

About Safe Kids

Safe Kids Worldwide is a global network of organizations whose mission is to prevent accidental childhood injury, a leading killer of children 14 and under.

More than 450 coalitions in 16 countries bring together health and safety experts, educators, corporations, foundations, governments and volunteers to educate and protect families.

Safe Kids Worldwide was founded in 1987 as the National SAFE KIDS Campaign by [Children's National Medical Center](#) with support from [Johnson & Johnson](#). Safe Kids Worldwide is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization located in Washington, D.C.

<http://www.usa.safekids.org>



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Our Mission



Cub Scout learning
Safety in and around
cars.

The mission of the St. Joseph County Safe Kids Chapter is to decrease the mortality and morbidity rate in children, ages 0-14, by reducing unintentional injuries.

Preventable injuries, often referred to as “accidents”, continue to be the leading cause of childhood death and injury. The chapter is need of support and financial assistance from the community. Your help would be instrumental in helping us to make St. Joseph County a safer place for our children.

Safe Kids St. Joseph County is proud to declare more than 6 years of service to the children and families in our community. Safe Kids St. Joseph County works to prevent accidental childhood injury, the leading killer of children 14 and under. Its members include local police departments, emergency personnel, healthcare agencies and community volunteers. Safe Kids St. Joseph County is a member of Safe Kids Worldwide, a global network of organizations dedicated to



Walk This Way with Mishawaka Police Officer Tim Williams

preventing accidental injury. Safe Kids St. Joseph County was founded in the late 90's by Memorial Hospital and its interest faded away. The children's injured did not fade. In 2006, a member of Memorial Hospital and Clay Fire Territory decided that this program was too valuable to our community to let go. This is why we are looking for people wanting to help protect the young of St. Joseph County.

If you would like to help or find out more information about Safe Kids St. Joseph County please contact:

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