

# Appendix C: Resources

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## About Primary Care Practices

Patient Centered Medical Home. Some primary care practices are using a new way to deliver care, called the patient centered medical home. The idea is to give

complete care that is family-centered, compassionate, and culturally comfortable to all children and youth, including those with special health care needs.

Visit <http://pcmh.ahrq.gov> to learn more about medical homes.

## About Schools

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2. To learn more about services available in schools, visit <http://www.doe.mass.edu/mtss/default.html>.

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2. The Center for Children with Special Needs: [Creating Care Plans for Youth](#)
3. Directions, MA Department of Public Health: <http://www.mass.gov/eohhs/gov/departments/dph/programs/family-health/directions/>

## For Primary Care Practices

1. Toolkit for Practices on Communicating with Patients. Health Literacy Universal Precautions Toolkit <http://www.ahrq.gov/professionals/quality-patient-safety/quality-resources/tools/literacy-toolkit/index.html>.

2. Holyoke Pediatric Associates' sample policies and forms for transition to adulthood <http://holyokepediatrics.com/downloads/index.html>
3. Got Transition? The National Health Care Transition Center is a program of the Center for Medical Home Improvement. Go to [www.gottransition.org](http://www.gottransition.org) to find forms and policies on the transition to adulthood.
4. Strategies for system change in children's mental health, a chapter action kit, American Academy of Pediatrics, 20017. This toolkit includes a physician and referral form (p. 4-11, 4-12) that can be used by primary care providers to make referrals to behavioral health providers. It includes space for the reason for referral and outcome of the referral or visit from the behavioral health provider. <http://www.aap.org/en-us/advocacy-and-policy/aap-health-initiatives/Mental-Health/Documents/finalcak.pdf>
5. Massachusetts Child Psychiatric Access Project (MCPAP). When a primary care practice does not have a behavioral health provider as part of their team, the primary care provider can still access consultative services from a child-focused behavioral health provider through MCPAP. MCPAP is a system of regional children's mental health consultation teams that are available to assist primary care providers with delivering some care for behavioral health needs, and, when appropriate, may reduce the number of providers that the child needs to see. Pediatric practices can register for MCPAP at <http://mcpap.com/SignUp2.asp>.

## For Schools

Protecting and Disclosing Student Health Information: How to Develop School District Policies and Procedures, by Nadine C. Schwab, BSN, MPH, PNP, Marcia Rubin, PhD, MPH, Judith Maire, BSN, MN, Mary H. B. Gelfman, MA, JD, Martha Dewey Bergren, DNS, RN, Donna Mazyck, BSN, MS, Beverly Hine, BSN, MPH, American School Health Association, 2005.

## For Schools and Primary Care Providers

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