

PROGRAM COMPONENTS

The NEC Connections Program will:

Assess student and family needs that are impacting academic success. The clinician will meet with the student and all involved, review records and observe the student.

Consult with the school and the family to better understand and incorporate concerns from all perspectives.

Identify community resources that may be beneficial and help the family navigate these services.

Monitor for stability and ensure sustainability of referred services.

Interventions can include the following:

- Short-term counseling/coaching
- Parent Support
- Assistance with paperwork, eligibility and insurance
- Behavioral Assistance
- Addressing issues related to school attendance
- Assessing risk and safety issues, including referrals to emergency services

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

Creative Interventions
Family Centered
Team Based
Collaborative
Community Focused
Culturally Competent
Individualized
Strengths Based



REFERRALS

Initial Referral:

The student's public school district is responsible for identifying students in need and initiating the referral.

Who is Eligible?

This is a voluntary program, so services are provided with parent/guardian permission. Any student may be a recipient, regardless of grade or special education status. This program is currently available to students who are both in general education and special education.

Assessment & Consultation:

Once the initial referral is made, the NEC Connections Wraparound Clinician will meet with school staff, student and family members. They will assess the situation and make recommendations for appropriate community-based services, provide consultation to school-based staff and help families navigate/access necessary supports.

ABOUT

The NEC Connections program is available to our member public school districts on a contract or fee for service basis. Please contact us so we can find the plan that best meets the needs and budget of your district.

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The mission of the Northshore Education Consortium is to support member districts by offering high quality, cost-effective school programs, consultation, professional development, support services and resources to ensure that districts can provide successful learning experiences for all students, including those with complex or low-incidence special needs.

NEC CONNECTIONS PROGRAM

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Connections Wraparound Program



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