

Child Abuse Prevention

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防止虐待兒童

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WHAT IS ABUSE AND NEGLECT IN CHILDREN?

- ▶ A recent act by a parent or caretaker which results in physical, emotional, or sexual exploitation of a minor.

-Federal Law for the Prevention and Treatment of Child Abuse (CAPTA,
(42 U.S.C.A. §5106g),



什麼是虐待和忽視兒童？

- ▶ 父母或照顧者的最近行為造成對未成年人的身體、情感或性剝削。

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Types of Child Abuse



虐待兒童的類型



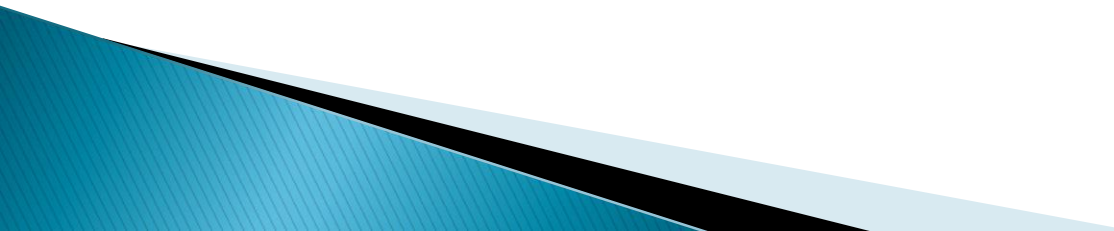
Physical Abuse

Inflicting physical harm or non-accidental abuse that harms the health, welfare and safety of the child.

This includes:

- Throwing, kicking, burning or cutting a child
- Hitting a child with a closed fist
- Shaking a child under three years of age
- Interfering with a child's breathing
- Threatening a child with a deadly weapon

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身體虐待

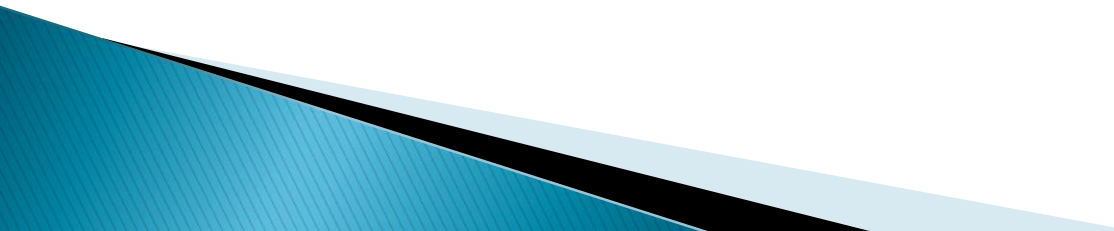
造成損害兒童健康、福利和安全的身體傷害或非意外的虐待。這包括：

- 丟、踢、燒或割傷兒童
- 用拳頭揍兒童
- 搖晃三歲以下的幼兒
- 影響孩子的呼吸
- 用致命武器威脅兒童

(WAC 388-15-009)

Emotional Abuse

Emotional and Psychological abuse is a pattern of behavior which impacts the emotional development and self concept of the child.

- ❖ Yelling
 - ❖ Negative criticism
 - ❖ Denigrate a child's personality
 - ❖ Verbal abuse
 - ❖ Belittling the child's personality
 - ❖ Destruction of child's important things
 - ❖ Torture
 - ❖ Humiliation
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情感虐待

情緒和心理虐待是一種影響兒童情緒發展和自我概念的行為模式。

- ❖ 大喊大叫
- ❖ 負面批評
- ❖ 詆毀孩子的性格
- ❖ 言語虐待
- ❖ 貶低孩子的個性
- ❖ 破壞孩子的重要物品
- ❖ 折磨
- ❖ 羞辱

Negligence

Negligent behavior includes clear and present danger to the health, welfare or safety of a child, including:

- ▶ Failure to provide food, shelter, supervision or adequate health care necessary for the health, safety or welfare of a child. Poverty and / or homelessness do not constitute negligence or abuse in and of themselves.


忽視/忽略

忽視行為涵蓋對兒童健康、福利或安全的明顯及當下的危險,包括:

- ▶ 未能為兒童的健康、安全或福利提供必要的食物、住所、監督或足夠的醫療保健。因貧困或無家可歸,並不構成疏忽或虐待。 .

Sexual Abuse

Sexual abuse signifies committing or permitting any sexual offense against a child including:

- ❖ Intentional touching, directly or through clothing, of the sexual or other intimate parts of a child.
 - ❖ Allowing, permitting, coercing, encouraging, aiding or otherwise causing a child to touch the sexual or other intimate parts of another person for the purpose of sexual gratification.
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性虐待

性虐待指的是對兒童實施或允許任何性犯罪，
包括：

- ❖ 直接或透過衣服故意觸摸兒童的性或其他私密部位。
- ❖ 同意、允許、脅迫、鼓勵、協助或是以其他方式導致兒童觸摸他人性部位或私密處以獲取性滿足

Sexual Exploitation and Commercial Informative Facts

100,000 to 300,000 youths are at risk of sexual and commercial exploitation in the U.S.



The average age of sexual exploitation is 12 years of age



Of every 100 sexually exploited youth, 70-90 have a history of sexual abuse.



In South Los Angeles 70 of 100 victims live in foster homes

性剝削和商業訊息事實

在美國，有100,000至300,000名的青少年面臨性或商業剝削的風險。



性剝削的平均年齡是十二歲。



每100名遭受性剝削的青少年，有70至90人有過性虐待史

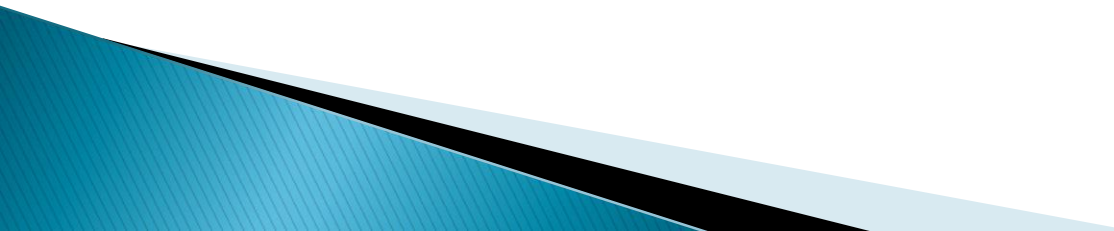


在南洛杉磯，每100名的受害者中，就有70人住在寄養家

SIGNS THAT COULD INDICATE CHILD ABUSE

可能出現虐待兒童的跡象

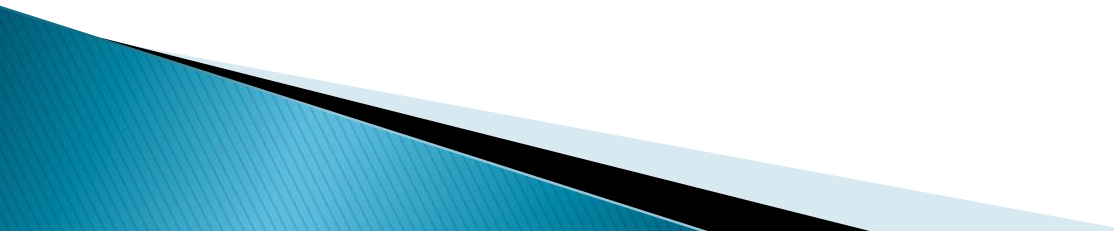
Signs that could indicate presence of Physical Abuse

- ▶ Offers contradictory explanations for how the injury occurred.
 - ▶ Has obvious bruises or other marks that are fading after a school absence.
 - ▶ Is afraid of his/her parents and cries or refuses to leave when it is time to go home.
 - ▶ Intimidated when approached by adults.
 - ▶ Reports of an injury caused by a parent or other adult caregiver.
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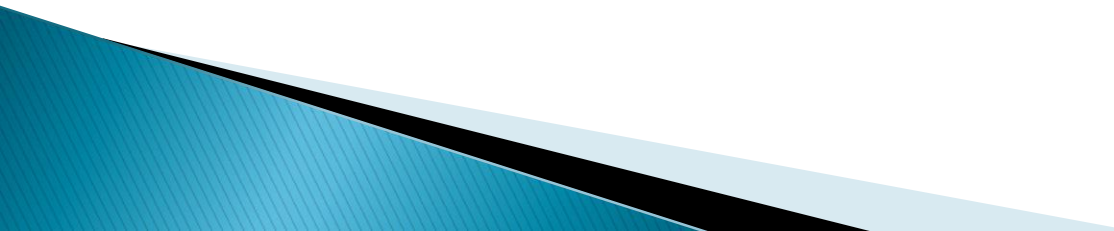
可能出現身體虐待的跡象

- ▶ 對傷害是如何出現的,提供了相互矛盾的解釋
- ▶ 有明顯的瘀傷或是缺課後在身體出現傷快好的痕跡。
- ▶ 害怕他/她的父母、或是在該回家時拒絕離開學校
- ▶ 當成年人靠近時會感到害怕。(深受威脅)
- ▶ 由父母或其他成年人照顧者造成的傷害的報告。

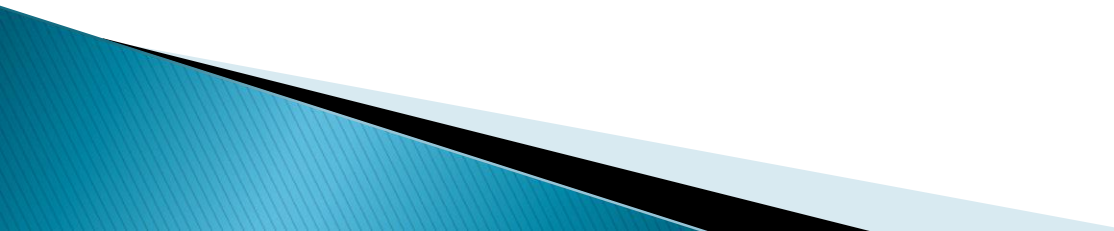
Signs that could indicate the presence of Emotional Abuse

- ▶ Demonstrates extreme behaviors, such as excessively compliant or demanding, extreme passivity or aggression.
 - ▶ Has attempted suicide.
 - ▶ Low self-esteem
 - ▶ Declares a lack of attachment to the parent.
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可能出現身體虐待的跡象

- ▶ 表現極端行為例如過於順從或過高要求、極端被動或攻擊性。
 - ▶ 曾企圖自殺Has attempted suicide.
 - ▶ 自卑Low self-esteem
 - ▶ 表明對父母缺乏依戀感 Declares a lack of attachment to the parent.
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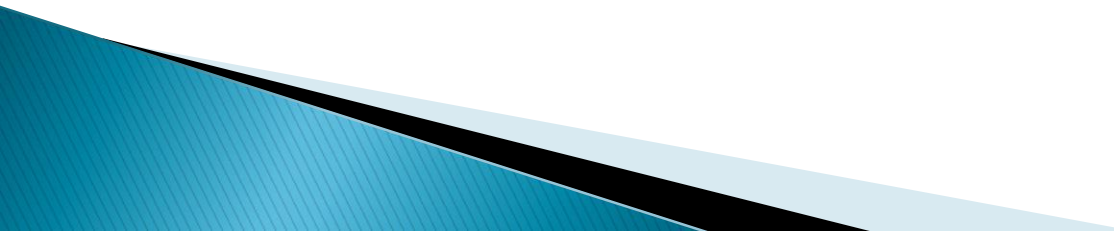
Signs that could indicate the presence of Negligent abuse

- ▶ Shows sudden changes in behavior or school performance.
 - ▶ Has not received care for physical or medical problems.
 - ▶ Is always anxious, as if waiting for something bad to happen.
 - ▶ Lacks adult supervision.
 - ▶ Comes to school or other activities early, stays late or does not want to go home.
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可能出現忽視兒童的跡象

- ▶ 行為或學校表現突然出現變化
- ▶ 沒有得到身體或醫療問題的照顧。
- ▶ 總是焦躁不安，好像在等待不好的事情發生。
- ▶ 缺乏成人的監督
- ▶ 過早到學校或參加活動，並且待得很晚或是不想回家。

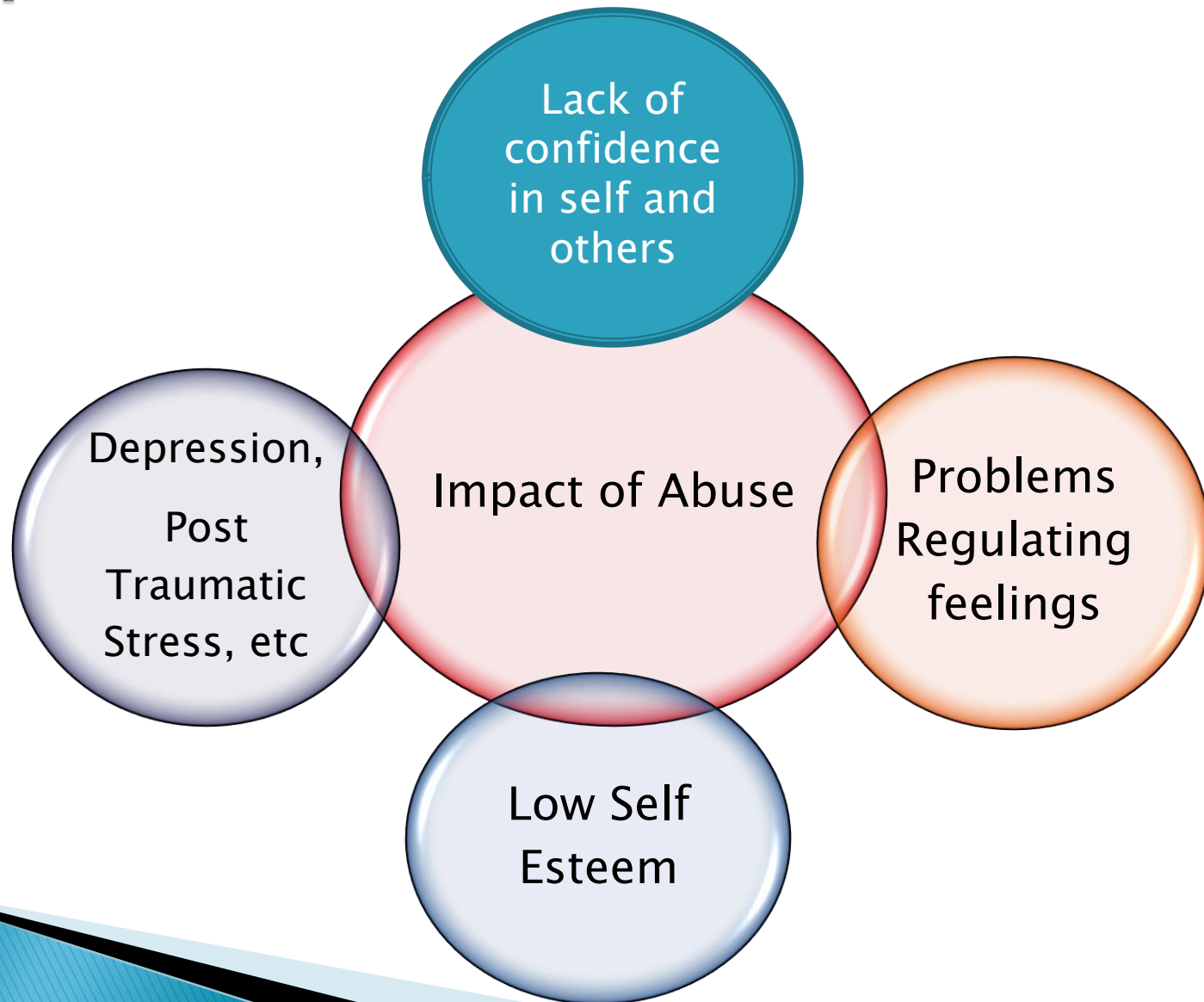
Signs that could indicate the presence of Sexual Abuse

- ▶ Has difficulty when walking or sitting.
 - ▶ Reports having nightmares or bedwetting.
 - ▶ Demonstrates sophisticated, strange and out of the ordinary knowledge of sexual conduct.
 - ▶ Becomes pregnant or contracts a venereal disease.
 - ▶ Runs away from home.
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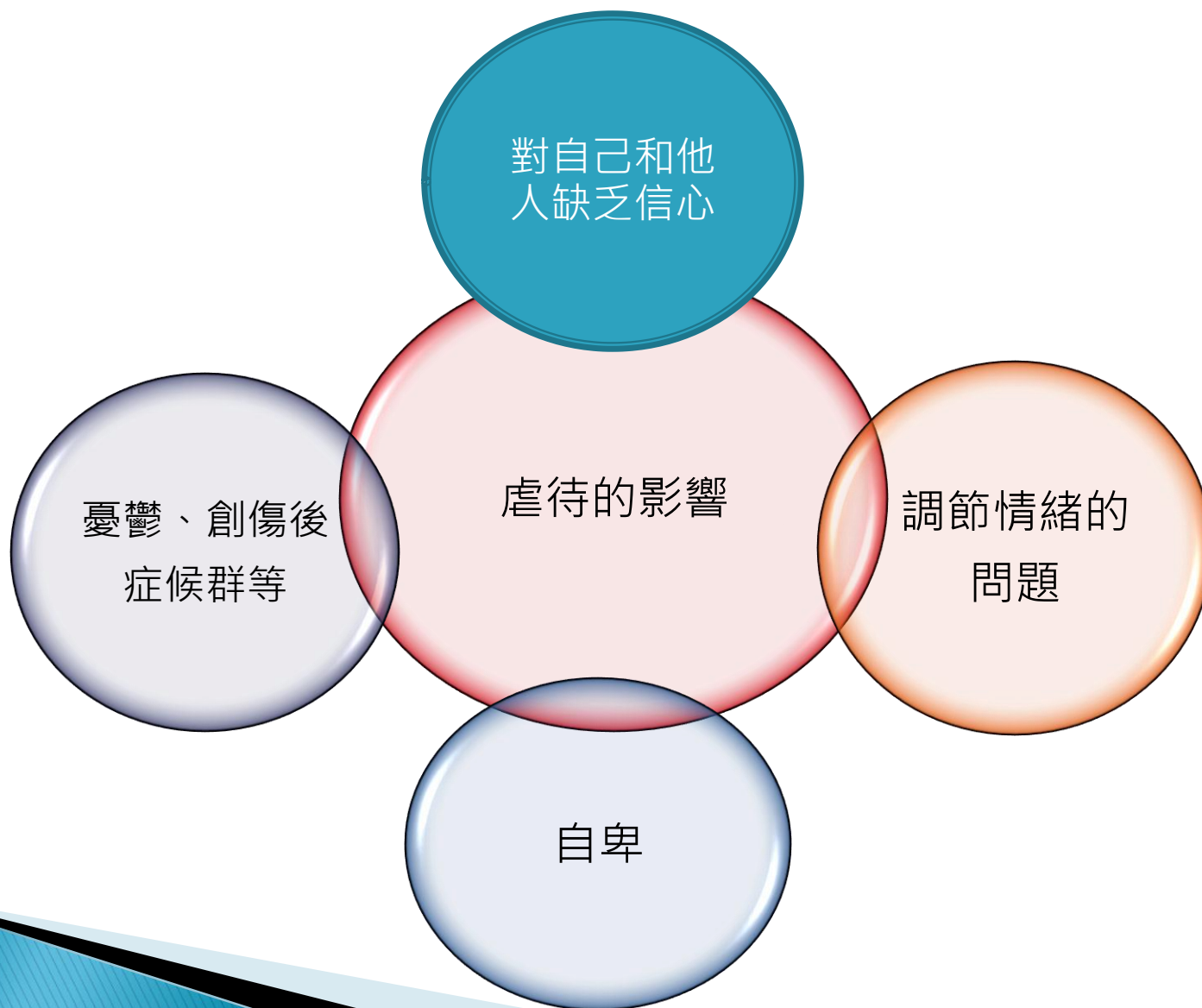
Signs that could indicate the presence of Sexual Abuse

- ▶ 走路或坐下時出現困難
- ▶ 有惡夢或尿床的報告
- ▶ 表現出複雜、奇怪和不尋常的性行為知識
- ▶ 懷孕或感染性病
- ▶ 逃離家庭

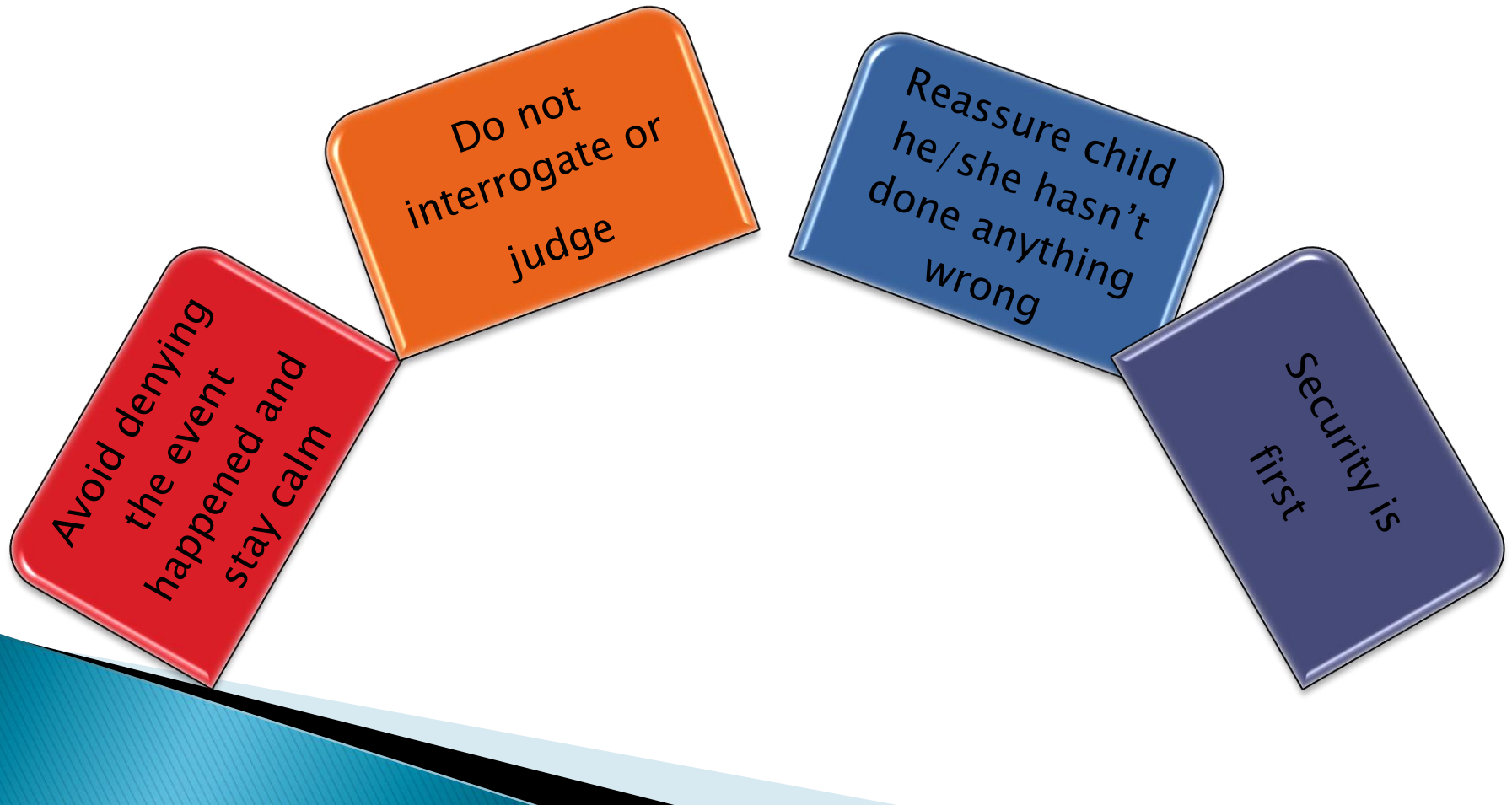
Impact of Abuse on Minors



虐待對未成年的影響



How to provide support to a child that has been abused?



如何提供支持給受虐待的兒童？

避免否認事件
發生並保持冷靜


不要詢問或評判

向孩子保證他/
她沒有做錯事

安全第一

What happens after a report is made?

The investigation of Child Protective Services include the following:

- ▶ Determine the nature and extent of the abuse or neglect.
 - ▶ Evaluate the condition of the child, including the danger, the need for medical care, etc.
 - ▶ Identify the problems that led or contributed to the abuse or neglect.
 - ▶ Assess parent or caregiver responses and willingness to cooperate with child protection.
 - ▶ Take appropriate actions to protect the child.
 - ▶ Assessing factors that increase the likelihood of abuse or neglect in the future.
 - ▶ Assess family strengths that could contribute to the protection of children.
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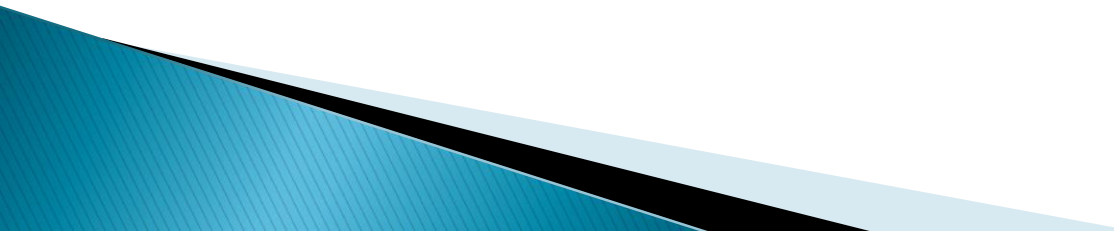
舉報之後會發生什麼？

兒童保護服務的調查包括下列：

- ▶ 確定兒童虐待或是忽視的性質和程度。
- ▶ 評估孩子的狀況，包括危險程度、醫療護理需求等
- ▶ 找出導致或促成兒童虐待或忽視的問題所在
- ▶ 評估父母或照顧者的反應以及保護兒童的意願
- ▶ 採取適當措施保護孩子
- ▶ 評估未來增加兒童虐待或忽略的可能因素
- ▶ 評估有助於保護兒童的家庭力量

What services can be provided?

Services for children and family can include:

- ▶ Support services in the home by child development specialists
 - ▶ Parental support
 - ▶ Mental health services, such as parent, child and family assessments
 - ▶ Psychological and psychiatric services
 - ▶ Parenting classes
 - ▶ Self-help groups
 - ▶ Family preservation services
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可以提供那些服務?

為兒童和家庭可以提供的服務包括:


- ▶ 兒童發展專家提供的家庭支持服務Support services in the home by child development specialists
- ▶ 家長支持Parental support
- ▶ 心理健康服務,例如父母、孩子及家庭評估
- ▶ 心理及精神科服務Psychological and psychiatric services
- ▶ 親職教育Parenting classes
- ▶ 自助團體Self-help groups
- ▶ 家庭保護服務Family preservation services

Not all abused or neglected children suffer long term consequences. The consequences can be very different for each child.


並非所有受虐或被忽視的兒童都會遭受長期性的痛苦後果。 每個人的所遭受的後果可能都非常不一樣

Practical Advice for Parents (continuacion)


Teach your children to say “No, Stop,” as an answer when being asked to do something they do not want to do.




Know the adults with whom your children interacts with (e.g teachers, coaches, spiritual leaders, instructors) etc.



Find out if the religious education programs your child attends, in school or church, include curriculum for sexual abuse prevention.



Do NOT allow your child to go alone on vacation with any adult in whom you do not have total confidence.



給家長的實用建議

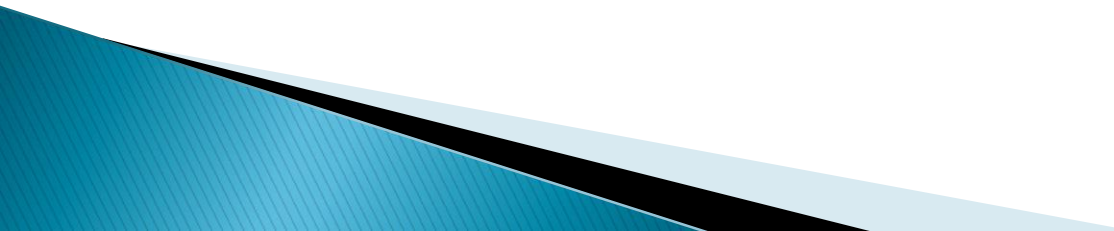
在孩子18個月大至3歲間，開始教導他們身體部位合適的名稱。

在孩子5歲至8歲間，跟他們說什麼是好的和壞的身體觸碰，並且告訴他們離開家時有關個人安全的事項

在孩子8歲至12歲時，和他們聊身體和情緒的變化，並且繼續和他們討論個人安全的各種事項

在孩子13歲至18歲時，跟他們討論性侵犯、約會強暴、艾滋病毒和性病傳染等情況。

Report Abuse To:

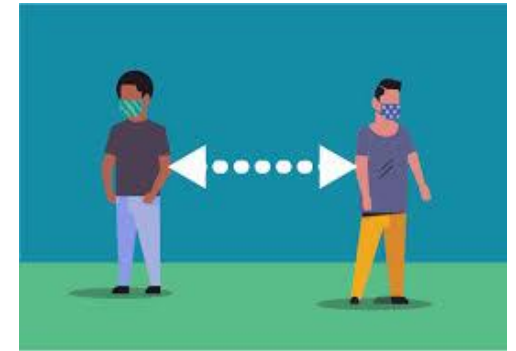
- ▶ To Report Child Abuse in Los Angeles County, call the Child Protection Hotline, 24 hours a day, 7 days per week (800) 540-4000
 - ▶ TDD [Hearing Impairments] (800) 272-6699
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檢舉兒童虐待:

- ▶ 在洛杉磯縣檢舉虐待兒童行為, 請撥打每週7天24小時的兒童保護專線: (800) 540-4000
- ▶ TDD [聽力障礙者] (800) 272-6699

HOW TO PROTECT YOURSELF AND PROTECT OTHERS FROM COVID

The use of masks is now mandatory to leave the house and enter any establishment



Be careful not to touch your face with the gloves and remove them carefully



Never touch your face before washing your hands



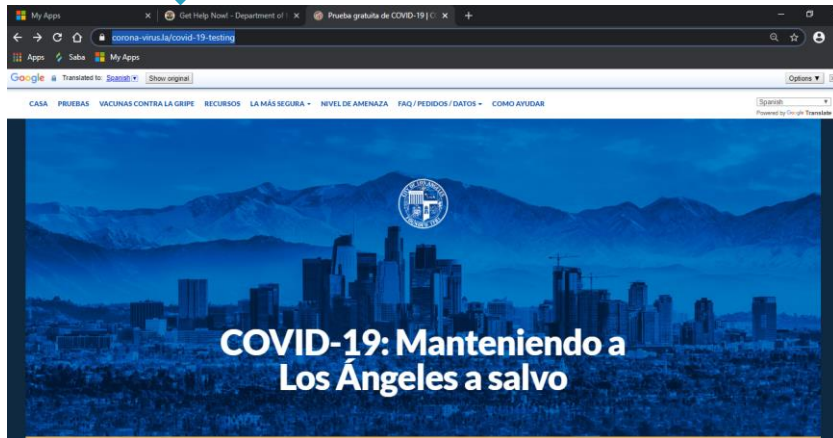
Testing for COVID-19



The test is free to any Los Angeles County resident

Click here for updated information on testing

coronavirus.lacity.org/testing, or call 211



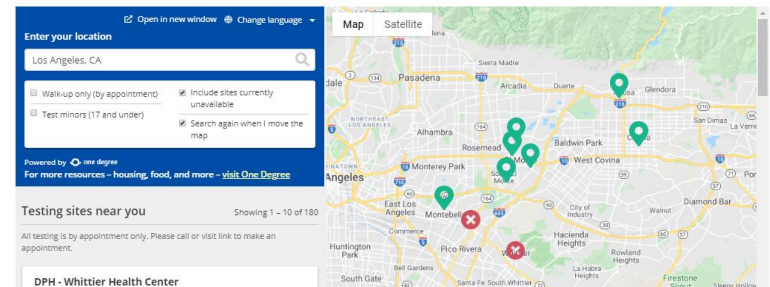
Click here to find a test center

<https://corona-virus.la/testing-center-map>



Mapa del centro de pruebas

Las citas para todos los centros de pruebas operados por la ciudad se pueden hacer en LA City | Prueba de COVID-19. Puede seleccionar entre más de 100 otros centros de pruebas utilizando el mapa interactivo a continuación. Tenga en cuenta que estos centros pueden tener diferentes requisitos de elegibilidad para las pruebas y métodos de prueba.



Resources from the Department of Mental Health for COVID-19

- ▶ You can stay updated on COVID-19 developments on our website: <https://dmh.lacounty.gov/covid-19-information/>
- ▶ **The number for our DMH Access line is: 1-800-854-7771**



Need to be connected to mental health services?

Call 800-854-7771
(ext. 1) for mental health referrals and crisis services.

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Stigma and Discrimination Reduction (SDR) Survey



SDR Program Questionnaire (English)

Stigma and Discrimination Reduction Program Participant Questionnaire



To help us improve, please tell us what you think!

- SDR is anonymous and voluntary
- Please click on the link in the chat box and fill in:

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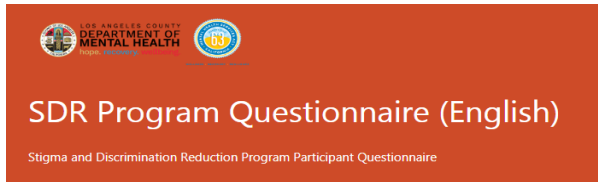
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All other questions are optional. Feel free to skip any questions you do not wish to answer.



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