic injury
- ... and 7 more (see full listing online)

### Exclusion (23)

- Patients with known primary (e.g. DYT1) or idiopathic dystonia
- Severe axial hypotonia with total loss of head control (e.g. absence of control at "upper thoracic level" in the SATCo score) (medication effect excluded)
- Fixed hemi-dystonia
- Severe spasticity in knee- and elbow-flexors and -extensors (Modified Ashworth Scale  $\geq 3$ )
- Fixed severe skeletal contractions with loss of function which require immediate orthopaedic surgical intervention
- ... and 18 more (see full listing online)

## Locations (1 total)

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Children's National Hospital, Washington D.C., District of Columbia, United States