

Transition To Adulthood

CCN can work with families of youth up to the age of 21 as they transition to adulthood. Even if a young person already has a transition plan at school, the CCN Team can help families and youth coordinate services for independent living and health care.

For more information, contact:

Community Connections Network

CCN serves children and youth with special health needs and their families



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Are you concerned about your child's health or development?

A Community Connections Network Team can help.



What Is a CCN Team?

CCN Teams are made up of local health care providers, educators, family liaisons, and service providers. Family members are full partners on the team, which takes a close look at the child's health and development. The CCN team considers how the child is doing at school, at home, and socially. They identify issues. They talk about solutions. Together, the team creates a plan that addresses the child's needs.

What Will The CCN Team Do?

- Provide a medical consultation with the CCN Team physician.
- Consider educational, behavioral, or social/emotional concerns.
- Work with families and other team members to coordinate services and develop a plan of care that meets the child's needs.
- Help locate information about the child's condition.
- Provide referrals and connections with local resources.
- Provide support in getting services for the child and family.
- Work with the child's doctor, or help to find one.
- Work with a Family Liaison, who is a local parent skilled in identifying resources and bringing the family perspective to the table.

Who Can Use CCN?

Families who have a child with an unresolved health or developmental concern may request a CCN Team meeting. Physicians, schools, and other community agencies may also refer to CCN.

Any family is eligible, regardless of income or insurance status. There is no cost to families to meet with a CCN team. CCN serves children from birth through age 21.

Would You Like To Know More?

Your local coordinator can tell you more about the CCN Team in your community.

