Parking and Directions to the CHRU

The UAB Children’s Health Research Unit (CHRU) is accessed via the 3rd floor of the Dearth Building located within Children’s of Alabama’s Russell Campus (downtown medical center campus). The closest parking deck to reach the CHRU is the Children’s of Alabama 7th Avenue Parking Deck.

The entrance address is 734 16th St. South or https://goo.gl/jCntoj for Google Map.

**From the Children’s of Alabama 7th Ave Parking Deck to the CHRU:**
- Be sure to bring your parking ticket for validation AND a mask!
- Once parked in the 7th Avenue deck, use the walkover on the 2nd level to reach Children’s hospital.
- Upon entering the hospital, stop at the screening table for temperature check and screening sticker.
- Keep to the LEFT - following the "Blue River" on the floor.
- Enter the Dearth Building and take the elevator to the third floor.
- When exiting the elevator, go to the right and enter the waiting area for Physical Therapy/Occupational Therapy.

You may also use the Children’s of Alabama 5th Ave Parking Deck, but the walk is longer.

The entrance address is 478 16th St. South or https://goo.gl/rw9tD3 for Google Map.

**From the Children’s of Alabama 5th Ave Parking Deck to the CHRU:**
- Be sure to bring your parking ticket for validation AND a mask!
- Once parked in the 5th Avenue deck, use the walkover on the 2nd level to reach Children’s hospital.
- Upon entering the hospital, stop at the screening table for temperature check and screening sticker.
- Keep to the RIGHT - following the "Blue River" on the floor
- Walk through the Benjamin Russell Building and keep RIGHT across the crosswalk (#1)
- Walk through the Harbor Building and keep LEFT across the crosswalk (#2)
- Enter the Dearth Building and take the elevators to the 3rd floor.
- When exiting the elevator, go to the right and enter the waiting area for Physical Therapy/Occupational Therapy.