



SCAN

Stop Child Abuse Now

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Notes

Exchange/SCAN (Stop Child Abuse Now) Center provides a variety of programs to prevent and treat child abuse in Forsyth, Stokes, Surry, Yadkin, Alamance, & other counties around the state of North Carolina. The majority of services are free to the community. Volunteers are used extensively for their ability to give individualized care and in order to involve the community in the prevention of child abuse. Questions or referrals? Call 336-748-9028.

Parent Aide: Intensive home-based intervention for at-risk or families experiencing child abuse or neglect. Treatment lasts an average of 13 months with an intensity of up to twice per week with case management. Parents or professionals may refer.

Welcome Baby: Volunteers and staff provide support to first-time parents at Forsyth Medical Center and in their homes. Special referrals can be made and more information obtained by calling 725-BABY (2229).

- **Welcome Baby Warmline** provides 24-hour telephone counseling for parents with questions and/or concerns about infant care. Postpartum services and referrals available.
- **Under 5 Club:** Monthly educational group for moms and dads, with child (ren) under 5 years old.
- **Fathers Matter:** Six-Week Class for Fathers of Children Ages 0-2. "24/7 DAD" and "DR. DAD" Curriculums. Participants receive psychoeducation on basic childcare, the meaning of fatherhood, healthy relationships, and child well-being. Case management offered.

Telephone Counseling: 24-hour telephone counseling for families or individuals involved in child abuse. Crisis oriented 748-9028.

Community Education: Training and workshops to educate the public on child abuse. Wide range of subjects, including day care consultation, prevention programs to children, presentations on identification and intervention, as well as program development consultation.

Parents/Teen Solutions: In home visitation services & 12-week group for parents and teens from 13-17 years old. Participants learn about healthy communication, relationships, and topics relevant to teens. Referrals welcomed from DJJ, Mental health, & parents. Childcare offered. Limited transportation.

Supervised Visitation: Safe supervision of parents to visit their children who are in the midst of divorce, DSS custody or impacted by 50B protection plans. Fee for non-DSS referrals. Available for Forsyth County and surrounding region.

Respite Care Program: Crisis or planned placement of children with collaborating agencies to reduce the potential for abuse. Parents or agencies can call 24 hours/7 days per week. Free. Transportation available. Available for Davie, Forsyth, and Stokes counties.

Intensive Family Preservation Services (IFPS): Intensive home visitation for families to prevent out of home placement of children. Services include: family assessment, intensive family and individual counseling, client advocacy, case management, development and enhancement of parenting skills, and referral to other services as appropriate. Offered in Davie, Forsyth, Rockingham, Stokes, Surry, Yadkin, Davidson, Iredell, and Rowan counties.

Mother's Community Connection: Free weekly support group for mothers. Facilitated by volunteers and staff. Child care provided. Parents and professionals may refer.

Children's Parents: 12-week parenting classes for parents at risk of abuse or neglect. Offered three times per year. Referrals by court order, professionals, or families call 748-9028.

Systemic Treatment After Sexual Abuse for Families (STA SAFE): Family intervention for sexual abuse including victims, siblings, parents/partners and offenders. Risk assessment for abuse-reactive children, up to 18 years of age and offenders both male and female. Both individual and group treatment is available. 748-9028.