



Hours of Operation

Monday to Friday
8:30 am to 4:30 pm

Assessments

Tuesdays 8:30am to 11:30pm
Thursdays 1:00pm to 3:00pm



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For general inquiries or more information contact:

519-753-2658 x 146

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Seating Clinic



**Providing custom seating for
comfortable, supportive, and
safe mobility.**

*“Actively supporting new
possibilities for people that
lead to a fulfilled life”*



About the Seating Clinic

The Brantwood Seating Clinic was established in 1980, primarily to serve the people living at “Brantwood Centre” - a home for individuals with complex medical and physical needs. Over the years, Brantwood has spread out into a system of individual homes. The Brantwood Seating Clinic has spread out as well to serve the needs of not only those who live under Brantwood’s care, but also of individuals throughout Southern Ontario with complex seating concerns.



Our seating team is fortunate to have Anita Basarke as our Occupational Therapist consultant and Cathy Harrigan as our kiniseologist who each have many years of experience in assessing and solving complex seating conditions. Our team also consists of two technicians, Paul Riddle (OTA/PTA) and Richard Hardman (custom upholsterer) who are responsible for the fabrication and upholstery of the custom devices.



Who’s Eligible?

Even with all the pre-fabricated mobility and seating equipment out on the market, sometimes people are not able to achieve comfort, stability or safety with these options. Therefore, anyone who requires a wheelchair for mobility and needs the additional support of custom shaped seating is eligible.



Funding

Access to funding can be applied for by the occupational therapist from the following sources:

- Assistive Devices Program (ADP)
- Native Affairs
- Private Insurance
- WSIB
- Other

The Brantwood Seating Clinic is an authorized vendor under the ADP



Making a Referral

The Initial Assessment

To request an assessment with our seating team simply phone (519) 753-2658 x 146 and an appointment can be arranged for a Tuesday morning or Thursday afternoon. A referral form will be required to be completed prior to the assessment and can be faxed to (519) 753-5639.

During the initial seating assessment information is gathered to determine:

- The goals of the person’s seating
- Determine funding availability
- Measurements obtained for constructing the wheelchair seating
- Recommendations made for positioning.

Please note that charges may apply for assessments that are completed off-site or for clients not requiring custom work.