OpenNotes Resources

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OpenNotes
FAQ-what are notes, why they are beneficial, responses to common concerns

Examples of different types of notes and questions to ask while reading notes

Mental health notes-why beneficial, answers to concerns, real life examples and stories, which health systems are sharing

Pediatric and adolescent notes-how to use, answers to concerns, which systems are sharing

Care partners-how notes are beneficial, real life stories
OpenNotes Website
Resources for Health Professionals

- Making the Case-Research
- FAQ-what are notes, why beneficial to patients and clinicians, responses to common concerns
- Implementation toolkit-overview of steps toward implementation, decisions to be considered, communicating to patients and staff
- Mental health notes-which systems sharing, why beneficial, tips for how to write notes, examples
- Pediatric/adolescent notes-which systems sharing, responses to common concerns
- Care partners-how beneficial and how to facilitate
Resources for Patient and Family Advisors/PFACs

- Patient and Family Advisor Toolkit (useful both for health system staff and advisors)
  https://www.opennotes.org/pfac-toolkit/
  - Speaking up for OpenNotes
  - Partnering to advocate for OpenNotes
  - Advising during design/development of OpenNotes
  - Involvement in outreach/education to patients/families
  - Feedback

- Patient/family speakers
Other Resources

- **Stories**- Videos on website
- **Speakers**- clinicians, patients/care partners, OpenNotes staff
- **Research**- [https://www.opennotes.org/about/research/](https://www.opennotes.org/about/research/)
- **Connections with other health systems**
- **Map** of implementers- [https://www.opennotes.org/join/map/](https://www.opennotes.org/join/map/)
- **Joining the OpenNotes Movement**
  - 10 Things Patients Can Do- advocating for OpenNotes, effectively using notes, telling stories, following OpenNotes ([https://www.opennotes.org/join/what-patients-can-do-right-now/](https://www.opennotes.org/join/what-patients-can-do-right-now/))
  - 10 Things Clinicians/Staff Can Do- start ball rolling to share notes, partnering with patients, encouraging clinicians to share notes, ensuring patients can access ([https://www.opennotes.org/join/what-clinicians-can-do/](https://www.opennotes.org/join/what-clinicians-can-do/))