

Websites especially for Educators

Minnesota Department of Education – Mental Health

http://education.state.mn.us/MDE/Learning_Support/Special_Education/Birth_to_Age_21_Programs_Services/Mental_Health/index.html

When Teachers Should Refer Students to a Mental Health Professional

[\(When Teachers Should Refer Students to a Mental Health Professional \(KEN01-0113\)\)](#)

This fact sheet provides information for teachers who suspect a student may need mental health services.

All Mental Health – For Educators (<http://allmentalhealth.samhsa.gov/schools.html>)

This site includes a guide for school administrators, a teacher training package, and several other tools, all designed to help educators make mental health a part of their classrooms.

The Education Web Page

http://www.tapartnership.org/advisors/education/the_education_page.asp

The Education Web page gives you access to a number of resources on education and systems of care. It offers tools for collaboration, links to related Web sites and resources, and provides a place to get all your questions answered.

Accessing Disability Services in Minnesota – A Guide to Selected Resources

http://static.cbslocal.com/station/wcco/news/specialreports/autism/08_0722_news_specialreports_autism_accessingdisabilityservicesinminnesota.pdf

Fact Sheets

National Alliance on Mental Illness (www.nami.org)

Children's mental health fact sheets

[Minnesota Association for Children's Mental Health](#)

Mental health fact sheets in English and Spanish. Early childhood mental health facts sheets.

Minnesota Department of Human Services -

http://www.dhs.state.mn.us/main/idcplg?IdcService=GET_DYNAMIC_CONVERSION&RevisionS_electionMethod=LatestReleased&dDocName=id_003704

Link to fact sheets on anxiety, depression, autism, ADHD, conduct disorder in English, Spanish, Vietnamese, Somali, and Hmong.

[National Association of School Psychologists](#)

Fact sheets and position papers.

Other Websites

[ADD Warehouse](#) - http://www.addwarehouse.com/shopsite_sc/store/html/index.html

The leading resource for the understanding and treatment of all developmental disorders, including ADHD and related problems.

[Adolescent Health Initiative Links](#)

A foundation for addressing adolescent health issues utilizing a youth development approach.

[All Mental Health](#) - U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

This website provides information on what *mental health* really is and provides descriptions of some of the most common mental illnesses.

[The Autism Society of Minnesota](http://www.ausm.org/educationServices/diversityMaterials.asp) - <http://www.ausm.org/educationServices/diversityMaterials.asp>
"Is this Your Child?" Signs and Symptoms of Autism in more than five languages.

CHADD (Children and Adults with Attention Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder) www.chadd.org
Learn, connect, support and influence

C3 Online (www.C3online.org)
Connecting youth to communities and careers.

The Center for Cross-Cultural Health - <http://www.crosshealth.com/index.html>
Working to increase health and well-being for all through cross-cultural understanding.

[Child and Adolescent Bipolar Association](#)
Early intervention and treatment offer the best chance for children with emerging bipolar disorder.

Federation of Families for Children's Mental Health www.ffcmh.org
National family-run organization dedicated exclusively to helping children with mental health needs and their families achieve a better quality of life

[International MOMS Club®](#)
Offers support to moms home during the day living in St. Cloud, Waite Park, Foley, and Clearlake.

Kids Health - www.kidshealth.org
A website with information for parents, teens and kids. The focus of information is on physical and mental health.

[Mental Health: A Report of the Surgeon General](#)
Background information about children's mental health.

Minnesota Association for Children's Mental Health www.macmh.org
Minnesota Association for Children's Mental Health providing support and information for families of children with EBD and mental health needs.

Mental Health America www.nmha.org
The country's leading nonprofit dedicated to helping ALL people live mentally healthier lives.

[Minnesota Parent Knows](#)
Minnesota Parents Know is a resource filled with convenient and trusted child development, health and parenting information.

[MOPS \(Mother's Of Preschoolers\)](#)
MOPS is about Celebrating motherhood, Meeting needs, Making Connections, and Experiencing God's love...through relationships and resources.

[National Institute of Mental Health](#)
Health information quick links.

[National Mental Health Information Center](#)

Teen Mental Health Problems: What are the Warning Signs

Parent Advocacy Coalition for Education www.pacer.org

Expand opportunities and enhance the quality of life of children and young adults with disabilities and their families, based on the concept of parents helping parents.

[President's New Freedom Commission Report](#)

Background information about children's mental health.

SAMHSA www.samhsa.gov

Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

[School Psychology Resources Online](#)

School Psychology Resources for Psychologists, Parents and Educators

[Technical Assistance Partnership for Child and Family Mental Health](#)

The Technical Assistance Partnership for Child and Family Mental Health (TA Partnership) operates under contract with the federal Center for Mental Health Services to provide technical assistance to system of care communities funded by the *Comprehensive Community Mental Health Services for Children and Their Families Program*.

[UCLA School Mental Health Project](#)

Being alert to indicators of psychosocial and mental health problems.

(Search resource aid packets: screening/assessing students: indicators and tools)