

Supplemental Table 1.

Racial-ethnic Socialization Themes

Racial-ethnic Socialization Theme	Summarized qualitative statements (examples)
Cultural socialization	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teach child about cultural heritage and traditions • Speak native language to child • Cook foods from all of child's cultures • Expose child to their cultural communities, family's countries of origin
Racial identity socialization	
Monoracial identity socialization	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify with only one of your racial-ethnic groups • Be proud of your monoracial-ethnic group(s) • Be proud of phenotypical characteristics attributed to monoracial group(s)
Multiracial identity socialization	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify with all of your racial-ethnic groups or as Biracial/Multiracial • Be proud of mixed background • Be proud of unique phenotypical appearance attributed to being mixed
Preparation for bias socialization	
General preparation for bias	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teach strategies for responding to and coping with discrimination • Stand up for yourself when being discriminated against
Preparation for bias against monoracial groups	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teach child about stereotypes or discrimination they may face as members of certain monoracial groups • Share stories of parents' own experiences with discrimination as monoracial people • Model responses to discrimination targeting parent's monoracial background
Preparation for monoracism	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Not everyone is accepting of multiracial families and individuals • Others will try to put you into a monoracial box • People may question your racial background or your relationship to your family members because of your appearance

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Share stories of parent's experiences of discrimination due to being mixed race
Colorblind socialization	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We're all American • White people experience racism too • You are the answer to racism • I don't see race
Diversity appreciation socialization	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teach child about other cultures, to be open to cultural differences • Take child to restaurants and grocery stores to learn about different cultures • Encourage child to be open to racially and culturally diverse people
Race-conscious socialization	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teach child about discrimination that racial outgroups face • Teach child about the systemic nature of racism • Do not be judgmental or stereotype people of other races • White people have more power and privilege than racial-ethnic minorities • Teach youth about historical figures who fought for racial equality
Exposure to diversity socialization	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Live in diverse neighborhood • Send child to diverse school • Expose child to diverse people
Negative socialization	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parent said something prejudiced to other parent or about their racial-ethnic group • Parent said that child's racial group does not face discrimination • Parent said something negative about child's racial phenotypical characteristic • Parent told youth not to date or hang out with people from a specific racial group
Silent socialization	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Brush child off or change the subject when they try to talk about race • Never talked about race • Never talked to child about being Multiracial
