# PATCH PROGRAM HIGHLIGHT REEL

July 1 2017 - June 30 2018



Providers And Teens Communicating for Health

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# 2017

#### July

Welcome to our first national replication site, PATCH for Hope Buffalo!

#### **August**

PATCH for Teens: Classroom Edition moves from robust pilot to full implementation and becomes available for purchase

#### September

Existing PATCH Sites begin programing with the Teen Educator Training and Enrichment Model

#### October

Kick Off and Training for the 2017/2018 PATCH Youth Advocacy Fellowship Team in Wisconsin

#### November

Second (Improved!) Edition of the Core PATCH Package Implementation Manual is published

#### December

Welcome PATCH YouthRise of Clinton County!

2018

#### **J**anuary

New PATCH website launched (www.patchprogram.org)

### February

PATCH receives Promising Practice Award from the Association of Maternal and Child Health Programs (AMCHP)'s Innovation Station

#### March

PATCH materials for youth and parents made available in Spanish

### April

PATCH attends the Society of Public Health Education Conference in Ohio as part of 2018 dissemination efforts

## May

First-ever Summer PATCH Youth Advocacy Fellowship launches in five Wisconsin regions

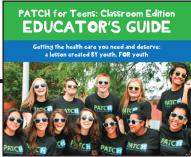
## June

Welcome PATCH Coulee Region Wisconsin!

Welcome PATCH

Central Wisconsin!

























The Core PATCH Package provides communities the training, support, resources, and materials to become a PATCH Site. A PATCH Site has a Teen Educator team that facilitates the "PATCH for Providers" and "PATCH for Teens: Peer-to-Peer" workshops, and advocates for local change. In 2017/2018, we launched FOUR new PATCH Sites, in addition to the THREE exisiting sites that fully implemented with these outcomes:

30 Teen Educators trained

PATCH for Providers workshops facilitated

Health Care Professionals reached

PATCH for Teens Workshops facilitated

Youth reached

Explore more outcomes in our full 2017/2018 PATCH Impact Report at www.patchprogram.org.

The PATCH for Teens:
Classroom Edition provides
School health teachers, healthrelated professionals, youth
workers, and other adults the
materials and resources needed
to teach young people about
their health care rights and
responsibilities.



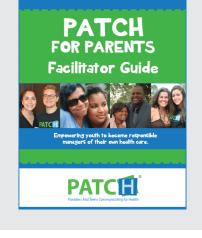
Different states now have licensed faciliators for the PATCH for Teens: Classroom Edition

The PATCH Advocacy Fellowship is an opportunity for Wisconsin youth, ages 12-21, to grow as leaders and activists. They are empowered to be a part of adolescent health conversations at community and state levels, providing advice and input on goals and decisions that impact youth. In 2017/2018:

Youth hired as part of the Full-Year Fellowship

Youth hired as part of the Summer Fellowship

We're always innovating at PATCH!
This year, we've been working on
a new PATCH for Parents Toolkit.
Watch for the release of this
anticipated product in 2019! Visit
www.patchprogram.org for updates
on all of our innovative efforts.



We are proud to share evidence and lessons learned from the PATCH approach to positive youth development and youth/adult partnerships through various publications, presentations, and at conferences nationwide. Keep tabs on where to find us at www.patchprogram.org.



PATCH offers programs, curricula, materials, and resources to help empower youth voices, engage youth in conversations of health care quality, and

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equip youth to help improve the health and well-being of their generation.