Where help may be found

SANTA CRUZ — April is child Abuse Prevention Month, a time for awareness of both the problem and the services that can provide help.

Below is a list of Santa Cruz County organizations that provide either information about child abuse or treatment and

counseling:

14.8 EMERGENCY

Police or sheriff emergency, 911 Child Protective Services (If you suspect sexual, physical or emotional abuse or neglect), 425-2644 or 724-0623 Parental Stress Hotline, 426-7322 or 724-2879

INFORMATION
Child Abuse Prevention Council, 425-4860
Child Development Resource Center, 476-7140
Child Protective Services, 425-2644 or 724-0623
Commission for the Prevention of Violence against Women, 425-5428.

Mother's Network, 425-4860

Parents Center, 426-7322 Victim-Witness Program 425-2610 or 722-3511 Voucher Project (for low-income children) 688-2152

Women's Crisis Support 425-5255 or 728-2295 TREATMENT

Alternatives to Violence, 425-5248
Community Hospital Emergency, 426-3282
Dominican Hospital Emergency, 462-7710
Pajaro Valley Counseling, 722-3577
Parents Center, 426-7322
Physician Referral 462-7728
Watsonville Hospital Emergency, 724-4741
Women's Crisis Support, 429-1478 or 728-2295
Youth Services. 425-0771 or 728-2226

DROP-IN CHILD CARE
Calvary Child Care, 425-1332
Community Children's Center, 425-8668
Discovery Land, 476-9684
Rainbow Years, 476-1684
Pride and Joy, 476-6266
Sonshine Christian Preschool, 425-8788
Pajaro Valley Children's Center, 722-3737
Children's Center of SLV, 336-2857