

Partnering With Law Enforcement

The Kid-Safe values its relationship with law enforcement agencies throughout the nation. Law enforcement is often a thankless job, and we recognize the sacrifice and service of these officers each and every day.

We are here to help **YOU** share important safety information that can reduce crimes against children. By raising the awareness level and educating children and parents, we can change behaviors and actions that often put children at greater risk of victimization.

Our Resources Cost You Nothing

We understand that budget and manpower constraints often limit what law enforcement can provide. By raising community support to fund the purchase of the resources we offer, we can provide these educational tools to your community at **NO COST** to local law enforcement agencies.

We Welcome Your Help

We welcome your officers to be actively involved in our Kid-Safe venues. At our events, having local law enforcement help fingerprint cards and interact with the families at the venue helps us enroll faster and gives officers a chance to be seen involved in their community outside of a crisis situation.

Making sure 9-1-1 operators and officers understand our online program and how to access it also helps make sure the system works as intended.

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To Create A "Kid-Safe" Community



About Kid-Safe Communities

Kid-Safe is a project of the Fighting Back Institute, a proactive, non-profit educational training center dedicated to the prevention of child abuse, molestation and abduction of our children.

Our mission is to teach children and their parents about “Danger Awareness” through a interactive workshops, safety fairs, and a variety of educational tools.

Instant Amber

We have partnered with Instant Amber, an Internet-based national ID program that complements the existing national Amber Alert system and provides another resource tool to aid law enforcement in expediting the search for an abducted or lost child.

InstantAmber provides a fast and efficient way for families to provide relevant information to law enforcement necessary to help investigators and the community identify a missing child in those precious first hours.



Our system allows a family to create a non-invasive, password-protected digital profile that can be instantly accessed by law enforcement, who in turn can

disseminate the information locally, statewide, or nationally at their discretion, and with no restrictions or preconditions.

Kid-Safe Venues

Kid-Safe field agents regularly hold education and safety training workshops at civic, school, church and community events.

At many of these events, we also fingerprint and provide Child ID kits, as well as information on how parents can create an online profile using InstantAmber.

Corporate and individual sponsors help defray the cost of ID kits (which include a fingerprint card, DNA collection kit, FBI-approved Ink Strip, and safety ID booklet). This allows local us to provide these resources free of charge to venue attendees.

Kid-Safe ID Card

A simple but effective ID card kit allows a parent to create a profile on each child, including a current photo, and to store this information in a wallet, purse or auto glove box. This ID card also includes a “permission to treat” form and can be left with babysitters or with parents or chaperones when kids are traveling.

Educational Brochures & DVDs

We offer a number of safety and educational DVDs to help parents reinforce the safety

principles taught in our Kid-Safe venues.

- Good Touch vs. Bad Touch
- Exposing Predator Lures
- Bully Busting
- Internet Safety
- Home Alone Safety
- Fire Prevention Safety

Self-Defense Workshops

Teaching children how to effectively deal with bullies, as well as adults who might seek to harm them in some way, is essential. At many of our workshops, we instruct children in very simple, but practical means to “fight back” when escape is not an option.

Through interactive role playing, we help teach kids to be “aware” and to avoid many of the lures that predators use to draw children into their snare, as well as how to recognize and deal with bullies at school and in their own neighborhoods.

We continually remind children throughout these workshops that law enforcement is there to help, but they can’t help if they are not notified. They are taught they are not only helping themselves, but others who might be harmed if they keep silent and do not report abuse or assault.

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