CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH 2022

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About Center for Children

For more than 30 years the Center for Children has been dedicated to the Prevention and treatment of Child Abuse and the promotion of positive mental health in our community. Our mission is to ensure that every child grows up #HealthyHappy&Safe. April is National Child Abuse Awareness Month and during the entire month we will be working hard to promote #ChildAbusePrevention.

Why We Need Your Support

It is important for us to bring as much awareness as possible to the importance of preventing child abuse. However, we can't do it alone. We need your support in spreading the word in our community about child abuse and how we can help prevent it.

You Can Make a Difference!

Every Action Counts

Whether its a small email signature message, posting pictures with our #HealthyHappy& Safe signs, taking our "These Hands Are NOT for hurting" pledge, all of it helps spread the word about #childabuseprevention.

Get in On the Action - *All Month Long!*

April 1st

Marks the 1st day of Child Abuse Prevention Month. Update your social media profile picture with our " I Stand Against Child Abuse" filter. Place our Prevention pinwheels in your front hard or office yard to show your stand with us in the fight. Use our custom email signature in all of your emails to help support our efforts to #preventchildabuse

Pink&Blue Fridays

Join us in wearing Pink&Blue every Friday in the month of April to show your support and help us bring awareness to #childabuseprevention. Post your pictures wearing your #Pink&Blue and remember to tag us on Facebook @center4childrenSoMd, Twitter @center4children and our YIE Program on Instagram @Cntr4children_YouthEngagement

April, Week 1

Make it known that our community depends on us to #preventchildabuse and that it is never okay to harm children in any way by sharing our #HealthyHappy&Safe graphics in your newsletter, social media pages and websites.

April, Week 2

Take our "My hands are NOT for Hurting" Pledge. Share your pledge on social media, or email a picture or copy to development@center-for-children.org so that we can add them to our "Hands that Help" tree.

April, Week 3

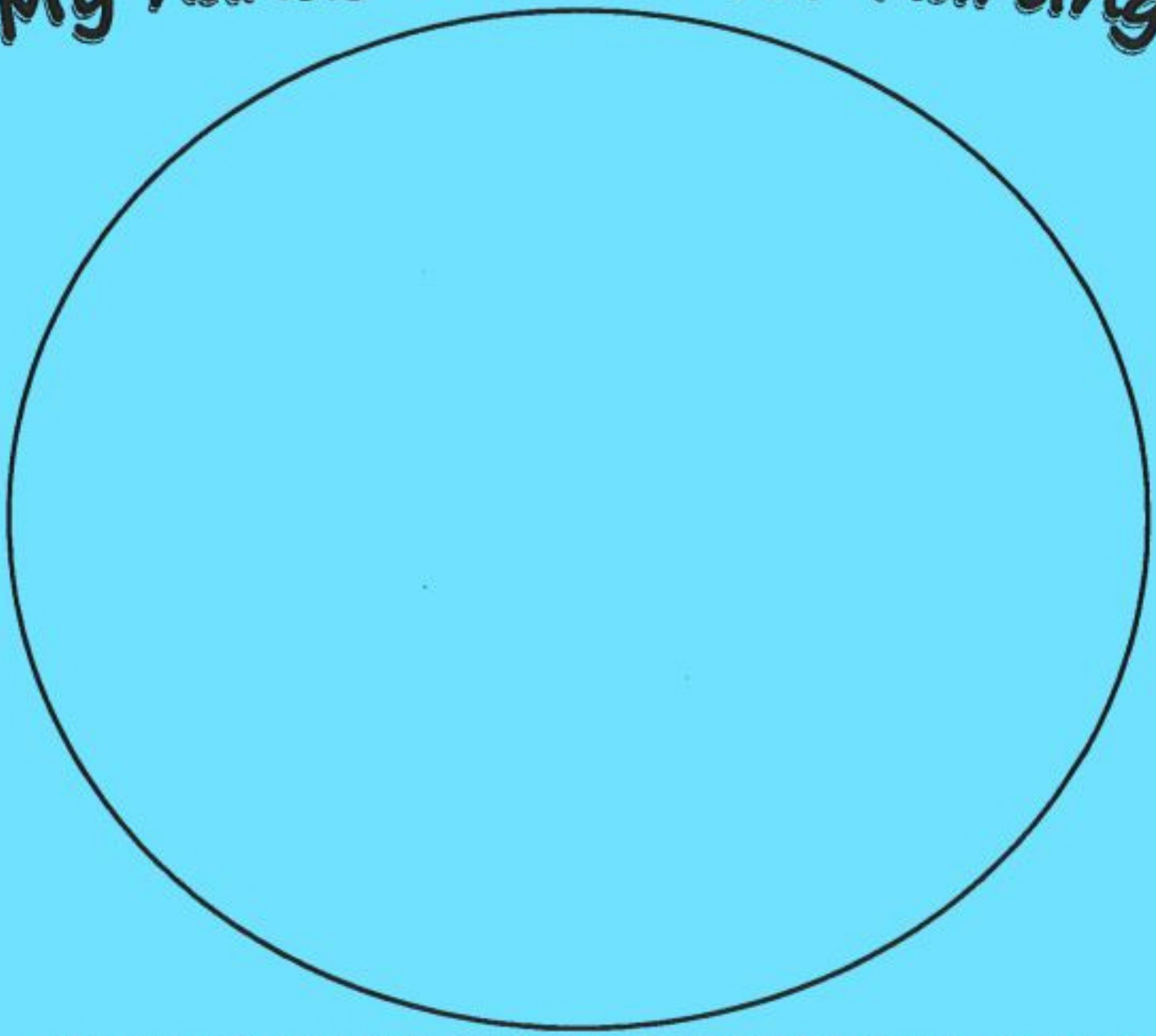
Help raise awareness about the signs of Child Abuse by sharing our tips on recognizing signs of child abuse and ways to #PreventChildAbuse

April, Week 4

End the month by sharing helpful ways of how we as a community can ensure that every child is #HealthyHappyandSafe

Click here to check out other images & GIFs

My hands are not for hurting



I pledge that I will not use my hands or my words to hurt myself or others

(sign your name here) _____

To pledge that "I will not use my hands or my words to hurt myself or another person." Place your hand inside the circle and trace an outline of your hand as a pledge to not hurt yourself or others. Then sign your name as a final commitment to your pledge. Post your pledge in a place that is important to you. Encourage your friends and family to take the pledge "My hands are not for hurting!"

Send a picture of your completed pledge to development@center-for-children.org
or tag us on Facebook @Center4ChildrenSoMD

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