

Table S1. Inventory for Complicated Grief–Revised for Children (ICG-RC) Scores at Baseline and Follow-Up by ICG-RC Class

	Class 1	Class 2	Class 3	Between class test statistics		
				F	df	<i>p</i> *
9 months (n=154)	92	49	13			
ICG-RC scores, mean (SD)	43.4 (9.7) ^a	69.2 (16.5) ^b	86.8 (10.9) ^c	116.0	2, 151	<.001
21 months (n=129)	74	45	10			
ICG-RC scores, mean (SD)	38.1 (6.9) ^a	56.9 (8.1) ^b	80.5 (10.2) ^c	184.8	2, 126	<.001
33 months (n=102)	63	33	6			
ICG-RC scores, mean (SD)	37.7 (8.3) ^a	53.9 (10.6) ^b	81.0 (13.7) ^c	77.8	2, 99	<.001
Within class test statistics						
9 vs. 21 months	t=4.4, df=73, p<.001	t=4.1, df=44, p<.001	t=0.8, df=9, p=.47			
21 vs. 33 months	t=-0.1, df=57, p=.91	t=1.5, df=31, p=.13	t=0.1, df=5, p=.89			

Note: ^{abc}Represent significant post-hoc group differences at $\alpha=0.0167$, i.e., Classes 1, 2, and 3 showed significant pairwise post-hoc differences at 9, 21, and 33 months.

*Bonferroni-corrected $\alpha=0.0167$.

Table S2. Sensitivity and Specificity of Individual Items of the Inventory of Complicated Grief–Revised for Children (ICG-RC) at 21 Months Following Parental Death Comparing Class 3 (Cases) vs. Class 1 (Noncases)

Item	Freq ^a	Sens ^b	Spec ^c	AUC ^d	<i>p</i>
1. The death feels upsetting, overwhelming or devastating	4.7	0.27	1.00	0.96	<.001
2. I think about ^e so much that it can be hard for me to do the things I normally do	1.2	0.10	1.00	0.79	.003
3. Memories of upset me	2.4	0.00	0.98	0.79	.004
4. I feel that I cannot accept the death	2.4	0.20	1.00	0.89	<.001
5. I very much miss	36.5	0.90	0.76	0.88	<.001
6. I feel angry about the death	4.7	0.25	0.99	0.87	<.001
7. I feel that I cannot believe the death	7.1	0.40	0.99	0.85	<.001
8. I feel shocked over the death	10.6	0.55	0.99	0.92	<.001
9. Ever since the death, it is hard for me to trust people	4.7	0.35	1.00	0.89	<.001
10. Ever since the death, I feel like I don't care about other people as much and I don't feel as close to people I care about as I used to	3.5	0.20	1.00	0.91	<.001
11. I avoid reminders of	1.2	0.00	0.99	0.63	.18
12. I avoid reminders that he/she is dead	1.2	0.10	1.00	0.73	.02
13. Sometimes people who lose a loved one feel that they cannot go back to normal life and be able to make new friends and do new activities. Do you feel that making new friends or doing new activities would be difficult for you?	1.2	0.07	1.00	0.82	.001
14. I feel that life is empty or has no meaning without	2.4	0.13	1.00	0.82	.001
15. I hear the voice of....speak to me	1.2	0.00	0.99	0.64	.15
16. I feel like I have become numb (<i>or has no feelings</i>) ^f since the death	4.8	0.15	0.99	0.80	.002
17. I feel that it is unfair that I should live when he/she died	2.4	0.10	0.99	0.72	.03
18. I am bitter (<i>or angry</i>) over the death	3.5	0.15	0.99	0.98	<.001
19. I feel jealous of others who have not lost someone close	4.7	0.35	1.00	0.74	.02
20. I feel like the future has no meaning or purpose without	0.00	— ^g	— ^g	0.77	.006
21. I feel lonely ever since the death	8.2	0.50	1.00	0.87	<.001
22. It is difficult for me to imagine life being satisfying without	2.4	0.15	1.00	0.88	<.001
23. I feel that a part of myself died with	6.0	0.40	1.00	0.97	<.001
24. I feel that the death made me see the world differently	10.7	0.50	0.97	0.93	<.001
25. I don't feel safe since the death	3.5	0.25	1.00	0.83	.001
26. I feel that I don't have control over things since the death	3.6	0.20	1.00	0.82	.001
27. I am jumpy or easily startled since the death	6.0	0.35	1.00	0.87	<.001
28. Since the death, my sleep has been disturbed	4.8	0.20	0.99	0.67	.08

Note: Shaded items constitute the ICG-RC screen. Numbers in bold in the sensitivity column correspond to sens>0.5.

^aFreq=Frequency or % endorsing item at ≥ 4 .

^bSensitivity.

^cSpecificity.

^dArea under the curve (AUC).

^e“my parent” or the relationship lost.

^fWords between parentheses are for the interviewer to use for younger children.

^gNo participant answered “daily” or “several times a day.”

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Table S3. Sensitivity and Specificity of Individual Items of the Inventory of Complicated Grief–Revised for Children (ICG-RC) at 33 Months Following Parental Death Comparing Class 3 (Cases) vs. Class 1 (Noncases)

Item	Freq ^a	Sens ^b	Spec ^c	AUC ^d	<i>p</i>
1. The death feels upsetting, overwhelming or devastating	1.4	0.17	1.00	.77	.03
2. I think about ^e so much that it can be hard for me to do the things I normally do	1.4	0.17	1.00	.89	.002
3. Memories of upset me	0.0	— ^g	— ^g	.88	.002
4. I feel that I cannot accept the death	4.3	0.42	1.00	.88	.002
5. I very much miss	26.1	0.67	0.85	.85	.004
6. I feel angry about the death	5.8	0.17	0.96	.81	.01
7. I feel that I cannot believe the death	7.2	0.50	0.98	.89	.002
8. I feel shocked over the death	4.3	0.42	1.00	.86	.004
9. Ever since the death, it is hard for me to trust people	5.8	0.42	0.99	.88	.002
10. Ever since the death, I feel like I don't care about other people as much and I don't feel as close to people I care about as I used to	5.8	0.17	0.98	.68	.15
11. I avoid reminders of	2.9	0.11	0.99	.86	.003
12. I avoid reminders that he/she is dead	4.3	0.25	0.99	.87	.003
13. Sometimes people who lose a loved one feel that they cannot go back to normal life and be able to make new friends and do new activities. Do you feel that making new friends or doing new activities would be difficult for you?	1.4	0.17	1.00	.85	.004
14. I feel that life is empty or has no meaning without	0.0	— ^g	— ^g	.81	.01
15. I hear the voice of....speak to me	0.0	— ^g	— ^g	.65	.23
16. I feel like I have become numb (<i>or has no feelings</i>) ^f since the death	1.4	0.17	1.00	.89	.002
17. I feel that it is unfair that I should live when he/she died	1.4	0.08	1.00	.66	.20
18. I am bitter (<i>or angry</i>) ^f over the death	2.9	0.11	0.99	.97	<.001
19. I feel jealous of others who have not lost someone close	4.3	0.42	1.00	.96	<.001
20. I feel like the future has no meaning or purpose without	0.0	— ^g	— ^g	.64	.26
21. I feel lonely ever since the death	7.2	0.25	0.98	.80	.01
22. It is difficult for me to imagine life being satisfying without	0.0	— ^g	— ^g	.72	.08
23. I feel that a part of myself died with	5.8	0.42	1.00	.90	.001
24. I feel that the death made me see the world differently	11.5	0.58	0.96	.95	<.001
25. I don't feel safe since the death	1.4	0.17	1.00	.86	.003
26. I feel that I don't have control over things since the death	4.3	0.33	1.00	.81	.01
27. I am jumpy or easily startled since the death	5.8	0.33	0.99	.89	.002
28. Since the death, my sleep has been disturbed	7.2	0.42	0.98	.77	.03

Note: Shaded items constitute the ICG-RC screen. Numbers in bold in the sensitivity column correspond to sens>0.5.

^aFreq=Frequency or % endorsing item at ≥ 4 .

^bSensitivity.

^cSpecificity.

^dArea under the curve (AUC).

^e“my parent” or the relationship lost.

^fWords between parentheses are for the interviewer to use for younger children.

^gNo participant answered “daily” or “several times a day” and thus sensitivity and specificity could not be computed.

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Table S4. Sensitivity and Specificity of Individual Items of the Inventory of Complicated Grief–Revised for Children (ICG-RC) at 9 Months Following Parental Death Comparing Class 3 (Cases) vs. Class 1 and 2 Combined (Noncases)

Item	Freq ^a	Sens ^b	Spec ^c	AUC ^d	<i>p</i>
1. The death feels upsetting, overwhelming or devastating	15.0	0.31	0.92	0.84	<.001
2. I think about ^e so much that it can be hard for me to do the things I normally do	10.4	0.35	0.95	0.86	<.001
3. Memories of upset me	14.3	0.27	0.92	0.82	<.001
4. I feel that I cannot accept the death	13.6	0.57	0.89	0.82	<.001
5. I very much miss	62.3	1.00	0.63	0.85	<.001
6. I feel angry about the death	19.5	0.46	0.90	0.82	<.001
7. I feel that I cannot believe the death	22.1	0.62	0.89	0.84	<.001
8. I feel shocked over the death	21.7	0.69	0.88	0.86	<.001
9. Ever since the death, it is hard for me to trust people	8.5	0.27	0.95	0.79	.001
10. Ever since the death, I feel like I don't care about other people as much and I don't feel as close to people I care about as I used to	4.5	0.15	0.98	0.71	.01
11. I avoid reminders of	6.5	0.04	0.96	0.61	.19
12. I avoid reminders that he/she is dead	9.1	0.23	0.96	0.69	.02
13. Sometimes people who lose a loved one feel that they cannot go back to normal life and be able to make new friends and do new activities. Do you feel that making new friends or doing new activities would be difficult for you?	5.9	0.19	0.98	0.83	<.001
14. I feel that life is empty or has no meaning without	6.5	0.15	0.97	0.72	.009
15. I hear the voice of....speak to me	5.2	0.04	0.96	0.60	.23
16. I feel like I have become numb (<i>or has no feelings</i>) ^f since the death	4.6	0.15	0.98	0.74	.004
17. I feel that it is unfair that I should live when he/she died	4.6	0.08	0.98	0.66	.06
18. I am bitter (<i>or angry</i>) over the death	8.0	0.15	0.96	0.83	<.001
19. I feel jealous of others who have not lost someone close	9.2	0.42	0.97	0.75	.003
20. I feel like the future has no meaning or purpose without	5.3	0.00	0.96	0.70	.02
21. I feel lonely ever since the death	17.5	0.42	0.92	0.77	.001
22. It is difficult for me to imagine life being satisfying without	7.8	0.12	0.96	0.76	.002
23. I feel that a part of myself died with	15.0	0.42	0.93	0.80	<.001
24. I feel that the death made me see the world differently	24.8	0.50	0.85	0.80	<.001
25. I don't feel safe since the death	6.5	0.19	0.97	0.66	.06
26. I feel that I don't have control over things since the death	7.2	0.35	0.98	0.82	<.001
27. I am jumpy or easily startled since the death	5.9	0.08	0.97	0.81	<.001
28. Since the death, my sleep has been disturbed	7.2	0.27	0.98	0.83	<.001

Note: Shaded items constitute the ICG-RC screen. Numbers in bold in the sensitivity column correspond to sens>0.5.

^aFreq=Frequency or % endorsing item at ≥ 4 .

^bSensitivity.

^cSpecificity.

^dArea under the curve (AUC).

^e“my parent” or the relationship lost.

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Table S5. Sensitivity and Specificity of Individual Items of the Inventory of Complicated Grief–Revised for Children (ICG-RC) at 21 Months Following Parental Death Comparing Class 3 (Cases) vs. Class 1 and 2 Combined (Noncases)

Item	Freq ^a	Sens ^b	Spec ^c	AUC ^d	P
1. The death feels upsetting, overwhelming or devastating	5.4	0.20	0.98	0.91	<.001
2. I think about ^e so much that it can be hard for me to do the things I normally do	2.3	0.10	0.99	0.75	.008
3. Memories of upset me	4.6	0.00	0.97	0.70	.03
4. I feel that I cannot accept the death	3.9	0.20	0.98	0.81	.001
5. I very much miss	43.8	0.90	0.66	0.82	.001
6. I feel angry about the death	8.5	0.25	0.95	0.78	.004
7. I feel that I cannot believe the death	14.0	0.40	0.93	0.77	.004
8. I feel shocked over the death	13.1	0.55	0.95	0.88	<.001
9. Ever since the death, it is hard for me to trust people	6.9	0.35	0.97	0.81	.001
10. Ever since the death, I feel like I don't care about other people as much and I don't feel as close to people I care about as I used to	4.6	0.20	0.99	0.89	<.001
11. I avoid reminders of	1.5	0.00	0.99	0.59	.36
12. I avoid reminders that he/she is dead	2.3	0.10	0.99	0.66	.10
13. Sometimes people who lose a loved one feel that they cannot go back to normal life and be able to make new friends and do new activities. Do you feel that making new friends or doing new activities would be difficult for you?	2.3	0.05	0.99	0.74	.01
14. I feel that life is empty or has no meaning without	1.6	0.13	1.00	0.77	.005
15. I hear the voice of....speak to me	1.6	0.00	0.99	0.61	.24
16. I feel like I have become numb (<i>or has no feelings</i>) ^f since the death	3.1	0.15	0.99	0.78	.003
17. I feel that it is unfair that I should live when he/she died	1.6	0.10	0.996	0.68	.06
18. I am bitter (<i>or angry</i>) ^f over the death	3.8	0.15	0.98	0.95	<.001
19. I feel jealous of others who have not lost someone close	6.2	0.35	0.98	0.70	.04
20. I feel like the future has no meaning or purpose without	0.8	0.00	0.995	0.70	.04
21. I feel lonely ever since the death	9.2	0.50	0.98	0.85	<.001
22. It is difficult for me to imagine life being satisfying without	3.9	0.15	0.99	0.80	.002
23. I feel that a part of myself died with	7.8	0.40	0.98	0.90	<.001
24. I feel that the death made me see the world differently	13.2	0.50	0.94	0.88	<.001
25. I don't feel safe since the death	3.1	0.25	0.996	0.80	.002
26. I feel that I don't have control over things since the death	3.9	0.20	0.99	0.77	.005
27. I am jumpy or easily startled since the death	3.9	0.35	1.00	0.86	<.001
28. Since the death, my sleep has been disturbed	5.4	0.20	0.98	0.63	.17

Note: Shaded items constitute the ICG-RC screen. Numbers in bold in the sensitivity column correspond to sens>0.5.

^aFreq=Frequency or % endorsing item at ≥ 4 .

^bSensitivity.

^cSpecificity.

^dArea under the curve (AUC).

^e“my parent” or the relationship lost.

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Table S6. Sensitivity and Specificity of Individual Items of the Inventory of Complicated Grief–Revised for Children (ICG-RC) at 33 Months Following Parental Death Comparing Class 3 (Cases) vs. Class 1 and 2 Combined (Noncases)

Item	Freq ^a	Sens ^b	Spec ^c	AUC ^d	<i>p</i>
1. The death feels upsetting, overwhelming, or devastating	2.0	0.17	0.995	0.72	.08
2. I think about ^e so much that it can be hard for me to do the things I normally do	1.0	0.17	1.00	0.84	.005
3. Memories of upset me	2.9	0.00	0.98	0.77	.03
4. I feel that I cannot accept the death	4.9	0.42	0.99	0.84	.006
5. I very much miss	29.4	0.67	0.80	0.81	.01
6. I feel angry about the death	8.8	0.17	0.93	0.74	.05
7. I feel that I cannot believe the death	7.8	0.50	0.96	0.85	.004
8. I feel shocked over the death	5.9	0.42	0.97	0.80	.02
9. Ever since the death, it is hard for me to trust people	4.9	0.42	0.99	0.85	.004
10. Ever since the death, I feel like I don't care about other people as much and I don't feel as close to people I care about as I used to	4.9	0.17	0.98	0.64	.25
11. I avoid reminders of	2.0	0.11	0.99	0.83	.007
12. I avoid reminders that he/she is dead	3.9	0.17	0.99	0.85	.005
13. Sometimes people who lose a loved one feel that they cannot go back to normal life and be able to make new friends and do new activities. Do you feel that making new friends or doing new activities would be difficult for you?	2.0	0.17	0.99	0.82	.009
14. I feel that life is empty or has no meaning without	0.0	— ^g	— ^g	0.76	.04
15. I hear the voice of....speak to me	0.0	— ^g	— ^g	0.61	.36
16. I feel like I have become numb (<i>or has no feelings</i>) ^f since the death	2.0	0.17	0.995	0.84	.005
17. I feel that it is unfair that I should live when he/she died	1.0	0.11	1.00	0.64	.27
18. I am bitter (<i>or angry</i>) ^f over the death	2.0	0.11	0.99	0.95	<.001
19. I feel jealous of others who have not lost someone close	2.9	0.42	1.00	0.93	<.001
20. I feel like the future has no meaning or purpose without	0.0	— ^g	— ^g	0.60	.41
21. I feel lonely ever since the death	6.9	0.25	0.97	0.78	.02
22. It is difficult for me to imagine life being satisfying without	0.0	— ^g	— ^g	0.67	.16
23. I feel that a part of myself died with	6.9	0.42	0.97	0.86	.003
24. I feel that the death made me see the world differently	16.7	0.58	0.92	0.91	.001
25. I don't feel safe since the death	2.0	0.17	0.995	0.82	.008
26. I feel that I don't have control over things since the death	3.9	0.33	0.995	0.77	.03
27. I am jumpy or easily startled since the death	3.9	0.33	0.995	0.87	.002
28. Since the death, my sleep has been disturbed	4.9	0.42	0.99	0.76	.04

Note: Shaded items constitute the ICG-RC screen. Numbers in bold in the sensitivity column correspond to sens>0.5. All items in the ICG-RC Screen had high specificity (> 0.85) at 9, 21, and 33 months (Tables S4–S6, available online) except for very much missing the deceased (item 5), with specificity of 0.63 at 9 months, which increased significantly at 21 (spec=0.66, *p* <0.001) and 33 months (spec=0.80, *p* < 0.001).

^aFreq=Frequency or % endorsing item at ≥ 4.

^bSensitivity.

^cSpecificity.

^dArea under the curve.

^e“my parent” or the relationship lost.

^fWords between parentheses are for the interviewer to use for younger children.

^gNo participant answered “daily” or “several times a day” and thus sensitivity and specificity could not be computed.

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Table S7. Evaluation of Proposed *DSM-5* criteria for Persistent Complex Bereavement-Related Disorder Using Inventory of Complicated Grief–Revised for Children (ICG-RC) Score ≥ 68 to Determine “Caseness”

9 months after the death	Sensitivity^a	Specificity^a	Sensitivity^b	Specificity^b
Overall Criteria	0.305 (11/36)	1.000 (101/101)	0.444 (16/36)	0.970 (98/101)
Criterion				
B	0.974 (38/39)	0.431 (47/109)		
C	0.444 (16/36)	1.000 (104/104)	0.944 (34/36)	0.904 (94/104)
D ^c	0.500 (20/40)	0.752 (85/113)		
21 months after the death				
Overall Criteria	0.154 (2/13)	1.000 (111/111)	0.308 (4/13)	0.982 (109/111)
Criterion				
B	0.786 (11/14)	0.561 (64/114)		
C	0.154 (2/13)	1.000 (113/113)	0.846 (11/13)	0.858 (97/113)
D ^c	0.571 (8/14)	0.728 (83/114)		
33 months after the death				
Overall Criteria	0.143 (1/7)	1.000 (87/87)	0.286 (2/7)	0.977 (85/87)
Criterion				
B	0.625 (5/8)	0.670 (63/94)		
C	0.286 (2/7)	1.000 (91/91)	0.857 (6/7)	0.956 (87/91)
D ^c	0.750 (6/8)	0.652 (58/89)		

Note: ^aCriterion C, at least 6 items endorsed.

^bCriterion C, at least 2 items endorsed.

^cCriterion D or functional impairment is measured by the Children’s Global Assessment Scale (CGAS) ≤ 70 .