

CTC-RI Care Management Service Delivery Requirement Opportunities for Care Coordinator Training Programs

PCMH Kids practices that entered into the CTC-RI common contract have a Care Management Service Delivery Requirement to complete a standardized learning program as defined by CTC.

CTC is providing PCMH Kids practices with two different options to meet the standardized learning program requirement:

Option 1: (GLearn Core Curriculum Participative Agreement, page 3): OR

Option 2: (ECHO Pediatric Complex Management Program registration):

ECHO Complex Integrated Pediatrics Care Management Option

Weitzman ECHO Complex Integrated Pediatrics connects primary care medical and behavioral health providers nationally with a multidisciplinary team of specialists in complex pediatric care. The Complex Integrated Pediatrics clinic uses **twice-monthly videoconferencing** sessions to explore a variety of topics designed to improve the quality of care and clinical outcomes for underserved children and adolescents. Specialists from Community Health Center, Inc., Connecticut Children's Specialist Group, New England Regional Genetics Network, and the University of Connecticut present on key issues and provide recommendations on challenging cases posed by participants. The clinic is designed to emphasize the integration and collaboration between medical and behavioral health providers, reducing variations in care. Participants develop new clinical competencies and confidence with complex pediatric cases. The nine-month program addresses topics such as asthma management and treatment; obesity; diabetes; suicide/self-harm; autism; and cardiology.

This program aims to:

- Build learning communities,
- Reduce provider isolation in rural settings,
- Improve health care outcomes, and
- Improve access to specialty care.

The Complex Integrated Pediatrics ECHO Sessions are held on the 1st and 3rd Monday of every month from 12:00-1:30pm. The program is available at no cost.

PCMH Kids NCM/CC's interested in this option will be asked to register for the program and submit a completed memorandum of agreement to CTC-RI (CKarner@ctc-ri.org) based on service delivery requirement timeline.

Registration information can be found here: <https://www.weitzmaninstitute.org/complex-integrated-pediatrics/>

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