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Johns Hopkins Bayview Medical Center

Early Psychosis Intervention Clinic – Recover After Initial Schizophrenia Episode

A collaborative program for the early identification and treatment of mental illness with psychosis



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Early Psychosis Intervention Clinic – Recovery After Initial Schizophrenia Episode (EPIC–RAISE) is a specialized program for adolescents and young adults, ages 13 to 30, who are having an initial psychotic episode or have been diagnosed with schizophrenia in the last two years. This includes:

- *Hearing or seeing things that others do not see or hear*
- *Having unusual thoughts or beliefs that appear as strange to themselves or others*
- *Feeling fearful or suspicious of others, sometimes including others they usually trust*
- *Isolating themselves from family and friends*

Mission

We use a coordinated specialty care approach to address the health and mental health needs of young adults, including providing support for co-occurring substance use disorders, metabolic issues and other co-occurring medical conditions. The EPIC–RAISE program is committed to reducing disability by equipping individuals at risk and their families with tools to manage their illness, move successfully through the developmental stages of growth and establish a life of their choosing.

Services

EPIC-RAISE offers a variety of comprehensive services to meet the unique needs of our patients and their families, including:

- Individual and family therapy
- Psychiatric evaluations
- Second opinion diagnostic consultations
- Psychological treatment
- Medication management
- Family support groups and education
- Targeted case management
- Supported employment and academic services
- Psychiatric Rehabilitation Program
- Other intensive levels of treatment, if needed

Insurance Information

EPIC–RAISE accepts Medical Assistance (MA), Johns Hopkins EHP, Blue Cross Blue Shield* and TRICARE USFHP.*

**Most policies accepted, with some exceptions. Please contact your insurance company to verify coverage.*

For more information or to make an appointment, please contact:

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EPIC–RAISE is a member of the Maryland Early Intervention Program (EIP) Network, a group of providers participating in Maryland's statewide effort to provide better services for individuals experiencing early psychosis. This is a collaboration between the State of Maryland, University of Maryland and Johns Hopkins Medicine.