



The following list of resources is provided to assist in your search for information regarding child sexual assault/abuse. The information is not meant to take the place of professional medical or legal advice. It is not intended to be a replacement for professional counselling where such is indicated. We have included resources that we, The Sexual Assault Domestic Violence Treatment Centre (SADVTC) have reviewed as well as resources recommended by other professionals. Thunder Bay Regional Health Sciences Centre does not control nor bear responsibility for the content contained on the websites.

## Family Violence in Canada

from the Department of Justice Canada

<http://www.justice.gc.ca/eng/cj-jp/fv-vf/>

## Children and Sexual Assault/Abuse

Understanding Child Sexual Abuse: A Guide for Parents and Caregivers

<http://www.childdevelop.ca/sites/default/files/understanding-child-sexual-abuse.pdf>

## Kid's Help Phone: Sexual Abuse

<http://www.kidshelpphone.ca/Kids/InfoBooth/Violence-and-Abuse/Sexual-Abuse.aspx>

## Stop It Now: Together We Can Prevent The Sexual Abuse of Children

<http://www.stopitnow.org>

## Ontario Network of Sexual Assault Domestic Violence Treatment Centres

[http://www.satcontario.com/en/about\\_sa\\_violence-child.php](http://www.satcontario.com/en/about_sa_violence-child.php)

## Boost: Child Abuse Prevention and Intervention

<http://www.boostforkids.org/>

Dedicated to prevention of child abuse and violence through awareness and education Providing services in the Toronto area; see under 'Resources' for Information sheets.

## Canadian Centre for Child Protection

<http://www.protectchildren.ca>

A charitable organization whose goal is to reduce child victimization and provide service to Canadians; also operates the programs below:

<http://www.commit2kids.ca>

See Parent's Section = What All Parents Should Know

What to Teach Your Child

Choosing A Child Safe Organization

<http://www.stopsexwithkids.ca>

A campaign initiated in Manitoba to address sexual exploitation and raise awareness about children who are exploited through the sex trade; see Safety Strategies – specific fact sheets on personal safety and healthy child development for various age groups.

<http://www.cybertip.ca>

Canada's National tip line for reporting the online sexual exploitation of children.

## Resources on sexual abuse

<http://www.kidsintheknow.ca>

Interactive safety education program for increasing personal safety of children and reducing their risk of victimization online and in the real world, kindergarten to highschool.

<http://www.texted.ca>

Geared towards teens to teach how to be safe, responsible and respectful users of texting technologies.

## Sexual Abuse - What Happens When You Tell: A Guide For Children

<http://www.phac-aspc.gc.ca/sfv-avf/sources/nfnts/nfnts-visac-nfnts-parents/index-eng.php>

## Sexual Abuse - Counselling A Guide for Parents and Children...

<http://www.phac-aspc.gc.ca/sfv-avf/sources/nfnts/nfnts-visac-parents/index-eng.php>

## Sibling Sexual Abuse: A Guide for Parents

<http://www.phac-aspc.gc.ca/sfv-avf/sources/nfnts/nfnts-visac-sibabus/index-eng.php>

## When Boys Have Been Sexually Abused: A Guide for Young Boys

<http://www.phac-aspc.gc.ca/sfv-avf/sources/nfnts/nfnts-visac-ymale/index-eng.php>

## When Girls Have Been Sexually Abused: A Guide For Young Girls

[http://www.phac-aspc.gc.ca/sfv-avf/sources/nfnts/nfnts-visac-grls\\_e.pdf](http://www.phac-aspc.gc.ca/sfv-avf/sources/nfnts/nfnts-visac-grls_e.pdf)

## When Teenage Girls Have Been Sexually Abused: A Guide for Teenagers

<http://www.phac-aspc.gc.ca/sfv-avf/sources/nfnts/nfnts-visac-adofemale/index-eng.php>

## When Teenage Boys Have Been Sexually Abused: A Guide for Teenagers

<http://www.phac-aspc.gc.ca/sfv-avf/sources/nfnts/nfnts-visac-adofemale/index-eng.php>

## When Children Act Out Sexually: A Guide for Parents and Teachers

<http://www.phac-aspc.gc.ca/sfv-avf/sources/nfnts/nfnts-visac-adofemale/index-eng.php>

***For more information call SADVTC: 807-684-6751***

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