Getting to the UW Medical Center (UWMC) and the IHDD
UW Medical Center is located at 1959 NE Pacific St at the south end of the University of Washington campus.

From Interstate 5 (I-5)
- Take the NE 45th St exit
- Northbound: turn right onto NE 45th St
- Southbound: turn left onto NE 45th St
- Proceed on NE 45th St to 15th Ave NE (approximately 4 blocks)
- Turn Right onto 15th Ave NE (approximately 7 blocks)
- Stay in the far right lane to cross NE Pacific St (large street with traffic lights)
- 15th Avenue will end at a stop sign
- Turn left (east) on Boat St
- You will approach Gatehouse #6; there are two payment booths
- See payment information to the right

From Highway 520 (Westbound)
- Take Exit 100 onto Montlake Blvd NE
- Cross the Montlake Bridge
- Move to left lane
- Turn left onto NE Pacific St
- Proceed past the UW Medical Center on your left until you reach the light at 15th Ave NE
- Turn left onto 15th Ave NE
- 15th Ave NE will end at a stop sign
- Turn left (east) on Boat St
- You will approach Gatehouse #6; there are two payment booths
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Payment Information
- You must pay for a permit prior to entering S1 Parking.
- There are two permit options:
  1. **HOURLY** permit ($3/hr): No validation is offered for this option. You may be ticketed if you stay longer than the permit allows.
  2. **ALL DAY** permit ($15): You will receive a validation for a partial refund (up to $5) when you check in.
- Place the payment permit on your dashboard. If the permit is not displayed, you may be ticketed.
S1 Parking
The closest parking to the IHDD is S1 Parking, located behind the UWMC, west of the IHDD clinic building.
S1 Parking has a height restriction of 7’ 5”. Oversized parking is available in the Husky Stadium parking lot.
Access the lot from 15th Ave NE. At the stop sign, proceed left onto Boat St and continue to the parking booths (Gatehouse #6). Even if the **LOT FULL** sign is out, proceed to the booth and ask for **IHDD patient parking**. You must pay prior to entering S1 Parking.
Ask the attendant for directions. The IHDD is at the far end of S1 Parking. Park as far east in S1 Parking as you can to minimize walking time/distance.
Patients can be dropped off at the IHDD west entrance (lot S9) from which vehicles can return to S1 for parking. Lot S9 is not patient parking.

Rates for S1 Parking
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**ALL DAY** permit ($15): You will receive a validation for a partial refund (up to $5) when you check in.
**Please leave the permit on your dashboard to avoid a ticket.**

Disability Parking
All IHDD patients and families with mobility parking needs can request a UW disability placard at the gate house. No State Disability Placard is necessary. **You must still pay for a permit even if you have a State Disability Placard.**

Walking from S1 Parking to the IHDD
Exit at the far (east) end of S1 Parking. Enter the IHDD Clinic building through the side door – look for the awning with the former building name (Center on Human Development and Disability). Once inside, follow the signs to the elevator and go up to the second floor. Alternately, use the ramp to the front door from the corner of NE Columbia Rd & Ferry Pl NE – look for the Center on Human Development and Disability sign.
Check in at the front desk on the 2nd floor.

Alternate Parking Locations
Pay-as-you-leave parking is also available at the Triangle Garage (across NE Pacific St from the main UWMC entrance), the Surgery Pavilion Garage and Valet parking (at the front of UWMC). Rates are $3/hr ($10 daily max) with patient validation. Please check our website for more details: https://ihdd.org/visit-ihdd/

If using GPS, make sure to enter S1 parking via 15th Ave NE. You **must** enter via Gatehouse #6 and have a permit to park or you will receive a parking ticket.

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