

Goal: Monroe County parents of babies up to age one will receive resources and parenting education to help them reach their maximum potential as a parent. This will be provided at two Community Baby Showers (September 2007 & March/April 2008)

Objectives	Activities to be completed	Person(s) responsible	Target Date
1. Plan & Implement Community Baby Showers	1a. Recruit team members	Shirley Hall	June 1, 2007
	1b. Write grant to receive funding	Shirley Hall	July 31, 2007
	1c. Reserve a place	Jeana Comer Carr	July 31, 2007
	1d. Submit plan worksheet	Shirley Hall	July 31, 2007
	1e. Receive grant funding	Partners In Prevention	August, 2007 & ?
2. Parents will receive help with items a baby needs	2a. Purchase new baby clothes	All team members	September, 2007
	2b. Request donations-baby clothes		March/April, 2008
	2c. Purchase items for diaper bags and contents		
	2d. Request donations-diaper bags and contents		
	2e. Purchase door prizes		
	2f. Request donations-door prizes		
	2g. Request donations-maternity clothes		
	2h. 5 minute presentation on price comparisons-generic vs. name brand	Patricia Kirby & Gale Cole	September, 2007 March/April 2008
3. Mothers and babies will be healthy	3a. 10 minute presentation on Nutrition	WVU Extension	September, 2007
	3b. 10 minute presentation on Nutrition	WIC	March/April 2008
	3c. Parents will be invited to bring their children to "Kiddie Fair" for health screenings.	Jeana Comer Carr	September, 2007 March/April 2008
	3d. Gather information on nutrition to be included in information packets	All team members	

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4. Parents will be educated about child abuse and neglect, shaken baby syndrome, child car seat safety, CPR	4a. 20 minute presentation on CPR using inflatable CPR baby	Sue Richter will recruit	September, 2007 March/April 2008
	4b. 10 minute presentation on Domestic Violence & Child Abuse	Betti Salmons	March/April 2008
	4d. Gather information related to child safety and include in information packets	All team members	September, 2007 March/April, 2008
5. Parents will be educated about the importance of the first few years of life in brain development	5a. Research based programs will be explored and information shared with parents-these include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Strengthening Families Early Care and Education” • “Born Learning” • “Spectrum of Prevention” 	All team members	September, 2007 March/April, 2007
	5b. Gather information and include in information packets	All team members	September, 2007 March/April, 2008
6. Parents will learn the importance of bonding and interacting in a loving way with their baby	6a. One Dad will share his experiences as a parent	Bill Kraft, Head Start	September, 2007
	6b. Scrapbooking Workshops will be held at Library with invitation to parents to attend	Honei Long	dates not set
	6c. Gather information and include in information packets	All team members	September, 2007 March/April, 2008

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7. Mothers will have an opportunity to connect with other mothers and the community to talk and share concerns and stories about their babies	7a. Parents will be encouraged to exchange names and telephone numbers to keep in touch with one another-address books to be given to each parent at beginning of baby showers.	All team members	September, 2007 March/April, 2008
8. The Community Baby Showers will be fun	8a. Place will be decorated 8b. Games will be played 8c. Door prizes & drawings Ideas have included disposable cameras, savings bonds, gifts for dads, gifts for moms 8d. Food will be provided 8e. Several Cakes will be baked	All team members Jena Comer Carr, Gale Cole All team members	September, 2007 March/April, 2008
9. Evaluation will be done	9a. Evaluation survey will be completed after each baby shower and will include: 9b. What did you like best? 9c. What did you expect? 9d. Do you think you will contact other parents after the baby shower? 9e. Suggestions to improve?	All team members Follow-up if requested	September, 2007 March/April, 2008
10. Report to funder	10a. All required reporting will be completed on time	Shirley Hall & team members	July 30, 2008