

# Prevent Child Abuse and Neglect

Strategy	Approach
Strengthen economic supports to families	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Strengthening household financial security</li> <li>• Family-friendly work policies</li> </ul>
Provide quality care and education early in life	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Preschool enrichment with family engagement</li> <li>• Improved quality of child care</li> </ul>
Enhance parenting skills to promote healthy child development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Early childhood home visitation</li> <li>• Parenting skills and family relationship approaches</li> </ul>
Intervene to lessen harms and prevent future risk	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Enhanced primary care</li> <li>• Behavioral parent training programs</li> <li>• Treatment to lessen harms of abuse and neglect exposure</li> <li>• Treatment to prevent problem behavior and later involvement in violence</li> </ul>

Logan [capsa.org](http://capsa.org) Crisis line  
435.753.2500 -  
Office 435.755.4493 - [thefamilyplaceutah.org](http://thefamilyplaceutah.org)  
Crisis line 435.752.8880

Brigham City  
Family Support Center - [befsc.org](http://befsc.org)  
Office: 435.723.6010

Pocatello  
Idaho Bright Tomorrows  
Child Advocacy Center -

National Child Abuse  
Hotline: 1.800.422.4453

**Neglect is a failure to meet  
the child's basic needs.**

**Psychological abuse, often called  
emotional abuse, is a form  
of abuse, characterized by a per-  
son subjecting or exposing an-  
other person to behavior that  
may result  
in psychological trauma.**

**Physical abuse refers to the  
injury of a child on purpose.**



# Parent/Male Engagement Activities

1. Check out a Family Resource Center.
2. Be a Mentor to a child in your life.
3. Volunteer at your local food bank or soup kitchen.
4. Speak up for families in your community.
5. Reach out to a family that needs some extra holiday cheer.
6. Reduce holiday stress.
7. Provide a holiday meal to a family in need.
8. Host a family friendly event.
9. Learn about parent leadership.
10. Become more educated about your child's development.
11. Pledge to participate in April's Child Abuse Prevention Month.
12. Learn about Adverse Childhood Experiences and their long-term effects.
13. Attend parent-teacher conferences or an open house at your child's school.
14. Plan a fun family outing.
15. Clean out your closets and toy boxes and donate items to families in need.
16. Take a Parenting class.
17. Share information about preventing abuse with friends and family.
18. Wear blue and share photos on social media with #WearBlue4Kids.
19. Offer to host a play date with your child's friends.
20. Don't be afraid to ask for help when you need it.
21. Make health a top priority.
22. Show your children what a healthy relationship should look like.
23. Model positive leadership skills for your children.

