

The University of Florida Behavioral Health Hub – Gainesville (UFG) serves Primary Care Providers throughout North Central Florida. We are funded by the Florida Department of Health, Division of Children’s Medical Services for the purpose of providing psychiatric consultative services **FREE OF CHARGE** for both the referring providers and their patients. The goal of this program is to deliver consultation support for providers to increase access to mental health services for children and adolescents in our state, ages 0-21 years.

Our program provides the following:

- supports primary care providers to deliver entry-level behavioral health services through telephonic consults with our Child & Adolescent Psychiatrists (DOC-DOC consults)
- performs tele-video evaluations via secure Zoom platform by Child & Adolescent Psychiatrists or Psychology Post-Docs if/when the Hub and the provider deem it is appropriate
- provides care coordination support for referring children to necessary community-based services
- conducts monthly Skill-Building educational sessions, which earn providers CME credits free of charge. Visit our website at <https://bhh.psychiatry.ufl.edu/for-providers/skill-building-training-library/> for all previously recorded sessions to earn **FREE CMEs**.



To request consult services through the Hub, please fax the most relevant clinical note indicative of the reason for referral, a signed Consent by the parent or patient (all forms are found on our website), and a completed and scored Pediatric Symptom Checklist (PSC-17) screener: <https://bhh.psychiatry.ufl.edu/for-providers/provider-forms/>. If any additional screeners were administered, please include them. We may contact your patient directly to request other screeners/scales/measures.

The program comes at no cost to the providers or practices except the time investment in consultation, collaboration and training that will be provided by the Hub.

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