

We Expect the Unexpected. We're Here for You. September 2024

Dear Faithful Friends,

## KNOW WHAT?

Did you know that LifeLine Pregnancy Center has MALE clients? We do! Often female clients bring their partners with them when they visit for a pregnancy test or ultrasound, and LifeLine now has a Men's Team of volunteer "Dad Coaches" who connect with these male clients. Most guys feel uncomfortable in a pregnancy center, but our "Dad Coaches" are present to shake their hand, talk to them about what they are going through, and help them process the options they may be considering with their partners related to their pregnancy. In addition, our "Dad Coaches" host a monthly "Dad Night" for expectant fathers to help them know how to support their pregnant partners, as well as to help prepare them for fatherhood. They do this using our "Doctor Dad" online program which teaches dads how to help their partner through her pregnancy, how to care for a newborn, how to care for a sick or injured child, and much more. At LifeLine, we believe that strong fathers create strong families and we have chosen to invest time and resources to help these men become the very best fathers they can be.

## NOW WHAT?

Would you like to help men, (unexpectedly becoming fathers) to become amazing dads for their babies? If so, there are a variety of practical ways you can help! **First**, we are always looking for new "Dad Coaches" to join our Men's Team - men who have a heart to mentor young fathers-to-be as they navigate an unplanned pregnancy. We provide all the training they will need to meet with prospective fathers when they visit the center, or to help with our "Dad Nights" as we take them through the "Doctor Dad" program one evening per month. **Secondly**, we also offer male clients a FREE CAR SEAT when they attend their first "Dad Night," so donations of brand new, genderneutral car seats are greatly appreciated and go a long way towards encouraging young men facing unplanned pregnancies. **Lastly**, for male clients that attend all six "Doctor Dad" sessions, a graduation gift is given (\$100 Wal Mart Gift Card). If you would like to help us celebrate dads who graduate from the "Doctor Dad" program, donations of \$100 Wal Mart gift cards are also greatly appreciated.

"Children are a heritage from the LORD, offspring a reward from Him. Like arrows in the hands of a warrior are children born in one's youth." --Psalms 127:3-4 200 S. 13th St., Ste. 105, Grover Beach CA 93433

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## CENTER ACTIVITY (August)

Clients Served ......24

Services Provided ....137

Pregnancy Tests ......7

Ultrasounds .....8

Parenting Classes ......22

Concepts Shared .....127

Top Concepts Shared:

- Prayer
- Parenting
- Relationships

## VOLUNTEERS

- How many .....17
- Hours ......163 Donate Today

