Parental Decision Making

During Covid 19



Covid 19 – Critical Time in History

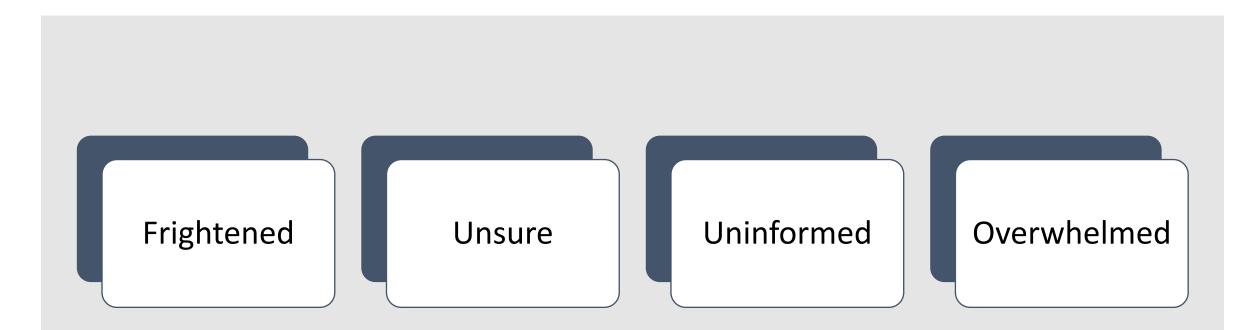
A novel virus Many unknowns Safety measures that are new to us Emerging information Differing thoughts and opinions



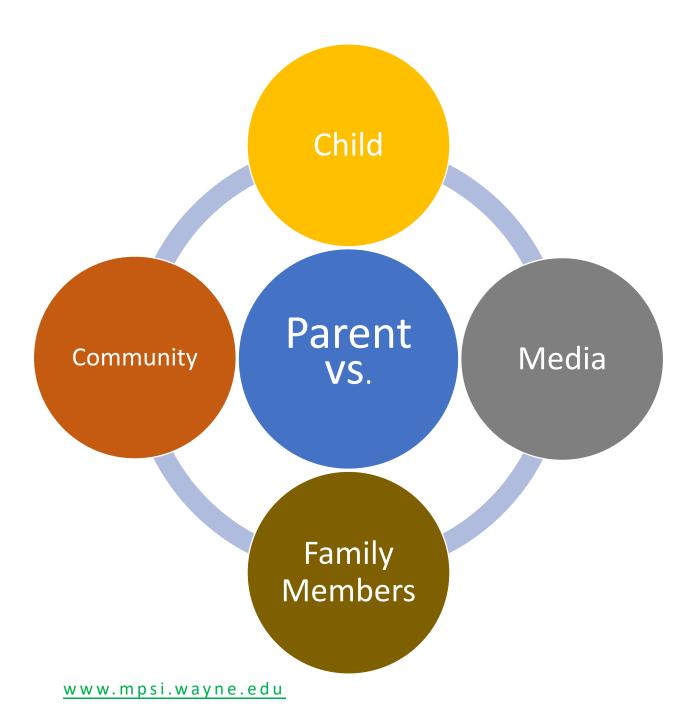
Decisions about Child's



When Making Decisions Parents May Feel



Conflicting Wants and Needs



Input from Others



TAKEN INTO CONSIDERATION EVALUATED FOR SAFETY AND RELIABLITLY OPEN FOR COMPROMISE

Why We Can Feel Stuck in Making Decisions



- Don't Want to Make Mistake
- Don't Want to be Judged
- Want to Consider Others
- Want Return to Normalcy
- So Much at Stake



Making Important Decisions

- Take Your Time
- Consider Your Priorities
- Explore Your Options
- Examine Your Resources
- Be Honest about Your Limitations
- Allow for Flexibility
- Trust your Instinct



Critical to Decision Making - Be Informed

- Trusted and Reliable Media Source
- Trusted Source for Questions
- Avoid Media Sensationalism
- Avoid Media Saturation



Evaluate Decision



Develop a Timeline

Is your Decision Working?

Does it Need Adjustments?

Does it Need to be Changed?



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