**Signs That Your Child May Benefit from an Evaluation with a Physical Therapist**

Physical Therapy

**Gross Motor**

* Decreased strength
* Decreased range of motion in joints
* Is clumsy/awkward
* Falls frequently
* Has had a recent fracture or surgical procedure
* Is not meeting developmental milestones on time
* Was premature • Has difficulty with movement
* Has skeletal abnormalities
* Has orthotic needs (is flat footed, has feet that turn inward or outward)
* Difficulty learning new motor tasks
* Has difficulty transitioning from one position to another (i.e. getting up from the floor)
* Tires easily with physical activity
* Keeps his/her head turned to one side
* Seems “floppy”
* Lacks head control at 6 months
* Is unable to run or jump by 3 years