

COVID-19 Coping Strategies Self-Help Resources for Youth

About COVID-19

- Georgie and The Giant Germ Coloring Book to help parents explain COVID-19 to young children: <u>https://zerotothrive.org/covid-19/covid-19-kids/</u>
- Kid's Guide to Coronavirus: <u>https://www.apa.org/pubs/magination/kids-guide-coronavirus</u>
- Unstuck: 10 things to Do to Stay Safe and Sane During the Pandemic (recommended for tweens & teens to do with parental oversight) <u>https://www.apa.org/pubs/magination/unstuck</u>

Relaxation strategies

- Videos created by U-M School of Social Work students: <u>https://drive.google.com/drive/u/2/folders/1pVG06qctk2GuzEkLm2-</u> <u>IvKDXAag3FddE</u>
- Deep breathing to school-age child: <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zRRCfmCcKI0</u>
- Bubble Breathing (younger children): <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fVNC2ERq3do</u>
- "A Place of Peace" guided visualization: <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=v4nuSs8uS_Y</u>
- Little Victors Yoga: <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OAUoz9eFQmU</u>
- Square Breathing: <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ql2O6-0JA38</u>

Resources for children with anxiety

- Books for kids:
 - What to do when you worry too much, by Dawn Huebner, PhD. 2005.
 ISBN-10: 9781591473145

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- Books for caregivers:
 - <u>Helping Your Anxious Child</u>, by Ronald Rapee, PhD. 2008. ISBN-10: 1572245751
 - Freeing Your Child from Anxiety by Tama Chansky, Phd. 2014. ISBN-10: 0804139806
- Web-based program:
 - For parents of anxious children:

https://www.copingcatparents.com/Child_Anxiety_Tales

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