

Talking to children



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- *Helping traumatized children: A brief overview for caregivers* by Dr. B. D. Perry: This booklet is one in a series created to assist parents, caregivers, teachers, and various professionals working with maltreated and traumatized children to help them understand the reactions that often follow traumatic events in children. This booklet could also be helpful to caseworkers, teachers, and other family members and adults working and living with traumatized children.
- David Baldwin's Trauma Information Pages deal with emotional trauma and traumatic stress; of note is the *Principles of Work with Traumatized Children* section under the *Childhood Trauma* section. See <www.trauma-pages.com/>.
- Birman, D. (2002). *Mental health of refugee children: A guide for the ESL teacher*. Denver, Colorado: Spring Institute for Intercultural Learning. This resource for English as a second language educators deals specifically with cultural and mental health issues for refugee youth. See <www.springinstitute.com>.
- *Genogram exercise with older students*. This exercise should be used with caution because certain questions may seem invasive for newcomer youth. See <www.uky.edu/Classes/FAM/357/fam544/genogram.html>.