



Child Injury Prevention Newsletter

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News

- Well done to Woodroyd Children's Centre for replacing their blinds. Woodroyd children's centre have replaced all their dangerous loop cord blinds for twist grip blinds. Following a visit by the child accident prevention coordinator who noticed the danger the centre has acted on advice given. If any centre would like an informal visit to highlight any safety issues please contact Davina Hartley.
- Bradford has taken part in National research into child injury prevention and road safety and disadvantage. The studies are being undertaken by DCSF and DFT. The researchers commented on the excellent partnership working displayed in Bradford and noticed how well 'joined up' services are in relation to child injury prevention within the District.

- Planning for child safety week 2009.

If anyone has any ideas for events during child safety week please contact Davina Hartley or come along to the CHIP practitioners group in January 2009.

Staying safe is vital for children and young people. Unless they are safe they will not be able to achieve in other areas, Staying Safe 2007

Hot Drinks Safety Campaign

- A burns/scald campaign is to be promoted to toddler groups. Local toddlers groups can sign up to the hot drinks safety campaign being promoted by the PCT and BSCB by contacting Hazel Ha (hazel.ha@bradford.nhs.uk). The campaign will promote safe practices regarding hot drinks within toddler groups.

- Connections roadshow event 8-12th December in localities
The event is to provide networking between providers and commissioner teams with the NHS.
Tuesday 9th December –Ramada Jarvis Bingley, Wednesday 10th—Victoria Hall Keighley, Thursday 11th—Bradford City Football Club, Friday 12th—Thornbury Centre
- CHIP practitioners group meets quarterly to discuss child injuries in Bradford and look at how they can be prevented. If you are interested in joining/attending this group please contact Davina Hartley. The next one is in January 2009. It would be nice to welcome some new faces.

- Brake held a road safety training day for road safety week
- Multi-agency basic awareness training in child injury prevention is to be held on the 3rd February 2009. Please contact the training representative in your organisation to book onto this.
- Free resources—Christmas Safety Leaflets are available from christmasleaflet@iris-london.co.uk
These are Free of charge—DCFS and Child Accident Prevention Trust have developed leaflets for parents highlighting the dangers to children in the home.

If you would like to add anything to our bi monthly newsletters or have any comments please contact Davina Hartley the Child Accident Prevention Coordinator for BSCB Email: davina.hartley@bradford.gov.uk
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