



## FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

For more information about Maternal Child Adolescent Treatment Services, please contact us. We offer 24-hour physician coverage for pediatric and adolescent HIV-related medical emergencies.

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**Albany Medical Center:**  
*Improving Patient Care,  
Educating Tomorrow's Doctors,  
Advancing Medical Science.*

Albany Medical Center is the region's only academic health sciences center. It serves more than three million people in northeastern New York and western New England. One of only 125 academic medical centers in the country, Albany Medical Center consists of a teaching hospital and a medical college with biomedical research facilities.

Albany Medical Center's unique regional programs include a state-designated AIDS Treatment Center and a state-designated Regional Resource Center.

The Children's Hospital at Albany Med is the region's only hospital with a trained staff of physicians, nurses and other health care providers who are dedicated exclusively to the care of sick and injured children.



## Maternal Child Adolescent Treatment Services





## OVERVIEW

The Maternal Child Adolescent Treatment Services (MCATS) program at Albany Medical Center serves children and adolescents from birth to age 24. Our team provides comprehensive HIV specialty care and supportive services to:

- HIV-exposed infants
- Infants with HIV
- Children with HIV
- Adolescents with HIV
- Pregnant adolescents with HIV

## OUR MISSION

Our mission is to meet the physical, emotional, and social needs of the young people we serve through a family-centered approach. This unique approach enables us to provide culturally sensitive, age-appropriate care that is designed to each individual's specific needs.

## OUR SERVICES

- HIV disease management
- Clinical care coordination
- Medication adherence support
- Mental health assessments and counseling
- Psychiatric services
- Neuropsychological testing
- Nutritional counseling
- Case management
- Skills development and support to transition adolescents to adult care
- Education and care coordination for pregnant women with HIV to reduce perinatal transmission
- Educational programs
- Child life support services

## OUR TEAM

Directed by Martha Lepow, M.D., our interdisciplinary HIV care team collaborates with the patient's primary medical provider and community-based providers to promote physical and emotional health.

Medical services are delivered by pediatric HIV specialists experienced in managing HIV from infancy through adolescence.

