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April is Child Abuse Prevention Month!

[Click here for Pinwheels for Prevention Virtual Campaign Activities](#)

## COMMUNITY EVENTS BLAST

### KIDS' CORNER

We know there is a lot going on now upending most families' routines. That's why the Children's Services Council is happy to share some fun FREE activities to do at home as a family to continue learning and inspire imagination when not engaged in Broward County Schools' virtual education.

- **NEW Broward County Library: Mini storytimes (releasing on Mondays) and Mini STEAM storytimes (releasing on Thursdays) through Facebook, Instagram, and You Tube.**
- **Flamingo Gardens: Daily Virtual Tours via YouTube**
- **NEW Greater Fort Lauderdale: Junior Ambassador Program**

- Junior Achievement of South Florida: Students learn the importance of proactive financial planning as a means of preparing for a changing economy
- KIDOLOGY Enterprises, Inc.: Virtual Dance & Fitness Classes
- Kidvision Pre-K App. Free to download! Offers Virtual Field Trips and more!
- Museum of Discovery and Science: Time for Virtual Camp Discovery! MODS will be releasing new video each weekday for your little explorer to view.
- NSU Alvin Sherman Library: Learn at Home! Handy Resource Guide to Virtual Home Learning
- **NEW** OneUnited Bank: 10th Annual "I Got Bank!" Financial Literacy Contest
- **NEW** Read 2 Achieve: Closing the achievement gap, by equipping Educators and Parents with strategies and techniques to support and empower struggling beginning Readers.
- Stranahan House: Complimentary museum programs including storytime, virtual tours, and history hours.

## SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

CSC President/CEO, Cindy Arenberg Seltzer, and Dir. of Communication and Community Engagement, Andrew Leone, talk about community initiatives supporting children and families during the COVID-19 pandemic with Forever Family Founder/CEO, Gia Tutalo-Mote.

**For CSC Providers: A message from FISCAL re: Coronavirus Invoicing Guidelines**

**BECON TV: Eduvision is here! A message from Board Chair Donna P. Korn & Superintendent Robert W. Runcie**

**Together4Broward: A taskforce of Broward service organizations supporting and sustaining our community during extraordinary times.**

[Visit the Broward Census.gov website](#)

**Listen to an interview re: US Census 2020 with CSC's Sandra Bernard Bastien, Chief Communications Officer, on local Caribbean Riddims Radio**

## RESOURCES TO GET YOU BY

- **CareerSource Broward: Reemployment Assistance Program (formerly Unemployment Compensation) - Apply online today!**
- **Access Florida: SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) Benefits - Apply online today!**
- **Memorial Doc Now has extended the deadline for FREE Virtual Visits through [April 30.](#)**
- **NEW CARES Act Mortgage Forbearance: What You Need to Know**

## CSC BROWARD TRAININGS

#CSCBrowardTrains

Following CDC recommendations on social distancing, we are rescheduling our events, trainings, and meetings scheduled through April 30th. Please check our website for future updates and information about online trainings.

### COMMUNITY PARTNERS' CORNER

Forever Family, NBC 6, March 26, 2020: "Kids in Distress" based in Fort Lauderdale will enable more people help those children who may enter the foster care system or be left without a home due to COVID 19. If you or someone you know is interested in signing up for classes, please contact Forever Family in partnership with the Children's Services Council of Broward County at ForeverFamily.org.

- **[AHAM Education: FREE Daily Virtual Mindfulness Practices via Zoom](#)**
- **[BoysTown South Florida: A Message from the President re: COVID-19 Practices](#)**
- **[NEW Center for Mind-Body Wellness: Mobilizing the Healing Power of the Mind – a free CMBM self-care workshop](#)**
- **[Children's Bereavement Center is now providing FREE virtual grief support groups](#)**
- **[Family Network on Disabilities: Special Healthcare Needs Webinars Preparing Youth and Fam](#)**

- Florida Kidcare: Changes to Premium payments based on current income if affected by loss of income. Call the hotline to see if you qualify **954-INSURES**. [Click here for more information!](#)
- Florida Poison Control Centers are assisting the FL Dept. of Health with calls re: COVID-19. **Hotline 1-866-779-6121**
- **[NEW Goodman JFS/Joshua's Path: Alphabet Soup – Understanding Social Security for People with Disabilities](#)**
- **[JAFCO: Youth, Parent, and Support Workshops being offered weekly](#)**
- **[LifeNet4Families: COVID-19 Relief Efforts](#)**
- **[National Disability Institute: Impact on the Disability Community – Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security \(CARES\) Act and Family First Response Act](#)**
- **[MIA Media Group: Community updates re: COVID-19 and Free Resources available to residents of Broward County](#)**
- **[National Center for Families Learning: Online resources for the whole family!](#)**

## FEATURE YOUR EVENTS

CSC Broward is pleased to share child and family-related information, including funding opportunities. Please contact the sponsoring organizations directly for more info. Events in the blast are listed free of charge and, unless sponsored by the CSC, should not be considered as endorsements.

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