#### YES, I would like to help!

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Thank you for helping to prevent child abuse in your community!

# Child Abuse is 100% Preventable



You Can Help Today

#### - WHY DONATE

#### Consider these startling facts:

- Research has demonstrated a strong link between abuse in childhood and poor school performance, increased violence, and unstable family situations.
- Children who have been abused are more at risk to continue the cycle of violence.
- For every \$1 spent on prevention, at least \$4 in treatment costs are avoided.

Each year there are approximately 10,000 reports of child abuse that require intervention in Contra Costa County.

UC Berkeley Center for Social Services Research, May 2015

#### WHO WE ARE

## Family & Children's Trust Fund (FACT)

Family and Children's Trust Fund of Contra Costa County (FACT) supports local programs that provide critical services for at-risk children and families. Your contribution will be used solely to support these services.

As a committee of volunteer county citizens, appointed by the Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors, we make program funding recommendations based on a needs evaluation and monitor funded programs.

For More Information Call the FACT Staff at (925) 608-5000

Or visit our website:

#### HOW YOUR DONATION HELPS

Your contribution to FACT will help support programs in your community for at-risk children and their families to provide:

- Treatment for child abuse victims
- Support services for substance abuse
- Multi-cultural parent education
- Parenting education and life skills for pregnant and parenting teens
- Services for children with special needs and their parents

This is one of the most important tax deductible contributions you'll make all year.

### Every donation helps!

