



## E-Newsletter

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The Kellin Foundation is a nonprofit (501c3) organization that supports children, individuals, families, and communities to achieve safety and wellness. We provide personalized and comprehensive community-based programming, with the goal of assisting individuals and communities with safety, restoring hope, facilitating healing, and achieving holistic wellness.

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### Children's Mental Health Matters!

In May 2016, in honor of National Children's Mental Health Awareness Month, the Kellin Foundation partnered with Backpack

Beginnings to provide over 40 backpacks to children through the Comfort Backpack program. Comfort BackPacks offer care, comfort and basic necessities for children during traumatic situations. These backpacks provide comfort items such as blankets, stuffed animals, books, hygiene products, school supplies and more to abused/neglected, homeless, foster, and refugee children. To donate to help children in need, [click here](#).

### New Proclamation in Guilford County

The Kellin Foundation was excited to be a primary partner in Guilford County County Commissioner's Proclamation to name April as

Sexual Assault and Child Abuse Awareness Month for Guilford County.

"NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Guilford County Board of Commissioners join advocates and communities across the country in playing an active role to prevent child abuse and sexual violence and hereby proclaim April as "Sexual Assault Awareness Month" and "Child Abuse Prevention Month."



Wonderful News for Guilford County!



## Kellin Foundation Offers Free Counseling

The Greensboro HEALS project (Healing and Empowering All Survivors), offered through the Kellin Foundation and supported by Cone Health Foundation, aims to provide uninsured individuals ages 19-64 with **FREE** mental health and substance abuse services. Our goal is to expand the clinical capacity to deliver co-occurring disorders treatment to individuals who otherwise may not be able to access services.

Services can include individual outpatient therapy, group outpatient therapy, patient navigation and case management services.

[Click here to download info about this program and make a referral.](#)

Spaces are limited so don't delay.

## Planting Seeds of Prevention

On April 13, 2016, the Greensboro Child Response Initiative hosted a Pinwheels for Prevention Community Event to raise awareness about preventing child abuse and synergize the community through a call to action. Over 200 community partners were in attendance, including

local businesses, government officials, the Chief of Police, and children and families.

Pinwheels for Prevention® is a national campaign to create awareness about the role all adults play in the healthy development and growth of our nation's children!



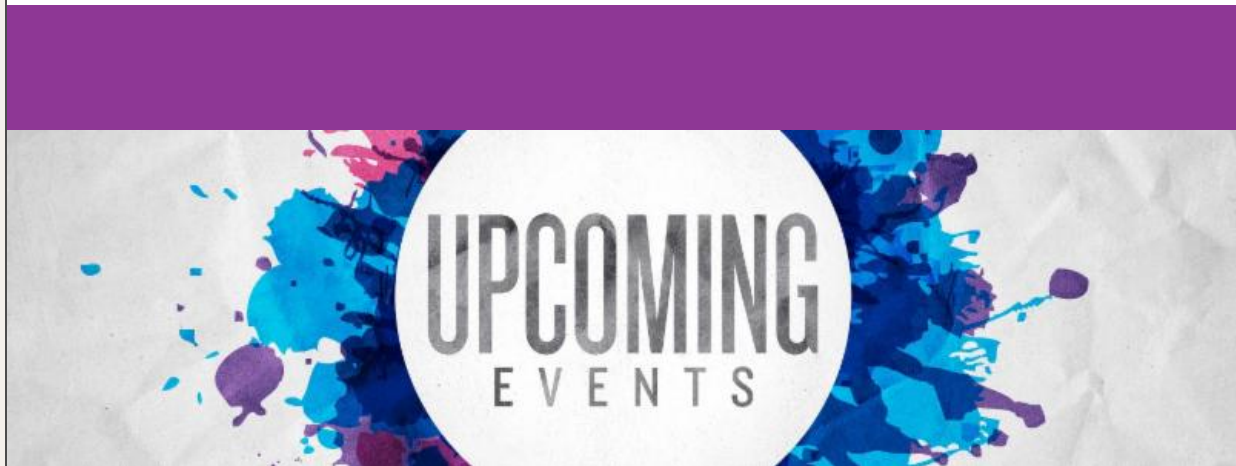
It is everyone's responsibility to make our communities safe and secure for all children! Join with us as we make a public statement that we stand together against child abuse.



## Joining Forces with the Guilford Merchants

### Association

The Kellin Foundation is excited to be joining forces with the Guilford Merchants Association as we make a difference together! The Guilford Merchants Association has a long history of supporting community initiatives. We look forward to partnering with GMA to reach individuals across our community.



### Youth Mental Health First Aid

You are more likely to encounter someone — friend, family member, student, neighbor, or member of the community — in an emotional or mental crisis than someone having a heart attack.

A young person you know could be experiencing a mental health challenge or crisis. You can help them! Know what to do by joining this training.

**Two opportunities are coming up!**

July 15, 2016 - 8:30am-5:00pm  
&  
September 16, 2016 - 8:30am-5:00pm

Women's Education Center, 801 Green Valley Rd. Greensboro NC

[Click here for details or to register](#)

**Greensboro Child Response Initiative  
Trauma Provider Network Meeting**

1st Wednesday of each month  
Eastern Subdivision, Greensboro Police Department, 1106 Maple St., Greensboro NC

**Guilford County Family Justice Center One Year Celebration**

June 15, 2016  
Location & Time: TBA

**Integrated Dual Disorder Treatment: Clinical Considerations for  
Effective Treatment of Individuals with Co-Occurring Severe  
Mental Health and Substance Use Disorders**

Wednesday, June 15, 2016  
8:00-4:00pm  
O'Henry Hotel, Greensboro, NC  
[Click here for details](#)

**Piedmont Triad's 5th Annual Elder Abuse Awareness  
Walk, Stroll, and Roll**

Saturday, June 18, 2016  
9:00-12:00  
Triad Park, 9652 E. Mountain Street, Kernersville, NC 27284

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**NEW ADDITIONS**

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We are pleased to announce the following new staff and student interns who share our vision of

making a difference together.

**April Craddock** - Board Member

**Lyndsey McGonagle** - Information and Referral Specialist

**Eileen Martin** - Student Intern

**Annia Cuebas-Colon** - Student Intern



## Recent Supporters

**A Big Thank You to the Following  
Individuals and Organizations Who  
Recently Provided Support to Make a  
Difference Together!!!**

Amanda and John McGough  
Arthur and Kelly Graves  
Brian and Cynthia Styers  
Chris and Katie Wangelin  
Clint and Jeanie Ireland  
Cone Health Foundation  
Cornerstone Charter Academy  
Grant and Julie Haviland  
Greensboro Police Officers Association  
Intelligent Visibility, Inc.  
Jeff and Jean Workman  
Lieutenant John Raines  
Mom Ministries, II  
Preston and Amanda Ward  
Retired Deputy Chief Dwight and Lisa Crotts  
Rich and Allison Franklin  
Susan Danielson

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