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National Child Traumatic Stress Network

NCTSN has resources for talking with children about the recent shooting in Connecticut. There are also resources useful for parents.

Resources for Response to Connecticut School Shooting:

• Talking to Children about the Shooting
• Psychological Impact of the Recent Shooting
• Tip Sheet for Youth Talking to Journalists about the Shooting
• Tips for Parents on Media Coverage
• Parent Guidelines for Helping Youth after the Recent Shooting

These resources can be found on the NCTSN website, and all PDFs are printable.

This Website also includes tips for helping children who have experienced natural disasters and personal abuse—as well as other types of trauma.