PROGRAM OVERVIEW
The Huntington’s Disease and Ataxia Clinic offers an integrated, holistic approach to your care. We know that managing the symptoms of Huntington’s disease and ataxia can be complex and we are here to help you every step of the way.

Because of our extensive expertise in providing care for Huntington’s disease, the clinic was designated a Huntington’s Disease Society of America (HDSA) Center of Excellence. Our doctors have treated hundreds of patients and families with Huntington’s disease and are conducting research to improve care options for this disease.

We provide consultations and treatment for people and families with no symptoms, those who are at risk for developing these conditions, couples who could pass the genes to their children, as well as all the way through advanced stage disease.

Our team works together to develop a treatment plan tailored to you, which may include:
- Genetic testing
- Drug therapy and symptom management
- Psychiatric care
- Physical therapy
- Clinical trials
- Community support resources
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HUNTINGTON’S DISEASE AND ATAXIA CLINIC TEAM
All of the specialists you need are available in one clinic and can address your needs in an initial visit. During clinic visits, several team members work with you on specific aspects of your treatment plan.

Neuroscience Clinic
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Boswell Building, A32
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Website
stanfordhealthcare.org/hdclinic

To make an appointment
tel: 650.725.5792
Appointments are available on Fridays between 9am and 2pm.

The Team
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Movement disorders specialist
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MEET THE DIRECTORS

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SUPPORT GROUPS AVAILABLE

• Huntington’s Disease Society of America Palo Alto Support Group
  This support group provides a safe place to learn about Huntington’s disease, share experiences and resources, and find support from others who understand what it means to have Huntington’s disease in the family.
  Second Tuesday of each month from 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm
  First Baptist Church of Palo Alto • 305 N. California Ave. • Palo Alto, CA, 94301
  For more information, contact Andrea Hanson-Kahn (andreak@stanford.edu), support group facilitator.

• Genetic Ataxia Support Group
  We also offer a quarterly Ataxia Support Group for patients and caregivers – only one of two ataxia support groups in Northern California.
  For more information, contact Amee Jaiswal, ajaiswal@stanfordhealthcare.org.

RECOGNITION

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