



The **Positive Youth Development Lab** at the University of Missouri is recruiting adolescents (12-to-16-years-old) and mothers to participate in a research project looking at mother-adolescent interactions during storytelling, and **ways young people and their mothers make sense of their lives**. We are recruiting families from the mid-Missouri area (ex. Boone and Cole counties). Families must speak and read English fluently to participate.

Families will be asked to meet **virtually** via video teleconference program with a research assistant, then complete follow-up questionnaires at a second time point four months later. Families will complete joint storytelling about autobiographical experiences and questionnaires about different views of the self and the family. Each session is expected to last 1 hour.

For each completed study session, families will be compensated a \$25 Amazon gift card for their time.

Please call **(573) 882-9609** or visit **www.pydlab.org** for further details. The primary investigator of this study is Mikayla Ell (maell@missouri.edu).