

ABOUT PENDARVIS CONSULTING & TRAINING

Social Worker, Educator and Child Abuse Prevention Specialist, Stacy Pendarvis, is committed to her mission of empowering individuals, agencies and communities to better protect children through advocacy, prevention education and professional program development. Her goal is to help agencies and communities work collaboratively to protect children from maltreatment and exploitation using comprehensive and evidence-based strategies while avoiding duplicating services.

Education & Experience

- Earned Masters degree in Social Work and Masters degree in Academic Psychology, East Carolina University
- 17+ years experience in child safety and child abuse prevention
- Has served as adjunct faculty member at Methodist University, University of North Carolina Pembroke, and University of North Florida

Selected Partnerships & Projects

- Darkness to Light Authorized Stewards of Children Facilitator & Instructor and Prevent Now Facilitator & Instructor
- Prevent Child Abuse North Carolina developed statewide online Recognizing & Reporting Child Abuse curriculum
- Monique Burr Foundation for Children, Inc. member of bullying & child abuse prevention curriculum development, revision and expansion team; statewide trainer
- Florida statewide prevention initiative with multiple partner agencies













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Empowering Communities. Protecting Children.

SPECIALIZING IN CHILD ADVOCACY
AND THE PREVENTION OF:

Child Sexual Abuse & Exploitation All forms of Child Abuse & Neglect Bullying, Cyberbullying & Digital Abuse

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PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Program Development

- Selection or development of prevention program materials
- Creation of in-person and online training curricula
- Planning and support of community prevention initiatives
- ▶ Funding development and support

Project Management & Support

- Planning and management of community awareness and outreach events
- Awareness and outreach material selection and development
- Communication Material Development: articles, newsletters, marketing materials, press releases

Online Resources

 Free online resources including a blog with safety information and tips for parents, youth-serving organizations and communities

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS & PRESENTATIONS

DARKNESS TO LIGHT (D2L)

Stewards of Children Workshop

- ✓ 2½ hour evidence-based training led by an Authorized Facilitator
- √ Teaches adults to prevent, recognize and react responsibly to child sexual abuse
- √ Based on 7 steps to protecting our children

Authorized Facilitator Workshop

- √ 8 hour Authorized Facilitator training led by an Authorized D2L Instructor
- ✓ Trains Authorized
 Facilitators to lead
 Stewards of Children
 workshops in their own
 agencies and communities

Prevent Now Community Awareness Model

- ✓ 2 hour community awareness meeting that leads to collaborative community initiative
- √ 8 hour Authorized Prevent Now Facilitator workshop trains Prevent Now Facilitators to continue grass roots prevention efforts in their own communities

Recognizing & Reporting Child Abuse & Neglect

- 2 hour training for volunteers, professionals, and other concerned adults
- Discusses indicators and risk factors of child abuse and neglect, reporting laws and procedures, and barriers to reporting
- ✓ Participants learn the consequences of child abuse for victims and society and why it is important to get families needed services through reporting

Lunch & Learn Topics / Conference Presentations

- √ Child's Play: Problematic Sexual Behavior & Healthy Sexual Development
- ✓ Comprehensive Strategies: The Reality of What Works in Child Abuse Prevention
- √ Bullying, Cyberbullying & Digital Safety
- √ EMPOWERED series
 - **▶** EMPOWERED Parents
 - **▶** EMPOWERED Professionals
 - ▶ EMPOWERED Youth