

HUMAN BINGO – TEEN YEARS

<p>I feel like my teen years were:</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>Here’s what was important to me as a teenager:</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>Here’s how I feel about working with teens:</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
<p>The best thing about being a teen is:</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>The hardest thing about being a teen is:</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>If I could relive my teen years again, I would do this differently:</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
<p>The best thing about working with teens is:</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>The hardest thing about working with teens is:</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>What makes working with teens unique from working with young children and adults?</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>

YOUTH-FRIENDLY BEHAVIORS

1. Accurately discusses and applies **confidentiality**/consent laws with all adolescent patients.
2. Provides and/or supports **fair treatment** and equal opportunity for ALL adolescent patients.
3. **Listens to** and objectively considers what adolescent patients have to say.
4. **Accommodates needs** of individual adolescent patients (tardiness, bringing a friend along, etc.)
5. Uses **positive body language** and an approachable, warm tone in communicating with adolescents.
6. Patiently **helps** adolescents **navigate** referrals and any other **systems** that may be challenging.
7. **Avoids** using **medical jargon** when communicating with adolescents.
8. Uses sensitivity and maintains neutral language and body language with adolescents, **withholding judgment** related to sensitive subjects, such as sexual health, substance use, interpersonal violence, sexual orientation, gender and personal expression, and mental health.