

## BEST PRACTICE MODELS

### BEST PRACTICE MODELS for Prevention of Mental Disorders

#### [2] Selective Programs

- a) Biological factors
  - i Post-natal depression
  - ii Children with chronic illnesses
  - iii Children with learning difficulties
- b) Psychological factors
  - i Children experiencing grief and loss
  - ii Children with disruptive behaviours
- c) Social factors
  - i Indigenous families
  - ii Immigrant families
  - iii Children involved with bullying
  - iv Children in out-of-home care

#### **[2 b i ] Psychological factors: Children experiencing grief and loss**

Best Practice management of children experiencing grief and loss involves following the approaches outlined by “Emerging Minds” as paraphrased in Project Evidence PE2b i to be followed by discussion with the family General Practitioner including potential referral to a clinical psychologist in the event of persistent symptomatology.

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