

Supporting Student Transitions After Psychiatric Inpatient Care: New University of South Dakota Study

Jordanna Kruse, a School Psychology Ph.D. student at the University of South Dakota, is currently conducting a study focused on how school professionals support students with mental health needs. Specifically, the study examines how school psychologists, school counselors, school social workers, school nurses, and administrators support students as they return to school after receiving psychiatric inpatient services, as well as how contextual factors may influence the supports available during this transition.

[This flyer](#) includes additional information about the study, eligibility criteria, and the survey link.

The survey will be available online via Qualtrics until **November 30, 2026**, and will take approximately 15 minutes. Participation is entirely voluntary, and individuals may choose whether or not they would like to participate.

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