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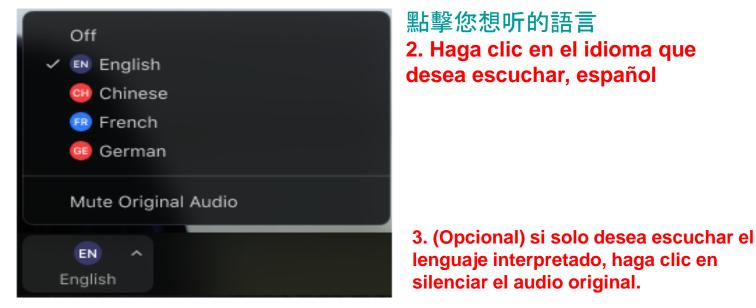


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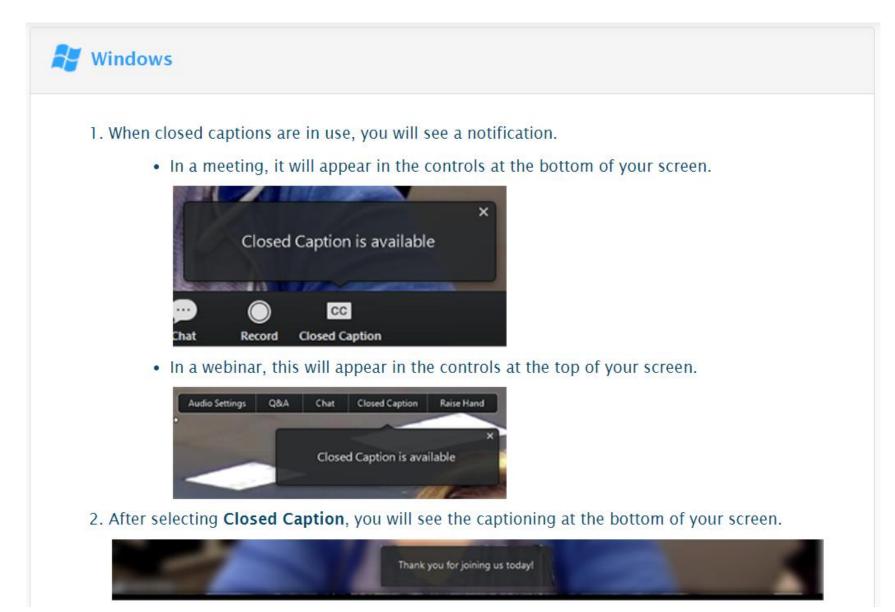
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Education Challenges During the COVID-19 Pandemic for Children with Special Health Care Needs and their Families

Part 1: "Choosing peace over choosing to be the perfect parent:" Family Mental Health Challenges

Monday, September 21, 2020



Welcome

Presenters



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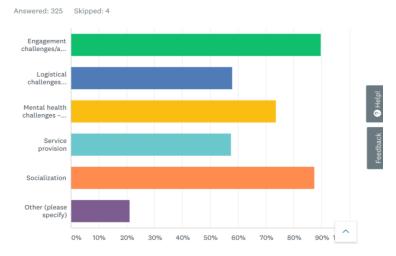


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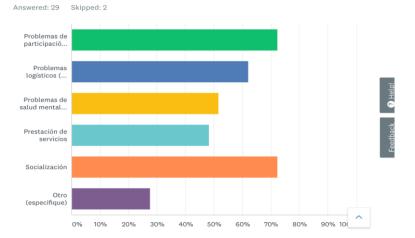
Key Survey Results

- •360 responses
 - 329 English- speaking
 - 31 Spanish-speaking
- 73% characterized distance learning in the spring as a negative experience
- 75% reported high levels of distress
- 86% reported significant disruption to routines
- 51% felt ill-equipped to manage the demands of online schooling

If your child is enrolled at a school that is online in the fall, please put a check next to ALL of the following concerns that are important to you and your family.



Si su hijo está inscrito en una escuela que está en línea en el otoño, coloque una marca junto a TODAS las siguientes inquietudes que son importantes para usted y su familia.



Primary Concerns

Quote

"In the end, I'm still exhausted and frustrated and my son is struggling." --Survey Parent

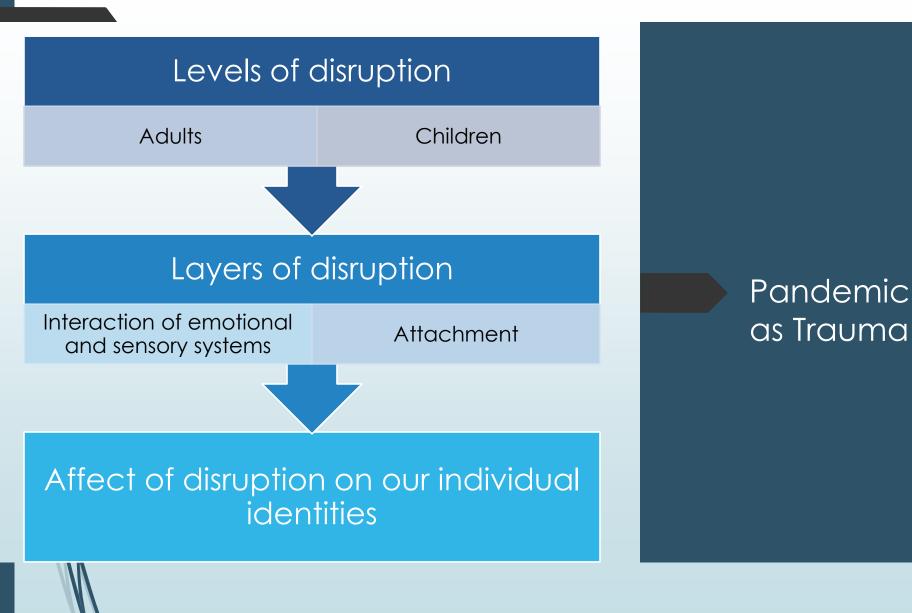


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Regulation Comes First

Lindy Joffe, MS, OTR/L Family Voices Health Summit September 21, 2020



Regulation Comes First

First developmental milestone – calm and alert

• Foundational to all else

Big picture thinking

- Anxiety \rightarrow narrowed vision
 - Built into our sensory systems

Look for the calm

- What regulates your child?
- What regulates you?
- Prioritize this

Strategies

Familycentered

- Quality time
- Family games
- Flexibility
- Stopping unhelpful activities, including academics if necessary
- Wellness strategies (sleep, healthy foods, supplements)
- Trying to stay relaxed in child's presence
- Online social engagement
- Holistic approach to education

Childcentered

- Not pushing too much/forcing it
- Extra love and attention
- Sensory breaks
- Social stories
- Meaningful activities
- Walks
- Exercise
- Structure
- Visual schedules/routines
- Rewards

Parentcentered

- Support groups
- Mindfulness
- Yoga
- Gardening
- Walks
- Starting the day with exercise
- Being the squeaky wheel

Balance

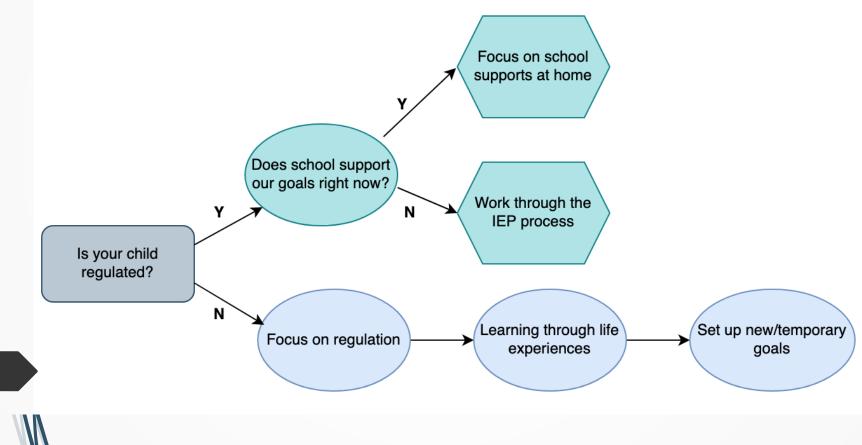
I have learned I have to rely on my "inner voice" and my heart to tell me "enough is enough". I am not going to drive myself crazy and work hard for someone else to get paid! I have to take it day by day and do as much as I possibly can and make sure my family is happy and healthy.

--survey parent

The best things I have done that are actually sustainable are the activities that all three kids and I can participate in: we've made up our own board games, we do treasure hunts, we play games, and we take turns with the AAC device.

--survey parent

Learning in the Time of COVID



Crisis and Opportunity Support for parents and children during COVID19





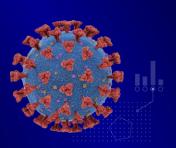
Stress influences learning

- Help children feel regulated and safe to promote readiness to learn
- Titrate stress so it is moderate, controllable and predictable
- Prolonged stress=exhaustion, decreased focus and increased irritability

No control over COVID-19

Threats from our environment lead to feelings associated with trauma

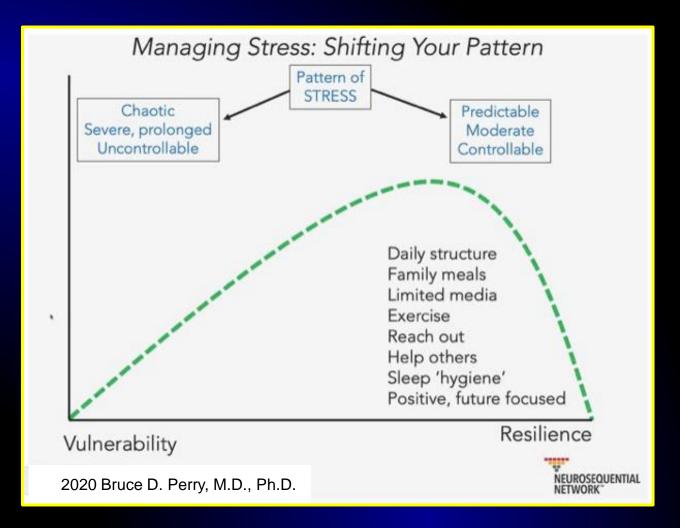
- Vulnerable
- Exposed
- Scared
- Isolated





Fear is the psychological interpretation of our physiological state

- Stress creates defensive actions that cause dysregulation
- Social behavior regulates the child's physiological state
- A dysregulated child is asking for help "please put me in a calm place"
- Time out / isolation increases physiological stress
- Co-regulation increases the sense of safety



What we can do to manage stress

Build resilience

- Resilient children have someone who helps them feel safe and secure
- Provide daily structure including family meals, time together off screens, exercise, sleep patterns
- Reach out frequently, even briefly, to your community and family
- Help others

Our current goals in mental health and education

Focus on relationship, safety and regulation

- Make all learning meaningful to the child
- Join and expand on your child's ideas
- Focus on playful interaction with shared pleasure
- Be sensitive to cultural characteristics that influence child rearing practices
- Acknowledge the stressful conditions around us

Joy and Laughter Relieve Stress



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