# Duke Adolescent and Young Adult Medicine



### Overview

Adolescents and young adults ages 12 to 25 face unique physical, mental, and behavioral health challenges that can have lasting effects on their well-being. The Duke Adolescent and Young Adult Medicine Program provides developmentally focused care, collaborating closely with primary care providers to address these concerns.

Our specialists ensure a comprehensive approach to adolescent and young adult health. We provide consultative care focused on developmental and contextual factors while leveraging Duke's vast network of endocrinologists, gynecologists, psychiatrists, and more.

### **Clinical Issues**

#### Sexual and Reproductive Health

- Menstrual disorders including abnormal uterine bleeding, amenorrhea, PCOS, dysmenorrhea, and menstrual suppression in IDD
- Contraceptive services including Nexplanon insertion and removal
- Sexually transmitted infections, including HIV PreP

#### Intersection of Physical and Mental Health

- Medical oversight of eating disorders, including anorexia nervosa, ARFID, and bulimia nervosa
- Diagnosis and medical management of depression, anxiety, ADHD
- Support for behavioral health concerns; including sleep issues, school issues, and early substance experimentation and misuse
- Support for treatment adherence during transition to adulthood with chronic illness



**Prompt, Flexible Access** Face-to-face, video, and expedited options available within one week.



## How to Refer

To refer a patient or request a consultation, login to Duke MedLink or call 800-633-3853.

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