Patient-centered perspectives on teen mental health

Dr. Annie Hoopes shares insights from a new ACT Center study of integrating adolescent mental health care into primary care.

How can teen health systems and care teams better support the mental health needs of children and adolescents? In this blog post, Dr. Annie Hoopes and the ACT Center team describe the perspective of care teams and youth themselves.

Why we need to practice facilitators more now than ever

From our recent International conference on practice facilitation, Jess Mogk reflects on what’s next as the field advances.

The need for practicing facilitators is growing every day to help care teams deploy professional wellness, advance equity, and bring about positive change. Dr. Cara Lewis of the ACT Center shares how she helps teams achieve these goals through the lens of her extensive experience as a facilitator for the ACT Centers.

New publications and resources

CAATs.pdf spots funding and health equity in learning health systems

Learning Health Systems recently published 2 papers with insights from the CAAT Center, drawing on experiences across the network.

The first paper, "CAATs: With an eye dedicated to advancing health equity," offers a comprehensive review of the 19 CAAT Centers that are using this innovative model to achieve health equity.

The second paper, "CAATs in the context of health equity: A work in progress," explores the critical role of CAATs in supporting health equity in learning health systems.

Rapid Evidence Scans: New resources available from ACT Center

Are you looking for accessible summaries of research evidence relevant to your clinical or programmatic needs but don’t have the time to read full reports? The ACT Center can help.

New learning health systems and implementation science teams can benefit from the rapid evidence scans page on the ACT Center website, which provides a selection of free, downloadable evidence summaries to support informed decision-making.

How learning health systems and implementation science teams can better integrate evidence

Advisor and researcher on how to align learning health systems goals with a proven implementation science framework, which is now available in a webinar from Cara Lewis, PhD, a senior investigator and implementation science leader with the ACT Center.

Healthcare for Humans podcast explores cultures and communities in Washington

Effective health care provides care that is respectful of patients, culturally conscious, and person-centered. Care teams are on the front line of providing high-quality care and truly meeting the needs of patients.

This is the context of the Healthcare for Humans podcast, a new publication of Kaiser Permanente’s Integrated Health Management office and ACT Center collaboration.

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