



Child Abuse Prevention: State of the Science

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US DHHS Children's Bureau 2021/2022 Prevention Resource Guide

https://www.childwelfare.gov/topics/preventing/preventionmonth/resources/resource-guide/?utm_campaign=ncapm21&utm_medium=email&utm_source=ncapmwebsitelive032921

The 2021/2022 Prevention Resource Guide recognizes that there are actions we can take as a society and within communities, organizations, and families to address the root causes of child abuse and neglect. It highlights the innovative ways that communities are doing purposeful prevention work to help children and families thrive. The protective factors approach central to the guide focuses on positive ways to engage families by emphasizing their strengths, in addition to identifying areas where they have room to grow with support. Focusing on protective factors helps children, youth, and families build resilience and contributes to positive outcomes.

CDC Prevention Technical Package

<https://www.cdc.gov/violenceprevention/pdf/can-prevention-technical-package.pdf>

This technical package represents a select group of strategies based on the best available evidence to help prevent child abuse and neglect. These strategies include strengthening economic supports to families; changing social norms to support parents and positive parenting; providing quality care and education early in life; enhancing parenting skills to promote healthy child development; and intervening to lessen harms and prevent future risk. The strategies focus on preventing child abuse and neglect from happening in the first place as well lessening the immediate and long-term harms of child abuse and neglect. These strategies range from a focus on individuals, families, and relationships to broader community and societal change.

CDC Preventing Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs): Leveraging the Best Available Evidence

<https://www.cdc.gov/violenceprevention/pdf/preventingACES.pdf>

This document reviews strategies and specific approaches that can prevent and/or mitigate the harms of ACEs.

The California Evidence-Based Clearinghouse: A Guide for Family Resource Centers

<https://www.cebc4cw.org/files/CEBCGuideForFamilyResourceCenters.pdf>