

CONNECTION

EATING DISORDER RECOVERY HAPPENS THROUGH CONNECTION



OUR EDUCATION LIAISON, SUSAN HEINEMEYER IS DEDICATED TO SUPPORTING OUR ADOLESCENTS' ACADEMIC NEEDS DURING TREATMENT

Susan Heinemeyer is the Education Liaison for Adolescent PHP patients at Esperanza Eating Disorders Center. She is a Texas Certified Chemistry and Biology teacher who has also taught math but is comfortable tutoring all subjects through high school. She has been tutoring privately for 25 years and working with students in eating disorder treatment for 12 years. Susan advocates for her students with their schools and helps ensure they are receiving required assignments.

Susan has helped students achieve their goals in several academic areas including SAT/ACT prep, AP courses, college applications and GED completion. "My job is to remove obstacles and do everything I can to meet the academic needs of all of our patients so that recovery is attainable" she says.

"It is a joy to come to work and assist our patients with their academic needs. I love this job because it is dynamic. Every student has individual needs and it is rewarding as well as challenging to be able to meet those needs. Some students require tutoring for the lack of classroom instruction while others need extra motivation to help them follow their academic path. I am rewarded by the success of our patients and their enthusiasm for academics. This is a population of gifted students whose academic needs are unique, and it is a delight to work with each and every one."

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"RECOVERY BY DOING HAS MOVED INTO PATIENTS' HOMES AS DIETARY STAFF PROVIDES SUPPORT THROUGH MEAL PREPARATION IN THEIR OWN KITCHENS AND MEALS AT THEIR OWN DINING TABLES."

Susan C. Mengden, PhD, CEDS-s
CEO - Clinical Director



"HAVING A TEEN WITH AN EATING DISORDER AND IN TREATMENT IS EXTREMELY STRESSFUL FOR PARENTS. NAVIGATING THE SCHOOL SYSTEM IS AN ADDITIONAL STRESS THAT I CAN LIGHTEN SO THAT RECOVERY CAN BE THE PARENTS' FOCUS."

Susan Heinemeyer
Education Liaison

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