ALS Multidisciplinary Clinics

What is a Multidisciplinary Clinic?
Comprehensive multidisciplinary care is proven to help people live longer and better with ALS, and is key to finding an effective treatment and cure.

Our evidence-based multidisciplinary clinic care model brings together a team of health care professionals, from a variety of disciplines, allowing people with ALS to attend a “one stop shop” and receive care from each discipline during a single visit, typically scheduled on a quarterly basis.

The ALS Association Golden West Chapter collaborates with physicians and clinics throughout our service area to help ensure that people living with ALS have access to specialized clinical care. The ALS Association’s Certified Treatment Centers of Excellence and Recognized Treatment Centers provide compassionate, professional care in a supportive atmosphere.

What to Expect
The clinical care team typically includes a neurologist, physical therapist, occupational therapist, respiratory therapist, nurse, dietitian, speech language pathologist, social worker, mental health professional and an ALS Association Golden West Chapter Care Manager. A clinic visit may last 3 to 5 hours, allowing people to consult with most, if not all, of the clinic team members.

What to Bring
- Medical records, if it is your first visit
- A record of symptoms and changes
- List of current medications and doses
- Completed paperwork requested by the clinic
- Questions you have for members of the team

The Golden West Chapter partners with ALS multidisciplinary clinics throughout our service area, and is adding new partners all the time. See reverse side for a listing of our current clinic partners.

Chapter Care Managers are members of the clinic team who:
- Coordinate care plans with care providers in the home and community
- Facilitate equipment loans
- Demonstrate low tech solutions to address communication challenges
- Connect families to resources and support in the community
- Provide information about Chapter programs and events

See reverse side for listing of Golden West Chapter affiliated multidisciplinary clinics

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The ALS Association’s Certified Centers of Excellence (CTCE) provide evidence-based, multidisciplinary ALS clinical care and meet The ALS Association’s clinical care and treatment standards, which are based on the American Academy of Neurology (AAN) Practice Parameters. These clinics participate in ALS-related research and successfully complete a comprehensive site review to be certified as a center of excellence. The ALS Association’s Recognized Treatment Centers (RTC) have the same high quality approach to multidisciplinary care as The ALS Association Certified Treatment Centers of Excellence; however, they may not conduct onsite research or opportunities to participate in clinical trials. The Golden West Chapter is proud to partner with Affiliated Clinics (AC) across our service to provide quality professional multidisciplinary clinical care.

Center for ALS Care at Cedars-Sinai (CTCE)
Cedars-Sinai Medical Center
127 S. San Vicente Boulevard
Advanced Health Sciences Pavilion, 6th Floor
Los Angeles, CA 90048
Clinic Phone: (310) 423-1525
Medical Director: Robert Baloh, MD, PhD

Kaiser Permanente ALS Clinic (AC)
Riverside Medical Center
Department of Neurology
10800 Magnolia Avenue
Riverside, CA 92505
Clinic Phone: (951) 353-4360
Medical Director: Carol Van Petten, MD

Kaiser Permanente ALS Clinic (RTC)
San Francisco Medical Center
Neurology Department, 3rd Floor
450 6th Avenue
San Francisco, CA 94118
Clinic Phone: (415) 833-2202
Medical Director: Aaron Lewis, MD

Kaiser Permanente ALS Clinic (AC)
San Jose Hospital
Department of Neurology
275 Hospital Parkway
San Jose, CA 95119-1103
Clinic Phone: (408) 972-3000
Medical Director: Will Adlai North, MD

Kaiser Permanente ALS Clinic (RTC)
San Leandro Medical Center
Department of Neurology
2500 Merced Street
San Leandro, CA 94577
Clinic Phone: (510) 454-3180
Medical Director: Will Adlai North, MD

Kaiser Permanente ALS Clinic (AC)
San Rafael Medical Center
99 Montecillo Road
San Rafael, CA 94903
Clinic Phone: (415) 444-2000
Medical Director: Lynda Lam, MD

Keck Medicine of USC ALS Clinic (CTCE)
1520 San Pablo St. Suite 3000
Los Angeles, CA 90033
Clinic Phone: 323-442-0259
Medical Director: Said R. Beydoun, MD, FAAN

The Center for Restorative Neurology at Loma Linda University Neurology (CTCE)
11370 Anderson Street, Suite B100
Loma Linda, CA 92354
Clinic Phone: (909) 558–5977
Medical Director: Jeffrey Rosenfeld, MD, PhD

Stanford MDA/ALS Neuroscience (AC)
213 Quarry Road, 1st Floor
Palo Alto, CA 94304
Clinic Phone: (650) 723-6469
Medical Director: Yuen So, MD, PhD

UC Davis Multidisciplinary ALS Clinic (CTCE)
UC Davis Medical Center, Lawrence J. Ellison Ambulatory Care Center
4860 Y Street, Suite 1700
Sacramento, CA 95817
Clinic Phone: 916-734-6304
Medical Director: Nanette Joyce, DO, MAS

UC Irvine ALS Clinic (CTCE)
200 S. Manchester, Suite 110
Orange, CA 92868
Clinic Phone: (714) 456-2332
Medical Director: Namita Goyal, MD

UC San Diego ALS Center (CTCE)
Department of Neurology
200 West Arbor Drive
San Diego, CA 92103-8465
Clinic Phone: (619) 543-5300
Medical Director: John Ravits, MD, FAAN

UCSF Satellite Clinic - Fresno (AC)
2335 E. Kishian Ln., Suite 301
Fresno, CA 93701-2234
Clinic Phone: Yet to be announced
Medical Director: Catherine Lomen-Hoerth MD, PhD

UCSF Satellite Clinic - Modesto (AC)
1444 Florida Avenue, Suite 100
Modesto, CA 95350
Medical Director: Catherine Lomen-Hoerth, MD, PhD

UCSF Satellite Clinic – Santa Rosa (AC)
100 Brookwood Ave,
Santa Rosa, CA 95404
Clinic Phone: (415) 353-2122
Medical Director: Catherine Lomen-Hoerth, MD, PhD

The ALS Research and Treatment Center at UCSF (CTCE)
400 Parnassus Avenue, 8th Floor
San Francisco, CA 94117
Clinic Phone: (415) 353-2122
Medical Director: Catherine Lomen-Hoerth, MD, PhD

Veteran’s Administration, Palo Alto (AC)
VA Palo Alto Health Care system
3801 Miranda Ave.
Palo Alto, CA 94304
Clinic Phone: 650-493-5000
Medical Director: Richard J. Reiner, MD

Veteran’s Administration, San Francisco (RTC)
4150 Clement Street. Stop 15INC
San Francisco, CA 94121
Clinic Phone: (415) 551-7300
Medical Director: Viktoriya Irodenko, MD

Veteran’s Administration – West Los Angeles (AC)
11301 Wilshire Boulevard
Los Angeles, CA 90073
Clinic Phone: (310) 478-3711
Medical Director: Nasheed Jamal, MD