Student who is currently taking psychotropic medications and needs a prescriber while at Colgate.

It is not uncommon for a student to come to Colgate carrying a diagnosis of a mental health condition such as Depression, Anxiety, Panic Disorder, etc. If your treatment plan includes medication we encourage students to continue receiving prescriptions from their home provider if possible. Of course this is not always an option and the Health Center can often assist with prescribing medications and monitoring symptoms. The student/parent should contact our office to discuss the specific needs of the student. Below are some specific guidelines:

1. Please provide name and contact information of the home provider (prescriber)
2. Psychiatric records including evaluation, diagnosis, recent progress notes and medication regimen (release of medical information will need to be signed).
3. Schedule an appointment at the Health Center for consultation.

It is encouraged to bring at least a month supply of medication with them when first arriving on campus and to maintain a relationship with their home provider as well (for over the extended holidays and summer breaks).