Trauma is an emotional response to a terrible event. Trauma can occur from a single experience or prolonged experiences. Trauma is a frightening or violent event that can pose a threat to how you feel physically and/or how you feel emotionally inside.

**Traumatic events might include:**

- Violence
- Racism
- Neglect
- Grief and Loss
- Physical or emotional abuse
- Pandemic related isolation

**Trauma can feel like:**

- Stomach Aches
- Headaches
- Easily Frightened
- Clinging to Adults
- Feeling aggressive
- No Energy
- Difficult to console
- Outbursts of Anger

**For Help, Contact:**

Member Services 888-545-2600
(ask about Intensive Behavioral Health Services, Phila. Alliance for Child Trauma Services, and Trauma-Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy)

Children's Crisis Treatment Center 215-496-0707

Network of Neighbors 267-233-4837
(responds to trauma in communities)

**You can expect:**

- Resources and the connections for needed services and supports
- Children and families receive the help they need
- Ongoing support as needed

**For more tips and resources visit**

[DBHIDS.ORG/TRAUMA](http://DBHIDS.ORG/TRAUMA)

Sources: City of Philadelphia Office of Children and Families.
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Numbers to Know 24/7
Suicide and Crisis Lifeline 988 or 215-686-6440

Children's Resources
DHS Helpline Court Appointed Advocates Center for Child Protection
267-519-5326 267-519-5326 215-590-4923

Places to Go for behavioral health emergencies
Children's Crisis Response Center Children’s Crisis Treatment Center
3300 Henry Ave., Falls Center 2, Suite 3N 1080 N Delaware Ave., 6th Fl.
215-878-2600 215-496-0707

Websites to Visit
For 24/7 online behavioral health screenings, Mental Health First Aid trainings, events, and resources, visit HealthyMindsPhilly.org
To find mental health and substance use services and providers for Medicaid recipients online, visit CBHPhilly.org
PACTS serves youth in Philadelphia who have experienced potentially traumatic events and are living with traumatic stress. PhiladelphiaPACTS.org

For more resources, use your cell phone camera to scan the QR code or visit DBHIDS.ORG/BOOST
wellness • behavioral health • intellectual disability early intervention • community supports

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