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Child Abuse Prevention Forum

ABILENE, TX – I have often said that we are better together. That is certainly true when it comes to preventing child abuse. April is Child Abuse Awareness Month, and I am proud to announce a community meeting on Wednesday, April 25th at Fountaingate Fellowship Church, located at 909 N. Willis St. The event will begin at 8:30 a.m. and go until 11 a.m., or as discussions warrant. Subject matter experts including Police, Child Protective Service, Children's Advocacy Center, and Churches will share best practices related to the prevention, discovery and mandatory reporting of child abuse. This community event is open to all churches and daycares in the City of Abilene. Other stakeholders are welcomed to attend. Please direct any questions to apdpio@abilenetx.gov.

Respectfully
Chief Stan Standridge,

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