

## Additional Support from the Church Pension Group and Church Insurance Companies

To further assist Episcopal institutions in responding to the mandates of Resolution B008, the Church Pension Group has created **Model Policies and Procedures for the Protection of Children and Youth**.

Developed in partnership with the Nathan Network and in cooperation with outside experts and several involved groups in the church, the Model Policies and Procedures respond to all five elements identified in the resolution.

These Model Policies and Procedures are provided without cost to any Episcopal diocese, parish or other institution. They will be updated periodically as improved approaches to protect children from abuse are developed. They are available on the Church Pension Group website at [www.cpg.org/preventingsexualabuse](http://www.cpg.org/preventingsexualabuse)

También es disponible en Español.



*Education and training program for preventing and responding to child sexual abuse*

*Two videos, participant workbooks, and an in-depth training manual can help your organization comply with General Convention Resolution B008 and help keep your children and youth safe from sexual abuse.*

*Safeguarding God's Children*

## How Safe are Your Children?

In August 2003, the 74th General Convention passed **Resolution B008, Protection of Children and Youth From Abuse**, which mandated training in child sexual abuse prevention.

In response, the Church Pension Group, in association with Praesidium Religious Services, introduced **Safeguarding God's Children, an in-depth education and training program for preventing and responding to child sexual abuse, aimed at clergy, church leaders, parents and congregations.**

The program includes **two professionally produced videos**—one for parents and congregations and one for clergy, employees and volunteers of churches and organizations with ministries to children and youth—as well as **participant workbooks and an extensive training manual in both print and DVD formats.**

To introduce **Safeguarding God's Children**, CPG held seven two-day training sessions around the country between February and June 2004, in which over 400 people were trained in using this program. Thanks to the extremely favorable response, this **Safeguarding** program kit is now available for purchase by those who did not attend those sessions.

To date, over 70 Episcopal dioceses and many parishes and institutions around the country have already purchased **Safeguarding God's Children.**

**Safeguarding God's Children can help your organization comply with the General Convention resolution—and help keep your children and youth safe from sexual abuse.**

It is available in English and Spanish versions.

Each kit contains:

### For Parents and Congregations

(video, 29 minutes)

Gives a basic understanding of the dynamics of child sexual abuse including recognizing the signs that a child may have been abused, and what to do if you have concerns about a person's behavior toward a child or youth or suspect that molestation has occurred.

### For Ministries

(video, 32 minutes)

Designed for clergy, employees and volunteers responsible for planning, implementing or supervising children's and youth ministries, activities and programs, it shows steps that can be taken to prevent abuse.

### Participant Workbooks and The Manual For Training

Hands-on, structured workbooks for each participant that parallel and reinforce each training session. Participants use them during the sessions and keep them afterwards. Detailed, in-depth train-the-trainer methods and information. Both print and DVD formats are provided.

## Order Form

**Safeguarding God's Children** ISBN # 0-89869-450-7

An in-depth education and training program for preventing and responding to child sexual abuse

50% discount for Episcopal clergy and institutions:

\$175 per kit (1-3 kits)

\$139.60 per kit (4 or more)

List price for non-Episcopal clergy and institutions:

\$349 per kit (1-3 kits)

\$279.20 per kit (4 or more)

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