



Growing a Better Tomorrow for All Children

April Is Child Abuse Prevention Month

Invest in proven prevention programs to help young children and their families.

16,134

Children in founded cases of abuse and neglect in South Carolina last year



53%

ages 0-6



29%

ages 7-12



50%

neglect



39%

physical abuse

Children in founded cases of abuse and neglect in South Carolina last year

With prevention, everyone wins.

When parents and families have the right tools and resources, they raise happy, healthy and safe children. And that is what everyone wants – a South Carolina where children thrive and grow into productive citizens. By working upstream through proven prevention programs and family strengthening services, the positive effects are immediate and long-lasting.

Parenting programs help families stay together and spare children from the long-term, devastating effects of maltreatment. Communities can focus on building the next generation rather than spending limited resources on costly expenses associated with medical and mental health, social services, law enforcement, foster care and the justice system.

2021 Prevention Partners in South Carolina

Children's Trust is the state chapter for Prevent Child Abuse America and leads the Pinwheels for Prevention campaign in South Carolina. Recognizing that we all must work together, the following prevention partners have made a commitment to child abuse prevention. We are proud to stand with them during Child Abuse Prevention Month.

Adora Childcare
Simpsonville

Barnwell Pediatrics
Barnwell

Bob Jones University
Greenville

**Buncombe Street United Methodist Church
CDC**
Greenville

Carolina Health Centers
Greenwood

Carolina Youth Development Center
North Charleston

Child Abuse Prevention Association
Port Royal

Children's Attention Home
Rock Hill

Children's Hospital Outpatient Center
Columbia

Children's Place, Inc.
Aiken

Children's Recovery Center
Myrtle Beach

Cooperative Health
Columbia

Dee Norton Child Advocacy Center
Charleston

Department of Children's Advocacy
Aiken

Dorchester Children's Advocacy Center
Summerville

Earle Street Baptist Church
Greenville

Fairfield Behavioral Health Services
Winnsboro

Family Connection of S.C.
Columbia

Georgetown Pediatric Center
Georgetown

GFWC Aiken Woman's Club
Aiken

GFWC Charleston Junior Woman's Club
Charleston

GFWC Lexington Woman's Club
Lexington

GFWC Renaissance Woman's Club
Spartanburg

GFWC St George Woman's Guild
St. George

GFWC St. Andrews Woman's Club
Columbia

GFWC Steel Magnolias Service Club
Greenville

GFWC Woman's Club of Cayce
Cayce

GFWC Woman's Club of Charleston
Charleston

GFWC York County Women's Club
Rock Hill

Greenville First Steps
Greenville

Hope Center for Children
Spartanburg

Hopeful Horizons
Beaufort

Just Say Something
Greenville

Laurens County First Steps
Laurens

Lighthouse Ministries
Florence

MUSC Healthy Families America
North Charleston

Nurse Family Partnership
Greenville

Parent and Community Advocate
Columbia

PDCAP
Florence

Pee Dee Coalition - Durant Children's Center
Florence

**SAFY - Specialized Alternatives for Families
and Youth**
Greenville

St. James Santee Family Health
Georgetown

St. Peter's Episcopal Church
Taylors

The Bair Foundation
Charleston

The LifeLine Center
Florence

Thornwell
Clinton

United Way Health's Haven
Tamassee

United Way of the Midlands
Columbia

Westview Behavioral Health
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