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Domestic Violence Awareness Campaign

Domestic violence is a serious issue that affects individuals and families across all communities. It can take many forms, including physical, emotional, and psychological abuse, and its impact can be devastating. If you or someone you know is experiencing domestic violence, it's important to remember that help is available. You are not alone. There are resources and support systems in place to provide assistance, safety, and guidance. Reach out to local organizations, shelters, or national hotlines for confidential support. Together, we can work towards creating a community where everyone feels safe, respected, and valued.

DV Resources:

YWCA: <https://ywcapbc.org/>

Aid to Victims of Domestic Abuse:

<https://www.avdaonline.org/>

Palm Beach County Sherriff's Office:

<https://www.pbso.org/>

Palm Beach County Victim's Services:

<https://discover.pbcgov.org/publicsafety/victimservices/Pages/Locations.aspx>

Legal Aid Society of Palm Beach County:

<https://www.15thcircuit.com/program-page/domestic-violence/legal-aid>



BRIDGES: New Fiscal Year

As we embark on a new fiscal year, we reflect on the successes at BRIDGES! We are excited to welcome both new and returning members, as we continue working toward our shared mission: building the capacity of parents so that children can grow up healthy, safe, and strong. Here's to a new fiscal year filled with exciting workshops, events, and activities across the BRIDGES sites! None of this would be possible without the unwavering support of our community partners, and we extend a heartfelt thank you for their dedication and collaboration in making a lasting impact on the lives of those we serve.



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BRIDGES Champion Celebration

On September 18th, we had the privilege of hosting the Community Partners of South Florida BRIDGES Champion Celebration, a night filled with inspiring stories and heartfelt moments. We gathered to honor some of our most transformative members, whose dedication and impact have strengthened our community in countless ways. Their stories of perseverance and commitment to building healthy, safe, and strong families left a lasting impression on all who attended. This special evening was a reminder of the incredible work being done by individuals and partners alike, as we continue to foster connections and create opportunities for growth and success within our community.



Resource Hub

Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies Coalition Of Palm Beach County- Pregnant Women & Expectant Families

561-623-2800

HomeSafe- Families with Children Birth to Five screens and assesses children for developmental delays or behavior concerns, as well as mothers for signs of postpartum depression

561-383-9871

211- free and confidential crisis and emergency counseling, disaster assistance, food, health care and insurance assistance, stable housing and utilities payment assistance, employment services, veterans services and childcare and family services.

- 2-1-1
- (561) 383-1112
- (866) 882-2991
- Text your zip code to 898211 (available 24/7)

Safe Kids Palm Beach County- Safe Kids Palm Beach County is a community-based program that offers safety education and materials to families to decrease accidental injuries in children from 0 to 19 years of age.

(561) 841-3500, Ext 4011

Early Learning Coalition of Palm Beach County- For parents looking for child care in Palm Beach County, the Early Learning Coalition of Palm Beach County (ELCPBC) offers free, unbiased, personalized information on child care programs and providers in the area.

Parents: 561-514-3300

Providers/Administrative: 561-214-8000