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4	Trauma, depression, and self-blame following stillbirth	Eran Shadach
6	Transitional Bereavement Support in the Flemish Healthcare Landscape: An Exploratory Analysis of Protocols and Practices	Sophie Elizabeth Frans Albrecht
13	The factors that promote and hinder the coping of siblings of homicide victims after a homicide death in Finland	Anna Liisa Aho
26	A Decade of Bereavement Response Policies in Education, What We Have Learned and Why It Matters	Martin Blinkenberg Lytje
74	Cultural Scripts of Grief: A Cross-Cultural Qualitative Research with consideration of temporal associations	Jiaqi Liu
106	Posttraumatic growth among siblings bereaved by a drug-related death: a mixed-method study	Monika Alvestad Reime
111	Navigating childhood grief. Developing parent-child communication when a parent has a terminal illness: A scoping review of family-focused, pre-bereavement interventions.	Kate Wells
114	Bereaved siblings' stories of drug-related death	Gunhild Meen
118	Young Children's Grief After Parental Loss: Perspectives from Children Aged 3–8	Malene Hoffmann Buskbjerg, Maja O'Connor, Rikke Smedegaard Rosbjerg
123	Learning to Care for the Dead and the Bereaved: Nursing Students' Experiences in Emergency Departments	Dorthe Gaby Bove
139	Including children in intensive care bereavement: an experience-based co-design approach to family challenges at end of life	Annelies Rowland
140	A Qualitative Investigation of Prolonged Grief Symptoms and Post-traumatic Growth in People Who Experienced Loss During the COVID-19 Period	Melis Gun Ertan
147	Interspecies Grief Experiences Supported by Literary Art Therapy (Short Stories) in Middle Childhood: A Phenomenological Approach	Luis Smith Guzmán Mercado
149	Same or Different? Comparison of Grief Experiences Following Bereavement, Romantic Relationship Dissolution and Relocation	Antje Janshen
150	Loss Experiences, Grief, and Recovery in Forensic Psychiatric Inpatients: A Qualitative Study	Berber Brouwer
152	Bereaved Parents' Experiences of Psychosocial Interventions in Hospital-Based Perinatal Bereavement Care in Ireland	Jiaying Xie
162	Coping profiles of relatives of missing persons in Tajikistan	Hannah Comtesse
192	Factors Associated with the Experience of Bereaved Adults: Preliminary Results from an Umbrella Review	Deborah Ummel
233	Understanding Loss and Grievability: An Existential Framework	Allan Køster
252	When the World Breaks: Grief and Loss in Illness and Old Age	Carl Bäckersten
262	The Role of Emergency Chaplains in a Coherent Bereavement Response	Annemarie Dencker
269	Grief, a Private Matter? Social Issues in Fragmented Bereavement Support	Aurélie Jung
274	"Acknowledge my grief" - experiences and needs of bereavement support in Sweden following the death of a loved one	Rakel Eklund

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300	Bereavement and Parenting. A Longitudinal Thematic Analysis of Bereaved Parents with Minor Children	Marie-Frédérique Bacque
311	Making Invisible Grief Visible: Supporting Bereaved Friends	Orna Shemer
320	Factors that Shape Bereaved Relatives' Experience of Care at End of Life: Findings from an Irish National Survey	Sonia Rennicks
335	When What Was Left Unsaid Still Matters: Unfinished Business, Prolonged Grief and Posttraumatic Growth	Margarida Ferreira De Almeida
336	When Kinship Is Not Enough: Relationship Quality, Proximity and Prolonged Grief in Portuguese Bereaved	Margarida Ferreira De Almeida
349	Bereavement support guidelines for caregivers in palliative care: a scoping review	Alexandra Coelho
350	Development and Validation of the Relational Needs in Grief Scale (RNGS)	Alexandra Coelho
355	Financial Consequences of Bereavement: Evidence from a National Survey in Ireland	Amanda Roberts
385	Grief Politics: COVID-19-related Loss and Collective Action in Brazil	Natashe Lemos Dekker
386	Background Factors and Prevention of Intrafamilial Homicides in Finland	Anna Liisa Aho
391	Bereavement need and support in palliative and cancer care: A public health perspective	Wendy Lichtentahl, Amanda Roberts, Maja Furlan De Brito, Nicole Forster
403	Local Bereavement Networks: situating and supporting bereavement in the community	Nicole Forster
406	Co-creating a Specialised Bereavement Support Training Curriculum: An Educational Design Research Study in Portugal	Cristina Felizardo
411	On Grief in Contemporary Sweden	Johanna Karin Skoglund
418	Reconstructing the "Good Death": A Bibliometric and Critical Interpretive Synthesis	Ekaterina Bochanova
419	Latent profiles of Prolonged Grief, PTSD, and Depression following pandemic and non pandemic losses in a Brazilian sample	Alice Abadi, Laura Bolaséll
423	Investigation of Variables Predicting Posttraumatic Growth in People with Death-Related Loss: Core Beliefs, Ruminations, and Self-Compassion	Melis Gun Ertan
425	Reimagining grief through creativity and aesthetics: presenting 2026 book 'Creative and Aesthetic Ways of Grief: All Things Reimagined'	Mórna O'Connor
427	Relationship between Religiosity and Awareness of Death: Resulting a Quantitative Study	Nikita Bogachev
462	Translation, adaptation and validation of the Prolonged Grief Disorder Revised (PG-13-R) for the Portuguese population in a palliative care setting	Mayra Delalibera
465	Social Functioning in Parents Bereaved by Cancer: A Qualitative Exploration	Maya Goldman

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42	Exploring emotion regulation flexibility in bereavement using ecological momentary assessment	Fiona Maccallum
62	Profiles of mental health indicators among Ukrainian people recently bereaved in the context of the full-scale Russian invasion	Justina Pociūnaitė-Ott
66	Parents' Experiences of Facing their Child's End-of-Life	Avital Gershfeld-Litvin
82	Embodied Identity Reconstruction in Grief: A Tripartite Model	Liza Barros-Lane
103	How Loss Shapes Mental Processes: A Review of Implicit Biases	Ben Joris Mischer
109	Group versus individual grief therapy for older adults: Results from a randomized non-inferiority trial	Malene Hoffmann Buskbjerg
116	Grief Over the Loss of a Partner: The Bed as a Trigger for Emotional Distress	Valentin Rodil Gavala
133	Does Treatment Effectiveness for Prolonged Grief Disorder Differ Between Younger and Older Adults?	Franziska Prüller
136	Quality over Quantity in Social Contact? - An Ecological Momentary Assessment Study with Bereaved Adults.	Julia Achtenberg
141	Mental Imagery After Natural and Unnatural Loss: Associations With Prolonged Grief Symptoms and Wish for Image Change	Katja Pia Schnitzler
158	Measuring Counterfactual Thinking In Grief	John Arthur Leman
180	Testing the Body-Focused Emotional Acceptance and Release Technique (BEAR) in Severe Grief: A Randomized Controlled Experiment	Kelly Elvira Maria Leenen
181	"We miss being on the map alongside others." Civil society organizations and bereavement support in cases of drug-related deaths in Norway.	Aina Løberg, Monika Reime, Kjersti Halvorsen
185	Symptom profiles and cognitive-behavioural correlates of symptoms of prolonged grief disorder, depression and suicidality in PGD patients - A contribution to the symposium "Cognitive Mechanisms in Prolonged Grief"	Sarah Debus
186	The Role of Attachment Dimensions and Grief-Related Cognitions in Treatment-Related Symptom Change in Prolonged Grief Disorder - A contribution to the symposium "Cognitive Mechanisms in Prolonged Grief"	Anna-Maria Rummel
187	Attention biases towards loss-related images - A contribution to the symposium "Cognitive Mechanisms in Prolonged Grief"	Stefanie Seeman
205	Can Prolonged Grief Follow Companion Animal Loss? Evidence From a Prospective Study	Marcin M. Sekowski
209	Parents experiences of peer support following unexpected, sudden or violent child loss	Trine Giving Kalstad
213	Development and pilot evaluation of an Ecological Momentary Intervention for subclinical grief, for bereaved Swiss adults	Ayala Licht-Handler
225	Narrative Exposure Therapy for Traumatic Grief: A Bayesian Evaluation of Treatment Outcomes	Jagoda Jurewicz
226	Qualitative insights on the lived experience of prolonged grief disorder	Lars Petter Bergsmark
227	Imagery Rescripting in the Treatment of Prolonged Grief Disorder	Franziska Lechner-Meichsner

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228	Development and Initial Validation of the Grief Training Needs Assessment Scale (GTNAS)	Alexandra Coelho
238	Emotional Transformation as a Mechanism of Change in Brief Videoconference Emotion-Focused Grief Therapy	Alejandro De la Traba
239	Working Through Loss: An Emotion-Focused Therapy Case Study of Prolonged Grief Disorder	Pablo Cortina
242	Between Death and Captivity: Ambiguous Loss and Multisystemic Disrupted Bereavement of Deceased-Hostage Families	Einat Yehene
244	Posttraumatic Growth and Posttraumatic Stress Following Bereavement in a Nationally Representative Sample of Icelandic Adults	Karen Birna Thorvaldsdottir
272	Exploring reactivity effects of self-monitoring prolonged grief reactions in daily life: A randomized waitlist-controlled trial using experience sampling methodology	Minita Franzen
273	Development of the GriefSupportApp for prolonged grief following traumatic loss: Study protocol for co-creation, micro-randomized trial and mixed-method pilot study	Veerle Van Garling
279	Crisis management plans in Swedish primary schools: do they address death and grief?	Rakel Eklund
281	Being in School After a Family Member's Death: Children's, Young Adults' and Parents' Experiences of Grief in Swedish Primary School Context	Rakel Eklund
296	Collaborative development of an arts and compassion-focused bereavement programme for women following pregnancy loss: Findings from The PEARL Study Pilot Trial	Áine Aventin
301	Effects of a Self-Management Mobile Health App for Grieving Adolescents: A Randomised Controlled Trial	Josefin Sveen
308	An Experience Sampling Assessment of Grief Symptomatology in Switzerland, Rwanda, and Viet Nam	Pelin Sila Gelmez
325	Women's Mental Health across the Life-Course: Grief Experiences in Non-Terminal Female Cancer Patients	Taegen Michelle Josephine Mcphee
342	Twice Bereft: Understanding Psychological Impact and Supporting Bereavement Care	Emma Quadlander-Goff, Jill Meyer
361	Unfinished business as a mediator between posttraumatic stress symptoms and prolonged grief symptoms	Eunice Liliana Dias Barbosa
375	A longitudinal study of help-seeking during the first year of bereavement: Implications for practice and policy	Fiona Maccallum
395	My Grief My Way: Development of an online Acceptance and Commitment Therapy (ACT) resource to improve coping and quality of life after bereavement.	Anne Finucane
396	Psychosocial Support for Family Members in Specialist Palliative Inpatient Care	Anu Soikkeli-Jalonen
399	A comprehensive overview of risk factors for complicated grief reactions	Christina Buur
405	The development and validation of a short form of the Traumatic Grief Inventory Self-Report Plus (TGI-SR+)	Frida Berglund
410	Social modulation of empathy relates to salivary oxytocin levels and predicts changes in prolonged grief symptoms in Japanese bereaved adults	Takuya Yoshiike

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424	Beyond Closeness: The Inclusion of Other in the Self Scale as a Measure of Identity Integration in Prolonged Grief	Evgenia Milman
432	Bridging the Gap After Caregiving: Implementing a Telehealth Outreach Program (TOP) for Bereaved Caregivers in Québec, Canada	Patrick Durivage

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68	Love and Loss: Children using picture books to learn about bereavement	Anna Lise Gordon
172	Psychological intervention in transitional justice: Chile's reparations program	Nereida Bueno-Guerra
174	From South Africa to Northern Ireland: Community-Based Approaches to Political Grief	Nereida Bueno-Guerra
211	An Exploratory Mixed-Methods Study of Grief in China: Interviews and a Pilot Online EMI	Chenchen Lin
241	CBT Griefhelp for Prolonged Grief in Children: Mechanisms of Change	Paul Boelen
248	Prevalence of Prolonged Grief Disorder Among Spanish University Students: A Cross-Sectional Study Using the PG-13-R	Cristina Sota Rodrigo
305	Supporting Family Involvement in the Child Death Review Process in England: A National Review of Key Worker Provision	Seilin Uhm
306	Inequities in bereavement support following multi-agency investigations of sudden unexpected child death.	Seilin Uhm
314	The Hope Collective: Poetry as language for the unspeakable	Seilin Uhm
317	Models and Components of Care Following Sudden and Unexpected Child Death: A Systematic Review	Seilin Uhm
318	Family Experiences and Outcomes Following Sudden and Unexpected Child Death: A Systematic Review	Seilin Uhm
321	Voicing the Void: a transdisciplinary approach to naming parental grief and child loss	Seilin Uhm
416	When a Portuguese, a Norwegian, and a Ukrainian Walk into a Zoom Room: Building Bridges in Death and Grief Education	Cristina Felizardo
440	Responding Collaboratively to Bereavement Inequity: A Public Health Approach Operationalised Through Training	Sonia Rennicks, Amy Gibney, Catherine Tierney, Nicole Forster
457	Strengthening Community Responses to Childhood Bereavement Through Collaborative Training	Sonia Rennicks
475	From Training Gap to Curriculum Foundations: Designing Multidisciplinary Bereavement Support Training as an Entry Point for Specialised Bereavement Education in Portugal	Cristina Felizardo
477	Suicide Bereavement Postvention in Practice: Building Literacy, Reducing Stigma, and Supporting Safer Care Pathways	Ana Félix
478	From Training to Local Action: Linking Multidisciplinary Education with Municipal Bereavement Support and Community Grief Literacy	Cristina Felizardo

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482	From Clinical Practice to Public Policy: A Pioneering Experience in Bereavement Support in Latin America	Aldana Di Costanzo
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5	The Wheel of Morning in Motion - In Search of the Lost in the Lasting	Dorothea Gabriele Stockmar
52	Adaptive Grief Education and Exploring International Collaboration	Amy Kashiwa Heather Taylor
53	Exploring Grief Awareness Initiatives for University Communities: A Public Health Approach	Amy Kashiwa
58	Twilight Grief: Exploring Pre-death Ambiguous Loss and Addressing the Disenfranchisement of Pre-death Grief	Elizabeth Schandelmeier
63	Grief and Personal Identity: A Human Developmental Perspective & Practical Workshop Intervention.	Shannon Michelle Collier
81	From Silence to Shared Space: Community Responses to Grief	Lucy Herd
93	Bridging the Gap in Holistic Perinatal Bereavement Care in an Irish Maternity Hospital	Brenda Casey
95	Therapeutic writing as peer-support: experiences of implementing a low-threshold digital intervention	Olga V Lehmann
96	“Don’t Worry, I’m a Ducktor”: A Symbolic Object as an Emotional Anchor in Bereavement and Psychological Distress	Ana Félix
98	Disenfranchised Grief After Abortion: A Therapeutic Group for Healthcare Professionals	Ana Félix
105	Using Hybrid Bereavement Support Groups (Simultaneously In Person and Online), Streamed by Time Since Death (1yr, 2yr, 3yr), to Help Parents Cope with the Death of Their Child	Breffi Mc Guinness
124	Outpatient Clinic Bereavement groups: a guideline for children and adolescents	Hege Sandanger
125	Outpatient Clinic Bereavement groups: a guideline for adults	Hege Sandanger
126	Developing a Dynamic and Active Memorial Garden Onsite at a Children’s Hospice to Help Parents Cope with the Death of Their Child	Breffi Mc Guinness
130	Peer Support in Motion: A Walking Group for Adult Men Bereaved by Suicide	Fiona C Tuomey
132	Harnessing Meaningful Memories After Suicide; a memorial quilt needle felting workshop to facilitate connection, emotional expression, regulation, and compassionate conversations.	Fiona C Tuomey
153	Participant experiences in a new, acceptance-based and body-focused therapeutic technique for problematic grief (BEAR)	Tim Michaël Schoenmakers
177	Strengthening grieving families in Germany - Adapting and piloting the program ‘Resilient Parenting for Bereaved Families’	Sophie Charlotte Faber
195	A Qualitative Study on Career Reconstruction of Women After Spousal Loss	Betül Tanacioğlu Aydın
196	A system perspective on child grief: Experiences and needs of parents and school counsellors in the face of childhood grief	Betül Tanacioğlu Aydın

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216	Grief Navigation Following Unexpected Child Loss: A Public Health Approach to Bereavement Services	Kimberly Kristin Downing
217	Workplaces Supporting Life's Final Chapter	Kate Wells
264	The TrauerKaleidoskop: An Integrative Framework for Bridging Grief Research and Practice	Jan Suren Möllers
270	Hospital-Based Bereavement Care After Organ Donation: An Annual Memorial Meeting for Donor Families	Laura Teixeira Bolasell
284	Analytical listening to music - a guided fantasies method in the case of a woman with mixed trauma and vanishing twin syndrome	Ranka Radulovic
287	Evaluating the effectiveness of online pre-bereavement support groups for partners of parents with cancer	Kate Wells
290	Lighting the Path Together: Extending Camp-Based Care Into Family Bereavement After the Death of a Child	Alan Pender
292	When Another's Loss Touches Mine: Anger and Injustice in Infertility-Related Grief	Ana Félix, Kathleen Massmann
295	Developing a Person-Based Digital Intervention (GriefDiff) to Support Grief Adaptation in Older Adults	David Dias Neto
298	Sharing knowledge about grief with the school community	Carl Bäckersten, Åza Svensson, Kristina Kolferud
312	Digital Peer Support for Parental Child-Loss Grief: Development and Early Outcomes of the Kids Connecting Parents App	Kimberly Anne Stevens
326	Enhancing Professional Skills for Supporting Diverse Families in Bereavement	Krista Nuutinen
351	Impact of a Primary Care-Based Group Grief Intervention: A Mixed-Methods Study	Anna Camps-Dardaña
356	The Bereavement Journey - AtaLoss' award-winning, church led community support	Yvonne Tulloch
358	Advancing System-Wide Responses to Bereavement, Grief and Loss: A Collaborative Hospice-Led Model of Evidence-Based Traumatic Grief Care	Seilin Uhm
363	Towards inclusive remembrance: reflections on designing an annual service for bereaved families.	Grainne Murtagh
368	The Experience of Therapeutic Presence in Group Interventions for Prolonged Grief: The Voice of Participants	Joana Isabel Soares
370	Developing resources to facilitate communication about the grieving process: A Brazilian experience.	Cibele Marras
374	Emergency psychological intervention in a company following an employee's suicide: a Brazilian experience in the corporate world.	Cibele Marras
377	Re-envisioning recovery after loss following the death or severe injury of a family member from a Motor Vehicle Incident	Jane Mowll
389	The incorporation of psychology students in clinical internships into individual sessions from a relational psychotherapy approach: co-therapy	Edward Van Herreweghe
390	The incorporation of the family and immediate environment into individual sessions: breaking the silence and strengthening bonds	Edward Van Herreweghe
393	The bereavement codebook: a tool developed to support the analysis of qualitative evaluation/feedback data collected by bereavement services	Emily Harrop
417	Responding to Sudden Loss in a School Community: Implementing a Bereavement Support Group Through School-Academia Collaboration	Cristina Felizardo

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426	Don't Assume, Just ASK: A Youth Led Approach for Supporting Bereaved Children and Young People in Education	Letizia Perna
433	After Caring Ends: A Group Model for Navigating Carers/Caregivers Grief	Zelda Freitas
456	Can PGD be applied to grief after non-death losses?	Darcy Harris
458	Evidence-Informed Models and Perspectives on Prolonged Grief: Overview and Clinical Implications	Evgenia Milman, Wendy Lichtentahl
459	When Care Meets Grief: Bridging Informal Caregiver Burden and Evidence-Based Pathways Towards Healthy Bereavement	Sonia Azevedo Castro
464	Medical Social Work Service - Supporting patients seeking International Protection in Ireland – exploring complex grief & loss.	Ciara Mc Kenna
467	Using a Meaning-Centered Approach to Support Grief over Death and Non-Death Losses in the Context of Homelessness	Evgenia Milman, Wendy Lichtentahl
471	Group intervention and marital adjustment in mourning for the loss of a child	Joana Isabel Soares

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