

## What Can I Do As A Parent?

1. Gather Child ID Kit or important information about your child (current photos, list of friends, favorite websites or places, DNA sample or fingerprints, what he/she was wearing, and personal items he/she may have had).
2. Ask to ensure your child is put in the FBI's National Crime Information Center (NCIC) Missing Persons file.
3. Request that the FBI be asked to assist in the search for your child.
4. Request law enforcement put out a BOLO (Be On the Look Out) bulletin for your child.
5. Designate a family member to be the primary contact for law enforcement and the media.
6. Designate a trusted adult to answer all phone calls.
7. Limit access to your home until law enforcement has collected all possible evidence. Do not touch or remove anything from your child's room or the house.
8. Inform law enforcement of anyone who may have recently moved in or out of the neighborhood.
9. Ask for the contact information for your local Victim Witness Assistance Center. Call them for resources and information.
10. Contact the Victims of Crime Resource Center at 1-800-VICTIMS or 1-800-842-8467.

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