

MBF Prevention Education Programs Programs Overview

BASED ON RESEARCH

- » Comprehensive, evidence-based/evidence-informed programs teach universal safety rules and strategies following recommendations of polyvictimization research that apply to many types of victimization
- » *MBF Child Safety Matters*® has been found to be a quality and effective program by four independent research studies; other MBF programs are based on the same theoretical concepts and the same best practice prevention strategies ensuring their effectiveness
- » MBF is committed to ongoing evaluation of all programs
- » All program lessons are age and developmentally appropriate and use active learning strategies and reinforcement materials

PRACTICAL FOR SCHOOLS/ORGANIZATIONS

- » Programs are cost-effective and easy to implement for schools and organizations using standardized curricula with facilitator scripts and PowerPoint presentations
- » Lessons can be implemented by a variety of professionals (school counselors, teachers, health educators, nurses, coaches, local community partners such as child advocacy centers, etc.)
- » Facilitators are trained prior to implementing program lessons via live or online training options
- » Programs include reinforcement materials for children/teens, parents/guardians, and schools/organizations

HELPS SCHOOLS/ORGANIZATIONS MEET STATUTE AND POLICY REQUIREMENTS

- » School-based programs are aligned with many education and health instruction standards and help schools meet required bullying, child safety, and child abuse prevention requirements
- » *MBF Athlete Safety Matters*® helps youth sports organizations meet the youth athlete training requirements of the Protecting Youth Athletes and SafeSport Authorization Act of 2017

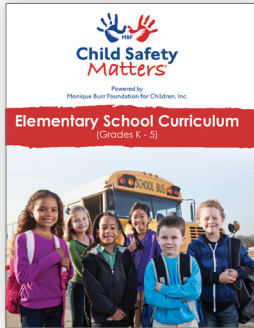
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- » Sameer Hinduja, Ph.D., Director, Cyberbullying Research Center
- » Darkness to Light
- » U.S. All Star Federation (USASF)
- » U.S. Center for SafeSport
- » National Educators to Stop Trafficking (NEST)
- » Approved by many state Departments of Education



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MBF Prevention Education Programs are comprehensive, evidence-based and evidence-informed primary prevention programs that educate and empower youth with Safety Rules and strategies to prevent, recognize, and respond appropriately to bullying, cyberbullying, the four types of child abuse (physical, emotional, sexual, neglect), exploitation, and digital dangers.



MBF Child Safety Matters® – Elementary School Edition

- » For students in grades kindergarten through five
- » Two lessons per classroom annually

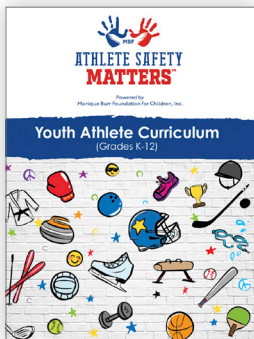
- Lesson 1** General safety and the four types of child abuse
Lesson 2 Bullying, cyberbullying, digital safety, and digital citizenship



MBF Teen Safety Matters® – Middle and High School Editions

- » For students in grades six through twelve
- » Two lessons per classroom annually

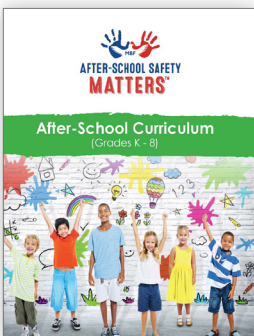
- Lesson 1** Digital safety, cyberbullying, sexting, and exploitation
Lesson 2 The four types of child abuse, bullying, relationship abuse, sexual assault, and exploitation/sex trafficking



MBF Athlete Safety Matters® – Youth Athlete Curriculum

- » For youth athletes (from beginner to elite levels) in sports settings
- » Two lessons presented to groups by grade level (K-2, 3-5, 6-8, 9-12)

- Lesson 1** Digital safety, cyberbullying, sexting, and exploitation
Lesson 2 The four types of child abuse, bullying/hazing, relationship abuse, and exploitation/sex trafficking



MBF After-School Safety Matters™ – After School and Youth Serving Organization Curriculum

- » For children and teens in after-school programs and youth-serving organizations
- » Six lessons presented to groups by grade level (K-2, 3-5, 6-8)

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| Lesson 1 | The 5 Safety Rules | Lesson 4 | Abuse |
| Lesson 2 | Bullying | Lesson 5 | Digital Safety |
| Lesson 3 | Cyberbullying | Lesson 6 | Digital Citizenship |