



Northeastern Region: Action Plan

Connecting Communities to Support Families and Well-Being

Northeastern Counties: Bath, Bracken, Boyd, Carter, Elliott, Fleming, Greenup, Lawrence, Lewis, Mason, Menifee, Montgomery, Morgan, Robertson and Rowan

Prevention Strategies	Prevention Objectives	Levels of Prevention Addressed (Primary and/or Secondary)	Projected Timeline (Short term or Long Term)
Engage caregivers of school-age children around resources	Determine barriers to engagement and strengthen family and community relationships and social services (DCBS)	Primary	Short term (1-3 months)
	Assess gaps in resources for and inclusion of fathers, utilize fathers with lived experience	Primary	Short Term (3-6 months)
	Increase awareness and build network of employer sponsored child care	Primary	Short Term (6-12 months)
Increase community-wide response to family and interpersonal violence	Create a current list of domestic violence services available to families	Secondary	Short Term (1-3 months)
	Display DV resource lists in public places and create posters and brochures of resources that can be shared both publicly and discreetly	Secondary	Short Term (6-12 months)
	Increase awareness of non-offender engagement and perpetrator accountability for court personnel and community partners	Secondary	Short Term (6-12 months)

Primary prevention activities are directed at the general population and attempt to stop maltreatment before it occurs, with all community members having access to and opportunities to benefit from services.

Secondary prevention activities focus on offering services to at-risk populations, with one or more risk factors associated with child maltreatment, such as poverty, parental substance misuse or parental mental health concerns, and may focus on communities with high incidence of identified risk factors.

Tertiary prevention activities focus on families where maltreatment has already occurred, seek to reduce the negative consequences of the maltreatment, and to prevent its recurrence.