

NAGC

 National Alliance for
Grieving Children

Fall Conference & Webcast

on Children's Grief

NAGC'S half-day webcast on Community Tragedy, Youth, & Schools

**November is Children's Grief Awareness Month.
Join us for this Live Webcast on Children's Grief!**

Supporting Youth and Schools After a Community Tragedy

Death, dying, and bereavement are unfortunate themes that appear almost daily in news headlines. Rarely is there any discussion on a national level as to how community tragedy impacts the lives of children and teenagers.

This webcast will provide insight into the challenges faced by children and teenagers impacted by a community tragedy.

Our presenters will provide practical information and advice for supporting children and teenagers in the aftermath of a tragedy. They will share information about how to talk to children about tragedy, how to engage the community, and ways to offer support throughout the grieving process.

Hosting a LIVE Webcast viewing event is an easy and affordable way to:

- Educate Your Community
- Offer Innovative Training to Staff, Volunteers and/or Board Members
- Enhance your local relationships by inviting social workers, local funeral professionals, hospice care workers, educators, and mental health professionals.
- Make it a Free Event or a Fundraiser! You decide to charge a fee or not.

Speakers:

Session I: "Lessons Learned to Promote Positive Outcomes when Responding to Traumatic Events"

Presented by: Donna L. Schuurman, Ed.D.

Donna L. Schuurman, Ed.D. is Sr. Director of Advocacy & Training at The Dougy Center for Grieving Children & Families, since 1986. She has trained the NTSB and FBI's Rapid Deployment teams, as well as medical personnel, NGO staff and caregivers following major disasters around the world.

Session II: "Supporting Students and Staff in the Aftermath of Crisis"

Presented by: David J Schonfeld, MD

David J Schonfeld, MD, is a developmental-behavioral pediatrician and Director of the National Center for School Crisis and Bereavement. He is a member the American Academy of Pediatrics Disaster Preparedness Advisory Council and served as a Commissioner for both the National Commission on Children and Disasters and the Sandy Hook Advisory Commission in CT.

Session III: "Partnering with Schools to Support Grieving Students"

Presented by: Meghan Szafran, MS, CT and Kevin Carter, MSW, LCSW

Meghan Szafran and Kevin Carter are staff at The Center for Grieving Children in Philadelphia, PA, and are instrumental in their school-based grief program.

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Thursday, November 8, 2018

Supporting Youth and Schools After a Community Tragedy

Where: Streamed LIVE from Princeton, NJ

Time: 11:30 am – 3:30 pm EST
10:30 am – 2:30 pm CST
9:30 am – 1:30 pm MST
8:30 am – 12:30 pm PST

HOST A LIVE WEBCAST VIEWING EVENT:

Cost: \$150.00 - Non-members
\$125.00 - NAGC members
+\$50.00 Administrative fee, plus \$25.00 per person for NAGC to offer 4.5 CE's through a CEU sponsor for Psychologists, Counselors, MFT's & Social Workers

Register as a host site by Nov 1: ChildrenGrieve.org

Questions: Megan.Lopez@childrengrieve.org

Local Member Host:

