

Welcome to Strong Healthy and Resilient Kids (SHARK) Pediatric Development, Behavior and Adversity eConsult

SHARK Pediatric Development Behavior and Adversity eConsult is designed to provide support and resources to patients exposed to high degrees of toxic stress, their families and the clinicians who care for them.

On our eConsult site, you will find specific instructions for referring patients. We provide resources, and in certain cases, assessment and short-term bridge management for:

- Developmental issues not eligible for Regional Centers
- Behavioral/school issues
- Mild to moderate mental health issues
- Resources for enrichment programs including tutoring and online learning during COVID

Each consult will be reviewed by a pediatrician, a family practice MD and a psychiatric nurse practitioner. In some cases, our team consults with specialists at Rancho Los Amigos, our medical home. *NOTE: Some resources are limited at present due to COVID.

When you refer to SHARK eConsult, you will either receive guidance from out multi-disciplinary team or your request will be forwarded to a developmental/behavioral pediatrician.

> Send eConsult Referrals to: Pediatric Development, Behavior and Adversity Questions to AWittenberg2@dhs.lacounty.gov

