National Bereavement Resource Guide

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We’re there for you
An extensive guide to aid those in need

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Wherever children and their families are grieving, and wherever they are in the grieving process, we are here to help.

New York Life is proud to partner with Eluna to provide the enclosed compilation of state and local resources—camps and grief organizations organized by state, plus books and websites for children and their families experiencing loss.

The New York Life Foundation (www.newyorklifefoundation.org) has long been focused on serving children in need. In 2008, the Foundation expanded that focus to include an initiative to help children deal with the loss of a parent, caregiver or sibling and to help parents deal with the emotional turmoil that results from the death of a close family member. We believe this comprehensive guide will provide the necessary resources and directory of services to help support grieving families in communities across the country. In addition, we’ve developed a bereavement website that can help—www.AChildinGrief.com.

Eluna (elunanetwork.org) is a public, 501(c)(3) non-profit with a mission to support children and families impacted by grief or addiction. Founded in 2000 in Seattle by former MLB pitcher Jamie Moyer and child advocate Karen Phelps Moyer, Eluna was originally called The Moyer Foundation and launched a series of programs supporting thousands of children and families annually at no cost to them. Camp Erin® is the largest national network of grief programs for bereaved children and teens, Camp Mariposa® is a national addiction prevention and mentoring program for youth impacted by a family member’s substance use disorder, and the Eluna Resource Center offers online tools, local referrals and personalized phone and email support for families experiencing grief, addiction and other related issues.
One out of every 20 children age 15 or younger will suffer the loss of one or both parents. (U.S. Census Bureau stat, About.com)
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Grief Camps

Camp Erin – Eastern Ontario
Carefor Health & Community Services
Cornwall, ON
613-932-3451
205 Amelia Street, Suite 100
Cornwall, ON K6H 3P3
www.carefor.ca
camperin@carefor.ca

Camp Erin – Toronto
Dr. Jay Children’s Grief Centre
Toronto, ON
(416) 360-1111
82 Lombard Street Suite 112
Toronto, ON M5C 2S8
www.drajchildrensgriefcentre.ca
camperin@griefcentre.org

Camp Erin – Montreal
Sylvan Adams YM-YWHA
Montreal, QC
(514) 737-6551
5400 Westbury Ave
Montreal QC H3W 2W8
www.ymywha.com
camperin@ymywha.com

Horse Whisperer Grief Camp
British Columbia
(604) 795-4660
45360 Hodgins Avenue
Chilliwack, BC V2P 1PE
www.chilliwackhospice.org

Camp Kerry
British Columbia
(604) 553-4663
145 East Columbia Street
New Westminster, BC V3L 3W2
www.campkerry.org
info@campkerry.org

Brandon Regional Health Authority
Brandon
(204) 578-2300
150A 7th Street
Brandon, MB R7A 7M2
www.brandonrha.mb.ca

Camp Day & Grief Busters Day Camp
Ontario
(705) 721-5437
38 McDonald Street
Barrie, ON L4M 1P1
www.grievingchildren.com

Rainbows
Ontario
(705) 726-7407
80 Bradford Street, Suite 514
Barrie, ON L4N 6S7
www.rainbows.ca

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Hospices & Grief Organizations

Langley Hospice
Langley
(604) 530-1115
20660 48 Avenue
Langley, BC V3A 3L6
http://www.langleyhospice.com
info@langleyhospice.com

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info@carefor.ca

Dr. Bob Kemp Hospice
Hamilton
(905) 387-2448 ext. 2214
277 Stone Church Rd. East
Hamilton, ON L9B 1B1
www.kemphospice.org

Southern Health-Santé Sud
Southport
(204) 428-2720 or (800) 742-6509
180 Centennaire Drive
Southport, MB R0H 1N0
www.rha-central.mb.ca

Prairie Mountain Health
Souris
(888) 682-2253 or (204) 483-5000
192 1st Avenue West, Box 579
Souris, MB R0K 2C0
www.prairiemountainhealth.ca

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www.drjaychildrensgriefcentre.ca

Mount Sinai Hospital’s and Max and Beatrice Wolfe Children’s Centre
Toronto
(416) 596-4200
600 University Avenue
Toronto, ON M5G 1X5
www.tlcpc.org

The Equinox Centre for Grief and Trauma Counselling
Toronto
(416) 738-2812
80 Carlton Street, Suite 10
Toronto, ON M5B 1L6
http://www.equinoxcounselling.ca