**Additional Resources**

**Children in Crisis Topics**

**Homelessness**

[**Bright Spaces**](https://www.brightspaces.org/who-we-are/mission-and-history/)

[National Center on Family Homelessness](http://www.air.org/center/national-center-family-homelessness)

[How America Became a Country That Lets Little Kids Go Homeless](http://www.alternet.org/story/156337/how_america_became_a_country_that_lets_little_kids_go_homeless?page=0%2C0)

[Reagan’s Legacy: Homelessness in America](http://www.nhi.org/online/issues/135/reagan.html)

[Welfare Limits Left Poor Adrift as Recession Hit](http://www.nytimes.com/2012/04/08/us/welfare-limits-left-poor-adrift-as-recession-hit.html?_r=1&pagewanted=all)

[Extreme Poverty in the United States, 1996 to 2011](http://npc.umich.edu/publications/policy_briefs/brief28/policybrief28.pdf)

[How People Learn to Become Resilient](http://www.newyorker.com/science/maria-konnikova/the-secret-formula-for-resilience)

**Domestic Violence**

[National Center on Domestic Violence, Trauma and Mental Health](http://www.nationalcenterdvtraumamh.org/)

**Trauma**

[National Center for Trauma-Informed Care](https://www.samhsa.gov/nctic)

**Children of Incarcerated Parents**

[RutgersNational Resource Center on Children and the Families of the Incarcerated](http://nrccfi.camden.rutgers.edu/)

[San Francisco Children of Incarcerated Parents](http://www.sfcipp.org/)

[A Sentence For Two](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=q7sgBhIEkkI&feature=youtu.be) (video)

[Born Behind Bars](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=11U6Lh5Fo2Q&feature=youtu.be) (video)

[What About Us?](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iOXJa-4EBBw&feature=youtu.be) (video)

[Prisoners and Families: Parenting Issues During Incarceration](https://aspe.hhs.gov/basic-report/prisoners-and-families-parenting-issues-during-incarceration#Parent)

**Recommended Websites**

[Hear Us](http://www.hearus.us/)

[Institute for Children, Poverty, and Homelessness](http://www.icphusa.org/)

[National Low Income Housing Coalition](http://nlihc.org/oor/2012)

[Text4baby](https://www.text4baby.org/)

[National Child Traumatic Stress Network](http://www.nctsn.org/)

[National Survey of Programs and Services for Homeless Families](http://www.redwhiteandbluebook.org/statedata.asp?year=4&state=us_ms&report=1#26)

[Harvard Center for the Developing Child](http://developingchild.harvard.edu/)

[National Alliance to End Homelessness](http://www.endhomelessness.org/)

[Zero to Three](https://www.zerotothree.org/)

[Vroom- Resources for Building Literacy](http://joinvroom.org/)

[Too Small to Fail](http://toosmall.org/)

[Traveling TuTus](http://www.travelingtutus.org/)

[The Birthday Party Project](https://www.thebirthdaypartyproject.org/)

[Art Start NYC](http://www.art-start.org/)

[Children’s Defense Fund](http://www.childrensdefense.org/)

[Pajama Program](http://pajamaprogram.org/)

**Resources for Agencies Working with Children in Crisis**

[PowerMyLearning](http://powermylearning.org/)

[Jump Math](https://www.jumpmath.org/jump/webinars_2)

[Internet Essentials](http://www.internetessentials.com/) for low cost internet access and computer

[e-DECA 2.0](https://www.e-deca2.org/)  – screening and evaluation tool for agencies

[Belly Breathe with Elmo](http://youtu.be/_mZbzDOpylA) – Exercise to calm children

[Protective Factors: Enhancing Resilience in Young Children and Families](http://www.nctsn.org/content/protective-factors-enhancing-resilience-young-children-and-families) – Information on Protective Factors to build resilience in children and families experiencing trauma

[Trauma Smart](http://traumasmart.org/resources/) – An interesting program to support kids impacted by Trauma

[Spring Board Collaborative](http://springboardcollaborative.org/what-we-do/the-model/) Interesting program in Phila to boost student achievement

[Activities Guide: Enhancing and Practicing Executive Function Skills with Children from Infancy to Adolescence](http://developingchild.harvard.edu/resources/activities-guide-enhancing-and-practicing-executive-function-skills-with-children-from-infancy-to-adolescence/) – Resources to assist Parents or programs with activities by age group to build Executive Function skills

[Pathways.org](http://pathways.org/) – Physical Therapists offer videos and other info about the importance of Tummy Time for infants and other great information.

[The InterNetwork for Youth](http://www.in4y.com/online-library.html) – Library of articles by expert in Youth Development for teen programs

[Essentials for Childhood Framework: Steps to Create Safe, Stable, Nurturing Relationships and Environments for All Children](http://www.cdc.gov/violenceprevention/childmaltreatment/essentials/) – Creating safe, supportive nurturing relationships to prevent Child Maltreatment

[Building Dignity: Design Strategies for Domestic Violence Shelter](http://buildingdignity.wscadv.org/site-design/empower/) – Design Strategies for Domestic Violence shelters

[Good360](http://good360.org/) – Receive free products just by registering.

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[HUD Family Options Study](https://www.huduser.gov/portal/family_options_study.htm) (2016)

**Other Resources:**

[TED TALK](https://www.ted.com/speakers/nadine_burke_harris_1)

[Office of the Administration of Children and Families Self -Assessment Tool](https://www.acf.hhs.gov/ecd/interagency-projects/ece-services-for-homeless-children/self-assessment-tool-family-shelters)