

Oral Consent Script to Participate in Research: Children

Hi. We are conducting a research project because we are hoping to learn more about what people do during tornadoes. We are talking to as many people as we can about what they experienced. If you decide to talk to us, I will be asking you to tell me your story about what happened before, during, and after the tornado. This should take about 5 to 20 minutes.

Your mom or dad said it was okay to ask you, but it is still up to you. You can tell me your story, or you can decide not to.

It might be hard to talk about the tornado because it was stressful and scary. You do not have to talk about it if you don't want to. You can also tell your story but stop talking any time you like.

Your mom or dad can stay right here with you while you talk with us.

What do you think? Would you like to tell us what you remember? Yes _____ No _____

Is it okay if we record your voice while you tell us your story? Yes _____ No _____