#### School Linked Mental Health Participants

Redwood Area Middle & High Schools

Milroy Area Charter

Murray County Central

Russell-Tyler-Ruthton

**ECHO Charter** 

**Lake Benton** 

**Lakeview Public Schools** 

Hendricks

Fulda

Wabasso

Minneota

Yellow Medicine East

"A child's life is like a piece of paper on which every person leaves a mark."

~Chinese Proverb

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# SCHOOL LINK MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

Restoring Hope....
One life at a time.

Western Mental Health Center's (WMHC) School Linked Mental Health (SLMH) services are designed to colocate mental health services and resources within the school setting. This allows for minimal disruption from the child's school day. It also allows teachers, parents, and others involved in the child's care the ability to collaborate and integrate successful treatment strategies into the school and home environment.

#### Referral Process:

Referrals are made by a parent, teacher, social worker or physician.

A Mental Health Professional will complete a Diagnostic Assessment and provide recommendations for services as appropriate.

A parent/guardian will need to be present for the initial Diagnostic Assessment to help provide information on the child and when appropriate for treatment planning.

SLMH staff will coordinate services with the family, school staff, county and other agency professionals involved in the care of the student.

#### School Linked Mental Health Services Include:

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- •Individual, Family and Group Therapy
- •Individual, Family and Group Skills
- Crisis Assistance
- Diagnostic Assessments
- Consultation to School Staff
- Attendance at IEP Meetings
- Staff Training and In-service

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Summer Programming is available beyond the academic year for continuation of mental health services either individually or in a group as necessary.

### For More Information on Services Contact

- ◆Child's Teacher
- ◆School Counselor/Principal
- ◆Western Mental Health Center

## Services will be covered by:

Private insurances when available

Minnesota Department of Health and Human Services grant funds.



