



KSKidsMAP Newsletter Pediatric Mental Health Access

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KSKidsMAP Conference: Transitioning to Adulthood

Supporting Neurodiverse Youth During the Transition to Adulthood

KSKidsMAP is excited to announce our **free one-day conference**, Transitioning to Adulthood for patients with autism, neurodevelopmental disorders and intellectual disabilities. In partnership with the Kansas Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics and Heartspring, this conference will feature expert-led discussions on the unique challenges faced by patients and families during this critical stage of life.

CONFERENCE DETAILS:

Date: Friday, May 2

Time: Check-in at 8 a.m.; Lunch at noon; Closing remarks at 3:30 p.m.

Location: Heartspring Conference Center, 8700 E. 29th St. N., Wichita, Kansas 67226

Cost: Free for all attendees

Included: Breakfast, lunch, snacks and continuing education credits

Learn from child and adolescent psychiatrists, psychologists, developmental pediatricians, and other specialists as they explore topics such as:

- Psychiatric care through transition
- Behavioral challenges and strategies
- Policy and system updates
- Genetic testing
- Guardianship and legal considerations
- Transition planning for families and PCPs
- Resources for families

Attendees will also receive a guided tour of Heartspring’s facilities, offering a closer look at services available to support patients and families.

This event is open to all primary care physicians, clinicians and behavioral health professionals looking to enhance their understanding of the transition to adulthood for patients with neurodevelopmental disorders.



REGISTER TODAY!



KSKidsMAP Autism Webinars

Every Thursday in April over the lunch hour (noon-1 p.m.), tune in to our FREE webinars on diagnosis and management of autism in your clinical setting, led by KSKidsMAP's expert pediatric mental health team members!

APRIL SCHEDULE & TOPICS

April 3: Screening Tools for Autism in the Primary Care Setting

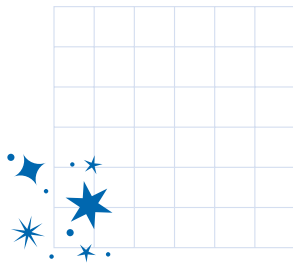
April 10: Next Steps – What does a diagnosis mean and what to do while waiting for one?

April 17: Common Medical Issues and How to Manage in Primary Care

April 24: Psychiatric Comorbidities through Childhood and Adolescence



REGISTER
TODAY!



Need support?

KSKidsMAP's Consultation Line is here to help!

Primary care physicians and clinicians—don't navigate pediatric mental health challenges alone! The KSKidsMAP Consultation Line connects you with our team, including child psychiatrists and psychologists, to:

- Ask general questions about pediatric mental health
- Request resources and referrals for patients and families
- Schedule a case consultation with our expert pediatric mental health team

Call us at **1-800-332-6262** or email us at KSKidsMAP@kumc.edu.

Contact us today to schedule your consult at a time that works for you!

