

## National patient overview

In autumn 2013, Älmhult Municipality's school health service introduced a record-keeping partnership with Kronoberg County Council. It is called the national patient overview and will ensure safer and more effective care.

It means that school nurses and school doctors working in the school health service will have the opportunity to access a child's information in the Kronoberg County Council patient records. The County Council also has the same opportunity to access the school health service's information. This will make medical care for the child safer and more effective.

The national patient overview will give school nurses and school doctors who work with the child in school access to information about medications, treatments and lab tests. This will lead to an overall view of the child's situation and minimise repeated work.

### Block information

Participation in the national patient overview is not obligatory. According to the Patient Data Act, you have the right to block access to records. In this case, you are responsible for giving healthcare providers information that may affect treatment.

Children and adolescents under the age of 18 may also block information in their records. However, parents may not block information about their children. Read more about the national overview at [1177.se](http://1177.se).

However, information from the following units is not available in the national patient overview from the Kronoberg County Council:

- Auroramottagningen clinic
- Child and adolescent psychiatry clinic
- Ekeliden
- Independent schools in Älmhult Municipality
- Växjö women's clinic - diagnoses before Cosmic (2004)
- Regional forensic psychiatry clinic
- SESAM sexual health clinic in Ljungby/Växjö
- STI clinic Växjö
- Växjö youth clinic
- Kronoberg adult psychiatry

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