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## Carolyn Hax: When is it okay for parents to talk to kids about grandma's affair?

### Description

Dear Carolyn wrote to ask for advice about her mother-in-law. Carolyn's mother-in-law is seeing someone else while still being married to her father-in-law. Carolyn has two young children who see their grandmother often. When the grandmother is away, the kids ask where she is, and Carolyn says she is out of town. Carolyn does not want to lie to her children but also does not want to share too much information that they may not understand. The writer advises Carolyn to handle the situation with care and set boundaries with her kids. She also suggests not forcing oneself to start dating after leaving an abusive relationship and instead focus on building friendships and connections without rushing into romantic relationships.

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### Vocabulary List:

1. **Mother-in-law** // (noun): The mother of one's spouse.
2. **Boundaries** // (noun): Guidelines or limits that a person creates for themselves in relationships.
3. **Abusive** // (adjective): Involving cruel and violent treatment of others.
4. **Romantic** // (adjective): Relating to love or a close loving relationship.
5. **Advice** // (noun): Guidance or recommendations offered concerning prudent future action.
6. **Connections** // (noun): Relationships with others or the way that people or things are related to each other.

### Vocabulary quizzes

#### Multiple Choice (Select the Correct answer for each question. )

1. What is the name of the disease caused by the SARS-CoV-2 virus?

Option: Coronavirus Disease 2019

Option: H1N1 Influenza

Option: Zika Virus Syndrome

Option: Ebola Fever

2. What are interventions provided to patients to cure or alleviate symptoms of illnesses called?

Option: Precautions

Option: Procedures

Option: Vaccines

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Option: Treatments

3. How does the body signal that a disease or condition is present?

Option: Rapid Recovery

Option: Lack of Indicators

Option: Symptoms

Option: Disguised Signals

4. What is the state of being free from dirt germs and impurities?

Option: Neatness

Option: Clutter

Option: Uncleanliness

Option: Cleanliness

5. What type of infectious agent can only replicate inside the living cells of other organisms?

Option: Bacteria

Option: Parasite

Option: Fungi

Option: Virus

6. What is the practice of abstaining from food for a period of time?

Option: Feasting

Option: Gluttony

Option: Fasting

Option: Dining

7. What term is used to describe a reduction in body mass usually as a result of diet or exercise?

Option: Weight Gain

Option: Weight Balance

Option: Weight Loss

Option: Weight Stability

8. What is the act of separating infected individuals from those who are healthy to prevent disease spread?

Option: Inclusion

Option: Integration

Option: Loneliness

Option: Isolation

9. What are advantages gained from a particular activity or decision?

Option: Drawbacks  
Option: Penalties  
Option: Rewards  
Option: Benefits

10. What are smells often perceived as either pleasant or unpleasant?

Option: Aromas  
Option: Fumes  
Option: Odors  
Option: Fragrances

**Gap-Fill ( Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list. )**

11. Taking \_\_\_\_\_ is essential to reduce the risk of infection with contagious diseases.

12. Consuming nutritious foods provides the body with the necessary \_\_\_\_\_ to function effectively.

13. \_\_\_\_\_ are constantly working to discover new treatments and cures for various medical conditions.

14. A \_\_\_\_\_ is a plumbing fixture designed for washing the genitals perineum and buttocks.

15. In science a \_\_\_\_\_ is a homogenous mixture composed of two or more substances.

16. Building strong \_\_\_\_\_ with others is important for personal and professional growth.

17. Setting \_\_\_\_\_ is crucial in maintaining a healthy relationship with your spouse's mother.

18. It is important to seek help if you are in a/an \_\_\_\_\_ relationship.

19. Spending quality time together is essential for keeping the \_\_\_\_\_ spark alive in a relationship.

20. \_\_\_\_\_ is a highly contagious viral illness characterized by a distinct rash.

**Matching Sentences ( Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list. )**

21. Having a high body temperature as a result of a fever is often described as being .

22. The foul smell from the garbage bin was extremely .

23. Establishing clear in relationships helps to define acceptable behaviors and limits.

24. Infectious diseases can easily in crowded and unsanitary conditions.

25. A red itchy skin eruption is commonly referred to as a .

26. Seeking from a professional counselor can improve your mental well-being.

27. Celebrating special occasions can reignite the aspects of a relationship.

28. Placing individuals in can help prevent the spread of infectious diseases.

29. Maintaining good practices is important in preventing the spread of germs.

30. A is a microscopic infectious agent that replicates only inside living cells.

## Answer

**Multiple Choice:** 1. Coronavirus Disease 2019 2. Treatments 3. Symptoms 4. Cleanliness 5. Virus 6. Fasting 7. Weight Loss 8. Isolation 9. Benefits 10. Odors

**Gap-Fill:** 11. Precautions 12. Energy 13. Researchers 14. Bidet 15. Solution 16. Connections 17. boundaries 18. abusive 19. romantic 20. Measles

**Matching sentence:** 1. Febrile 2. Unpleasant 3. Boundaries 4. Spreads 5. Rash 6. Advice 7. Romantic 8. Isolation 9. Cleanliness 10. Virus

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