

Transition times.

Supporting the child and adolescent's transitions in Pediatric condition

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Potential Conflict Between Developmental Needs and Expectations for Pediatric Conditions

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Improvement in management of chronic illness

Child/teen and parent involvement

Planned transitions to adult care providers

It is estimated that 31% of teenagers experience at least one moderate to severe chronic medical condition requiring ongoing management



Developmental Issues



- Autonomy & Independence
- Identity versus Role Confusion
- Intimacy versus Isolation

Important Developmental Skills

- Relationship with Parents/Siblings
- Identity and Sense of Self
- Self-Efficacy for Regimen Management
- Decision Making/Problem Solving
- Social Support



START EARLY!



Adolescent Complications

Family Centered Care

Reduce Stress!

Bridges

Multidisciplinary

Individualized

Remember

Transition PREPARATION

Develop Policies

Individualized Plan

Adherence Monitoring

Collaboration – family/medical providers

