

April 2016 Child Abuse Awareness Month!

*Celebrating strong families, safe kids and
stable communities!*

Schedule of events

Wear Blue Day

April 13, all day

Businesses, organizations, classrooms and families are invited to participate in this state-wide program to help raise awareness of child abuse prevention.



Post your WearBlue photos to social media
#WearBlueOhio #LorainCountyChildrenServices



"Foster Parenting with Lorain County Children Services" an online lunchtime chat

April 20, 12pm - 1 pm

Have you thought about fostering but had questions about the process? Join agency staff and licensed foster parents as we break down the process for obtaining your license.

Connect to the Event Discussion on the Lorain County Children Services Foster Parents facebook page (facebook.com/LCCSFosterParents)

Blue Sunday

April 24

Blue Sunday is a faith-based initiative to lead the community in awareness of children who are abused or neglected and the need for foster parents. Places of worship are encouraged to contact LCCS at 440-329-5340 for Blue Sunday support materials and to arrange for a guest speaker at no cost.



Foster Parent Open House

April 28 6PM-7:30 PM, St. Mary's, Elyria

Meet agency foster parents and staff at this informal networking event. Table topics will keep things interesting and lively. RSVPs are a must. Call 440-329-5340.

15th Annual Rally for Kids

April 30 12pm - 5pm Midway Mall

Family fun with crafts, activities, entertainment and information from many community organizations serving children and families.

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For more information, coloring pages,
make-your-own pinwheel directions or to get
involved, please visit ChildrenServices.org or call
440-329-5340



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