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**RED FLAGS   
Displayed by Children after the Death of a Loved One**

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| **Withdrawal** | **Guilt** | **Aggressive Behaviors** | **Panic Attacks** | **Declining Grades** | **Turning to Alcohol and/or Drugs** |
| **Denying the Death Occurred** | **Suicidal Thoughts** | **Homicidal Thoughts** | **Frequent Nightmares** | **Becoming Intensely Interested in Death or Things that are Dead** | **Risky Behaviors (ex. Sexual Promiscuity, Disregard for Health or  Well-Being)** |

These are some common behaviors displayed by children and teens after the death of a loved one, which may be cause for concern. Children and teens may also react to a death in ways that you do not consider troubling behavior. Perhaps your child may not be exhibiting some of these red flags, but there could be other underlying emotions and reactions that are not obvious.

**If you have any questions or concerns about your child’s behavior, please contact your child’s medical provider. The Samaritan Center for Grief Support is here to address questions. We can be reached M-F between 8:30 AM and 4 PM at 856-596-8550.**

**In the event of an emergency or crisis situation,   
please contact your area’s local crisis intervention agency.**

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| **Atlantic County:**  **Pysch Intervention Program at Atlanticare Regional Medical Center**- Atlantic City 609-344-1118 | **Burlington County:**  **Screening and Crisis Intervention Program (SCIP)-** Mt. Holly  609-261-8000 | **Camden County:**  **Oaks Integrated Care**- Cherry Hill 856-428-4357 |
| **Cape May County:**  **Agenda Integrated Health-** Cape May Court House 609-465-5999 | **Cumberland County:**  **Cumberland County Guidance Center at Inspira Medical Center-** Bridgeton 856-455-5555 | **Gloucester County:**  **Agenda Integrated Health-** Woodbury 856-845-9100 |
| **Mercer County:**  **Emergency Mental Health Services-Psychiatric Screening at Capital Health-** 609-396-HELP (4356) | |  | **Salem County:**  **Healthcare Commons Inc. at Memorial Hospital System of Salem County-** Salem 856-299-3001 |

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