

SESSION PREPARATION

- Inform parents of expectations & requirements**
 - Telepsychiatry visits are medical (psychiatric) visits similar to in-person, except conducted over secure interactive televideo
 - Requirement for the patient to have a primary care physician (PCP) and to have had a well check within past 12 months or been referred by PCP
 - Provide info to parents about federal law that limits the prescription of controlled medications such as stimulants without at least one in-person visit first

- Identify who will be in the televideo room with the patient and parent(s)**
 - Site coordinator
 - School staff persons

- Confirm whether patient & parents are comfortable with site coordinator/school staff present during visit**
 - Alternatively, ask coordinator/ school staff to step out during confidential discussions

