2018 Trainings and Presentations

**KidSmartz® (Personal Safety)**
KidSmartz is an animated child safety program that educates families about preventing abduction, and empowers kids in grades K-5 to practice safer behaviors in the real world. The program offers resources to help parents, caregivers, and teachers protect kids by teaching and practicing the 4 Rules of Personal Safety using tips, printable activities, quizzes, articles, music, videos, and more. *(Length – 30 minutes).*

**NetSmartz® (Internet Safety)**
NetSmartz® Workshop is an interactive program that provides age-appropriate resources to help teach children ages 5-18 how to be safer online. NetSmartz prepares children to be confronted with issues such as cyberbullying, inappropriate content, grooming, online privacy, sexting, and scams. NetSmartz Adults educates parents, child serving professionals, and community members on the dangers facing children online, how to protect children, and how to provide a multi-faceted approach to protecting children online *(Length of presentation varies by age/group – 35 minutes-90 minutes+).*

**KidSmartz® and NetSmartz® Train-the-Trainer**
A critical component of keeping children safer online and in the real world is providing proven resources to individuals that work with children in a variety of capacities. In our Train-the-Trainer program, teens, community members, and professionals are trained to implement the KidSmartz and/or NetSmartz resources in their schools, neighborhoods, and communities. *(Length – 2 hours-8 hours).*

**NetSmartz® and Introduction to Domestic Minor Sex Trafficking**
NetSmartz begins the conversation of preventing child sexual exploitation by discussing grooming, sexting, and meeting new people online. Introduction to Domestic Minor Sex Trafficking moves the conversation one step further, by educating high risk youth and the professionals with work with them on crimes such as sextortion and sex trafficking, including how traffickers recruit and maintain victims, how victims are profited from, and how to recognize a victim. *(Length – 2 hours+).*

**The National Center for Missing & Exploited Children Overview: A Powerful Resource**
NCMEC is 501(c)(3) nonprofit created to serve as the nation’s resource on issues of missing and sexually exploited children. The presentation will discuss statistics related to missing and exploited children, to give attendees a clear picture of the prevalence of these crimes. The presentation further provides an overview of the free resources NCMEC offers families, child welfare professionals, communities, and law enforcement in addressing cases of missing or exploited children. *(Length – 1.5 hours+).*

**Spotlight on Exploitation: (One-Day Child Welfare Training)**
Spotlight is a multidisciplinary course intended for stakeholders in the child welfare system to learn about the online and street exploitation of youth in care, with a focus on child sex trafficking. Participants will hear presentations from NCMEC, the Texas Governor’s Office, Texas DFPS, foster care alumni, and a trafficking survivor, and will also spend time working on proposed solutions for their community to reduce the victimization of youth in care. *(Length – full day).*

**Technology Related Crimes Against Children (Two-Day Law Enforcement Workshop)**
A multi-agency workshop for all criminal justice practitioners within Texas to increase law enforcement and prosecutorial effectiveness in responding to technology-facilitated sexual exploitation of children. The training will reinforce the proper protocols and best practices to identify victims, investigate and prosecute offenders, and prevent further victimization of children by the legal process. Participants will hear presentations from NCMEC, the Texas Governor’s Office, the Office of the Attorney General of Texas, Texas Department of Public Safety, the Department of Justice, and local law enforcement, prosecutors, and service providers. *(Length – two days).*

*For more information or to schedule a free presentation in your area, contact NCMEC_Texas@ncmec.org.*