



Communities are a vital resource in supporting families so child maltreatment does not occur.

All children deserve to have safe, stable, nurturing and healthy homes and communities that foster their well-being.

Through collaboration, awareness and action we can impact both the current and future quality of life in our communities.

Mission Statement: We provide Craven County families with educational information on child development, safety and parenting, and promote the improvement of outcomes for families and children in our community.

Who We Are

About Us

The Community Coalition for Craven County Children is a diverse group of individuals who meet on a monthly basis to work towards ensuring that every child in Craven County has a safe, healthy and caring environment where each one can reach his or her full potential through strong families and a supportive community.

For more information, please contact:

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Meetings are 2nd Monday of each month

9:00 AM at Easter Seals 2801 Neuse Blvd.



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*"Strong Communities Raise
Strong Children"*

Between July 2014- June 2015 there were 1359 children assessed in Craven County due to allegations of abuse and neglect, YET Child Maltreatment is preventable!!

Want to make a difference in the lives of Craven County children??

We can help our community's economic prosperity and quality of life by reducing child maltreatment.

We can save our country an estimated \$123 billion by eliminating child maltreatment!

We must create and implement supportive resources for families to ensure safety for children.

We as a community, can make a difference.....

We want to involve persons in our community to:

- Learn more about child abuse prevention.
- Serve on a group to advocate for children and families in Craven County.
- Help with awareness by assisting with community education on this issue.
- Support struggling parents in our community by listening, offering help, modeling positive parenting and offering kind words.
- Listen to children and know the signs and symptoms of abuse and neglect.

If you see or suspect child maltreatment, refer it to the Craven County Department of Social Services: (252)636-4948 or After Hours – (252)633-2357



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Vision Statement:

That every child in Craven County has a safe, healthy and caring environment where each one can reach his or her full potential through strong families and a supportive community.