

# CEREBRAL PALSY:

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## WHAT IS IT? #2

### PEOPLE WITH CEREBRAL PALSY CAN EXPERIENCE:

- EPILEPSY
- PROBLEMS WITH POSTURE
- PROBLEMS WITH MUSCLE TONE
- HIP PROBLEMS
- HEARING & VISION IMPAIRMENTS
- DIFFICULTIES WITH SPEECH
- DIFFICULTIES WITH SWALLOWING
- DIFFICULTIES WITH SLEEP
- PAIN
- SENSORY PROBLEMS
- OVER DEVELOPED STARTLE REFLEX
- FATIGUE

### TREATMENT FOR CEREBRAL PALSY CAN INCLUDE:

- PHYSIOTHERAPY
- OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY
- MEDICATION FOR MUSCLE TIGHTNESS
- SPEECH THERAPY
- SURGERY FOR MOVEMENT & GROWTH PROBLEMS

CEREBRAL PALSY IS A  
PHYSICAL DISABILITY  
DON'T AUTOMATICALLY  
ASSUME THAT SOMEONE WITH  
CEREBRAL PALSY ALSO HAS  
A LEARNING DISABILITY!