

Calendar of Monthly Campaigns

JANUARY

National Mentoring Month
National Bath Safety Month

FEBRUARY

National Children's Dental Health Month
National Eating Disorder Awareness Month
National Child Passenger Awareness Week
Bake For Family Fun Month

MARCH

Read Across America
Incredible Kid Day—3rd Thursday

April

Week of the Young Child
National Child Abuse Prevention Month
National Kick Butts Day—Prevent teen smoking
National Day of Silence

MAY

Buckle Up America Week
Food Allergy Awareness Week
National Foster Care Month
Children's Health Awareness Day

SEPTEMBER

Childhood Cancer Awareness Month
Children's Eye Health & Safety Month
Suicide Prevention Day / Week

OCTOBER

Child Health Day
Take Your Daughters To Work Day
National Missing Children's Day
National Book Month
Bullying Prevention Awareness Week
Make a Difference Day
Walk to School Day

NOVEMBER

National Adoption Month
National Homeless Youth Awareness Month

DECEMBER

Safe Toys and Gifts Month
National Drunk & Drugged Driving
Prevention Month
Underage Drinking



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PROJECT IDEAS

Ongoing Collections:

Books for school age children
Suitcases, clothes, toys and
more for kid's in foster care

Community:

Have a Health & Safety Expo
Hold an Internet Safety Class
Give out Child ID Kits
Pass out W.H.A.L.E. kits
Car Seat Checks
Bicycle Safety & Helmet Check

Within Your Club:

Make Blue Bears
Host a non-alcoholic gathering
"Adopt" a child
Support a Juniorette Club
Establish ongoing relationships
with local shelters and other
organizations in need.
Fundraise for the OVFC Fund

**RAISE AWARENESS
ON ANY ISSUE THAT
AFFECTS A CHILD!**

EDUCATE YOUR COMMUNITY!

Resources For All Areas of OVFC

<http://www.FloridaSmart.com>

<http://KidHealth.org>

<http://www.ConnectWithKids.com>



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Focus Areas

Sun Safety

Foster Care

Early Childhood Education

Children's Health & Safety

Bullying

E.M.S.C.

Internet Safety

Suicide Prevention



Juniors' Special Project

Advocates for Children

The goal of *One Voice for Children* is to have a dramatic, positive impact on the lives of Florida's children... to encourage members to continue working on projects that protect children and youth from harmful situations, encouraging healthy lifestyles, prevent substance abuse and youth suicide.

Sun Safety

<http://www.sunsafetyforkids.org>

SunWise Program

<http://www.epa.gov/SunWise/kids.html>

Sun Safety Alliance

<http://www.sunsafetyalliance.org/kids.html>

Additional Information

<http://www.makesunsafetyyourgoal.org/about.htm>

<http://www.sunaware.org/>

<http://www.skincancerprevention.org>



Foster Care In Florida

<http://www.dcf.state.fl.us/fostercare>

<http://www.chsfl.org/becoming-chs-foster-parent.php>

http://www.childwelfare.com/florida_child_welfare.htm

<http://www.adoption.org/adopt/foster-child-adoption-florida.php>

http://www.state.fl.us/cf_web

<http://www.foundationforfosterchildren.org>

www.fsmetroorlando.org

Assisting those in Orange and Osceola counties

www.hillsboroughkids.org

Assisting those in Hillsborough County

Additional Information

www.kidsarewaiting.org

www.nationalcasa.org

www.fostercaremonth.org



U.S. Dept. of Education

<http://www.ed.gov>

Early Childhood Education

Florida Department of Education

<http://www.fldoe.org>

Early Childhood Association of Florida

<http://ecaoffl.org>

**National Association for the Education
of Young Children, <http://www.naeyc.org>**

NON-FICTION BOOKS that give you a glimpse at what it's like to be bullied and what it was like to live in foster care when there were no regulations.

Letters to a Bullied Girl: Messages of Healing and Hope by Olivia Gardner, with Emily and Sarah Buder exposes the bullying issue with real-life examples helping others who are bullied to cope and hopefully inspire bullies to change.

Hope's Boy a memoir of childhood in foster care by Andrew Bridge.

Children's Health & Safety

Monthly Family Safety Tips

<http://www.supporting-families.com/supportingfamilieshome.aspx>

<http://www.supporting-families.com/tipslibrary.html>



Environmental Working Group

<http://www.ewg.org>

Additional Information

<http://www.keepkidshealthy.com>

<http://childrenssafetynetwork.org>

<http://kidshealth.org>

<http://www.nationalchildrensstudy.gov/Pages/default.aspx>

Suicide Prevention

<http://www.helppreventsuicide.org>

<http://www.save.org>

Bullying

<http://stopbullyingnow.hrsa.gov/index.asp>

<http://www.nea.org/grants/16631.htm>

<http://www.loveourchildrenusa.org/StompOutBullying/index.php>

Cyberbullying

<http://www.stopcyberbullying.org/index2.html>

<http://www.cyberbullying.us>

Internet Safety

<http://www.netsmartz.org/index.aspx>

<http://www.isafe.org>

<http://www.ikeepsafe.org>

<http://www.wiredsafety.org>



E.M.S.C.

In Florida

<http://www.doh.state.fl.us/demo/EMS/EMSC/EMSCHome.html>

<http://www.childrensnational.org/EMSC>

<http://bolivia.hrsa.gov/emsc>

<http://www.emsc.net>

<http://www.nedarc.org/nedarc/index.html>

<http://www.childrensnational.org>