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PSN Family Resource Center **EVALUATE SCIENCE**

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Triple P Positive Parenting Program Workshop

Strengthening Families in April

> You Can Count on Me Activity



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Ten Ways to Help Prevent Child Abuse

Have you ever found yourself thinking about the ways in which you can make a difference in a child's life? Here is a list of ten ways to help prevent child abuse that are simple, every day actions that can make a big impact.

1. Be a nurturing parent. Children need to know that they are special, loved, and capable of following their dreams.

2. Help a friend, neighbor, or relative. Being a parent isn't easy. Offer a helping hand take care of the children, so the parent(s) can rest or spend time together.

3. Help yourself. When the big and little problems of your everyday life pile up to the point you feel overwhelmed and out of control—take time out. Don't take it out on your kid.

4. If your baby cries...It can be frustrating to hear your baby cry. Learn what to do if your baby won't stop crying. Never shake a baby—shaking a child may result in severe injury or death.

5. Get involved. Ask your community leaders, clergy, library, and schools to develop services to meet the needs of healthy children and families.

6. Help to develop parenting resources at your local library. Find out whether your local library has parenting resources, and if it does not, offer to help obtain some.

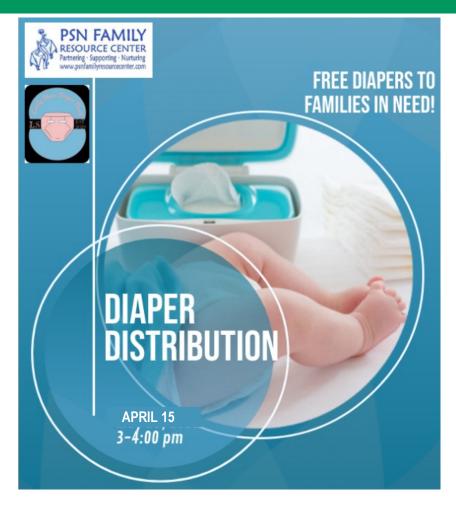
7. Promote programs in school. Teaching children, parents, and teachers prevention strategies can help to keep children safe.

8. Monitor your child's television, video, and internet viewing/usage. Excessively watching violent films, TV programs, and videos can harm young children.

9. Volunteer at a local child abuse prevention program. For information about volunteer opportunities, call 1.800.CHILDREN or contact your local Prevent Child Abuse America chapter.

10. Report suspected abuse or neglect. If you have reason to believe a child has been or may be harmed, call your local department of children and family services or your local police department.

Review the full article here.



FREE diaper distribution!

No registration necessary. Diapers are first come-first served whiles supplies last.

Sizes newborn, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 & pull ups. Kenosha County Job Center 8600 Sheridan Road Drive up to Entrance B

Contact Alison at 262-605-6545 or alison.haas@kenoshacounty.org for more information.

TRIPLE P—POSITIVE PARENTING PROGRAM Triple P – Positive Parenting Program knows all parents have different needs. That's why Triple P has many different ways to get your parenting help so you can choose what will best suit you and your family.



CHILD ABUSE & NEGLECT Prevention Board

Triple P Workshops—Virtual Parenting Sessions

Join us on Zoom to get simple and practical strategies to help build strong, healthy relationships, confidently manage children's behavior and prevent problems from developing. Workshop dates:

- April 5—Balancing Work and Family
- April 12—Tantrums
- April 19—Self Esteem

Session will run from 12pm—2pm

Registration is required. Sign up here: <u>https://tinyurl.com/42pvxxt3</u>

Check out our facebook page for more information: <u>facebook.com/preventionservicesnetwork/</u>

Are you a parent or guardian looking for parenting classes or one-on-one parenting support? Triple P has a variety of levels to suit your family's needs. Contact Alison at 262-605-6545 or alison.haas@kenoshacounty.org to find out about upcoming sessions.

April is Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention Month and the Safe Kids, Strong Families Committee has been working to come up with some great events and activities to bring awareness to this important cause. Visit us on facebook at www.facebook.com/SKSFKeno for more information and registration details.

APRIL EVENTS							
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	Safe Kids · Strong Families Preventing child abuse through strengthening families.
			$\langle \rangle$		1	2	* <i>April 01</i> —Wear Blue Day—Wear blue all day to show support for Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention Month!
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	 <i>April 07</i>—Connie Reyes Award ceremony event virtually via ZOOM at 4pm. <i>April 13</i>— Triple P Event,
	<u> </u>						4:30pm at Simmons Library * <i>April 20</i> —Family Craft Night! Join Alison via ZOOM for a fun
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	filled family craft night. Register at <u>https://</u> <u>tinyurl.com/4f2pheex.</u>
)	5			1		* <i>April 28</i> —Triple P Event, 10:30am at Northside Library
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	 April 30—Family Fun Run/Walk @ Kemper Center. Check-in starts at 8:30am, run/walk at 9:15am. <u>https://tinyurl.com/y9p4c3dx</u>
							 April 30—Kenosha County Families Branching Out Resource Fair
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	 Help us recognize strong families in Kenosha! Nominate a Strong Family here: <u>https://tinyurl.com/3dk9shkn</u>

Follow the Safe Kids, Strong Families Facebook page at <u>www.facebook.com/SKSFKeno</u> for information on registering forany of the April events or call Alison at 262-605-6545.

PSN Family Resource Center

The mission of the PSN Family Resource Center is to provide programs and services that build on family strengths through prevention, education, support and networking in collaboration with other resources in the community.





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You Can Count on Me

SESAME STREET

Rosita has so many people who care about and support her. Her mami and her friends Elmo and Abby are some of them. Color the picture and use your finger to show Rosita the path to the playground. Greet each friend you see along the way.

Who are the people that help you? Draw them along the path too!

