

April is Child Abuse Prevention Month



Promote Healthy Families
in Your Community

New Resource to Promote Healthy Families

A new free resource is now available to promote healthy families and protect children. *Promoting Healthy Families in Your Community: 2007 Resource Packet* was created to support service providers who work with parents, other caretakers, and their children, with the common goal of promoting healthy families.

Developed by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services' Children's Bureau, Office on Child Abuse and Neglect, its Child Welfare Information Gateway, the FRIENDS National Resource Center for Community-Based Child Abuse Prevention Program, and numerous national organizations and parents, the *Resource Packet* highlights strategies that can strengthen families by promoting key protective factors that prevent child abuse and neglect. The packet includes resources for workers to share with parents and strategies to promote community awareness of these key protective factors.

To view / order the packet, go to the Child Welfare Information Gateway website: www.childwelfare.gov/preventing or contact Information Gateway at 1.800.394.3366 / info@childwelfare.gov.

