The Building Blocks of Parenting: Repairing and Enhancing the Parent-Child Relationship

Supports the child's education (encourages and actively participates)

Meets child's physical and mental health needs

Stimulates child's personal growth and development

Models healthy habits and good behaviors

Protects a child with special needs

Respects child's other parent

Puts child's needs ahead of own

Takes responsibility for actions and admits mistakes

Seeks outside assistance when needed

Knows the difference between fear and respect

Recognizes that his or her problems impact the child and is committed to working on them

Provides for the family

Respects and accepts LGBT teens

Sets limits and disciplines child appropriately

Expresses love, respect and approval of child

Plays with child in age-appropriate activities

Receives treatment for mental health or substance abuse issues

Recognizes that domestic violence impacts child

Communicates well with and listens to child

Understands developmental needs of child

Shows interest in child's world

Motivated to be a good parent

Safety and Love are the foundation of every healthy parent-child relationship.

SAFETY

LOVE

Florida's Supervised Visitation Programs: Protecting Children, Connecting Families

The Clearinghouse on Supervised Visitation, Institute for Family Violence Studies, College of Social Work, Florida State University

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