



ACCESS Mental Health for Youth

Your link to psychiatric consultation, support and resources

As a medical provider, you are dedicated to whole person care. **ACCESS Mental Health for Youth** helps you achieve that by offering support in treating mental health and substance use concerns.

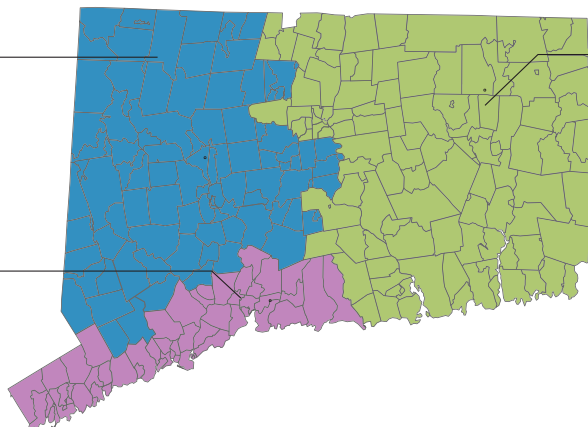
Our program supports youth up to age 22, regardless of insurance status, by helping you identify and treat your patient's mental health disorders more effectively. As a fully funded program, ACCESS Mental Health for Youth offers real-time psychiatric consultation, individualized case-based education, and care coordination support that is free to you and your patients. Administered by Carelon Behavioral Health, our program ensures community-focused expertise and resource coordination provided by three teams across the state. Each team is led by board-certified psychiatrists and staffed to support you and your patient's treatment goals.

Wheeler Clinic Hub:

855-631-9835

Yale Child Study Hub:

844-751-8955



Hartford Hospital Hub:

855-561-7135

Note: ACCESS Mental Health for Youth is NOT intended to replace emergency services. For mobile crisis intervention, please dial 2-1-1.

Phone consultations when you need them

When you enroll in ACCESS Mental Health for Youth, patients will benefit from your real-time access to psychiatric phone consultations that occur within 30 minutes (often immediately).

These conversations may entail:



Diagnostic clarification



Psychopharmacology and treatment consultation



Care coordination and community resource support

Our team of psychiatrists also provide free, monthly mental health and substance use focused trainings for you and your primary care team. For additional information on our ACCESS Mental Health Clinical Conversations series, please visit our resource page at accessmhct.com.



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“ Had it not been for the support and training I received from the child psychiatrists at AMH, many of my patients would not be receiving the care that they desperately need. I am a far better pediatrician because of ACCESS Mental Health. ”



For more information about ACCESS Mental Health for Youth, call the team nearest you or visit accessmhct.com.



As an enrolled practice, you can call your Hub team Monday – Friday 9 am – 5 pm.

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