

# April is Child Abuse Awareness Month

## *Plant a Pinwheel Garden*



The Northern Kentucky Children's Advocacy Center has joined many other organizations across the nation by adopting the pinwheel as the symbol for Child Abuse Awareness Month in April. Help us to raise awareness that child abuse is a serious and prevalent public health problem in Northern Kentucky and that children have a right to grow up in safe and loving homes!

Please **join us in planting a "Garden of Pinwheels"** demonstrating your support of children in your community and your commitment for all children to grow up safe and free from violence.

How to get involved:

- **Purchase a Garden Kit (\$50.00)**, which includes 25 colorful plastic pinwheels and a yard sign noting that the pinwheels represent reports of suspected child abuse in your county. The sign also has the Northern Kentucky Children's Advocacy Center's contact information.
- **Purchase pinwheels** at \$1.00 each to show your support.
- **Encourage others** in your community to plant a pinwheel garden.

*Don't have a high visibility location for your garden? Consider giving the garden to a local school, church or child care center.*

*One in four girls and one in six boys will be sexually abused before turning 18.*

*Only one in ten will tell...*



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*This month alone, more than 65 children will be seen at the Northern Kentucky Children's Advocacy Center with the courage to talk about the unimaginable.*

***Because ONE adult with courage was there***

***Are you the ONE with courage?***

*Please join us in protecting our community's children by completing the form on the back of this page.*