



4 TENETS OF EDUCATION AS MEDICINE

An educated, well-informed patient will likely achieve better treatment outcomes.



Effective education allows patients to make well-informed medical decisions



A patient's level of knowledge about their condition can affect symptom severity, function, and quality of life



The best-designed exam rooms allow patients and examining physicians to sit at the same height to better facilitate communication



Research shows that shared medical decision-making between patient and provider results in better treatment outcomes

