

# Mott Poll Questions



## *Inappropriate Touching*

*The following questions were answered by parents with children age 2-9 years old.*

Q1. At what age should parents start talking with their child about inappropriate touching?

1. 2
2. 3
3. 4
4. 5
5. 6
6. 7
7. 8
8. 9
9. 10 or older

Q2. Where have you gotten information or suggestions about how to talk with children about inappropriate touching? *Select all that apply*

1. Child's health care provider
2. Parenting book or magazine
3. Friends/family
4. School or preschool
5. Church or religious institution
6. Social media/internet
7. Children's book
8. Other
9. None – have not received suggestions or advice

Q3. Have you or your child's other parent talked with your child about inappropriate touching?

1. Yes
2. No
3. Not sure

Q4. Why have you or your child's other parent not talked with your child about inappropriate touching? *Select all that apply*

1. Child too young to understand
2. Don't know how to bring it up
3. Parent not comfortable talking about it
4. Not necessary to discuss – rarely happens
5. Don't want to scare child
6. Parent doesn't want to think about it
7. Just haven't gotten around to it
8. Other

Q5. Do you think your child knows the difference between appropriate and inappropriate touching?

1. Definitely yes
2. Probably yes
3. Probably no
4. Definitely no

Q6. Would you want your child's school or preschool to teach students about inappropriate touching?

1. Yes
2. No
3. Not sure

Q7. Would you want your child's school or preschool to provide information for parents on how to talk about inappropriate touching?

1. Yes
2. No
3. Not sure

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