



SAFECARE®



About the Service

SafeCare® is an evidence-based, in-home, parent-training program for parents to improve skills in three areas: health care, home safety, and parent-infant/child interactions. This program is conducted in weekly home visits lasting from 50 to 90 minutes each for 18 weeks.



Who does the service benefit?

This service helps families with children ages birth to five who need support with parent-infant interaction, health care, and home safety.

Service Highlights

- SafeCare® is made up of three modules: health, home safety, and parent-infant/child interactions
- Throughout the modules parents are provided information on developmental milestones, how to apply skills according to child development, and how to enhance child development.
- **Health Module:**
 - Learn how to use reliable and accurate health reference materials and identify symptoms of child illnesses and injuries.
 - Gain skills to know when to treat child(ren) at home, call the doctor, or visit the emergency room.
 - Learn ways to prevent injury and illness.
- **Home Safety Module:**
 - Learn how to identify safety hazards, childproof a home, and how to appropriately supervise children.
- **Parent-Infant/Child Interactions Module:**
 - Learn fun and engaging play activities.
 - Discover how to structure routine activities.
 - Increase bonding and improve positive parent-child relations.
 - Learn skills to increase positive interactions and prevent challenging behaviors.



ASSISTANCE:

Up to \$500 may be available to assist children and families with concrete goods when those goods support child safety, reduce risk of abuse or neglect, stabilize placement, or facilitate safe reunification.

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