

## **Your Transition Care Program Team** *At University of Washington Medical Center*

*This handout introduces the healthcare team at the Transition Care Program at University of Washington Medical Center.*

Transition Care Program (TCP) care providers specialize in many care areas to make sure you receive the best care possible. You will meet all members of our team during your first clinic visit. Your follow-up visits will be with the team members who can best help you meet your healthcare goals.



*We want to help your transition to adult care go smoothly.*

### **The Care Team**

#### Your **attending doctor**:

- Has many years of experience caring for young adults with complex medical concerns.
- Supervises all doctors in training and other staff in our program.
- Assesses your need for all referrals and makes recommendations about your transition plan.

#### Our **nurse care coordinator**:

- Will gather information about you and your medical care so that we can help you meet your healthcare needs as you transition to adult care.
- Is usually the first person to call if you have questions.
- May ask for more information to make sure your concerns are directed to the right team member.

#### Our **social worker** can:

- Help you with legal, insurance, and financial questions.
- Give you information about community resources.
- Assess your needs for behavioral health resources and vocational or educational services.

## Will I still see the TCP team after I start seeing adult-centered providers?

The TCP team focuses on helping patients through their transition period. And, we will work with your new providers if they have any questions as they take over your care.

### Meet the TCP Team



*Susan Hunt, MD*

**Susan Hunt, MD**, is the director of the TCP. She is trained in both adult and pediatric medicine and is certified in both Pediatric and Internal Medicine. She has worked closely with young adult patients with chronic illnesses, both as inpatients and outpatients. She believes that all young adults have the right to reach their full potential, and that maintaining health is key to a successful shift from pediatric to adult care.

Dr. Hunt is an assistant professor of Internal Medicine and Pediatrics at University of Washington. She works with patients at UWMC and Seattle Children's Hospital.



*AnnaMarie Wegener, RN, BSN*

**AnnaMarie Wegener, RN, BSN**, is the nurse care coordinator for the TCP. She is a registered nurse with a Bachelors of Science in Nursing. She has worked in hospitals caring for patients with many different medical issues, including complex orthopedic, neurologic, and vascular conditions.

AnnaMarie feels strongly about putting patients first and focusing on treating the whole person, body, and mind. Her goal is to help patients and families make a seamless transition from pediatric to adult care.



*Lindsey Schramm, MSW, LSWAIC*

**Lindsey Schramm, MSW, LSWAIC**, serves UWMC patients and families as the TCP social worker. Lindsey received her Master's in Social Work from the University of Washington and has an associate Independent Social Work License. Lindsey has worked with children and families at Seattle Children's Hospital, and with infants to adolescents and adults in other health and mental health settings.

Lindsey cares deeply about connecting with each patient and helping them develop and reach their personal goals.