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CHILD SAFETY BOOK LIST

April 2023

Shelly Anand & Nomi Ellenson (2022). *I Love My Body Because*. Simon & Schuster Books for Young Readers, ISBN 978-1534494954 (4 - 8 years)

Rachel Brian (2020). Consent (for Kids): Boundaries, Respect & Being in Charge of You. Little, Brown Books for Young Readers, ISBN 978-0316457736 (5 - 9 years, from customers)

Elizabeth Estrada (2021). I Choose to Say No. I Choose, ISBN 978-1637312896

Tyler Feder (2021). *Bodies are Cool*. Rocky Pond Books, ISBN 978-0593112625 (2 - 5 years, from customers)

Alison Feigh (2008). *I Can Play It Safe*. Free Spirit Publishing, ISBN 978-1575422855 (4 - 8 years)

Alison Feigh (2008). *On Those Runaway Days*. Free Spirit Publishing, ISBN 978-1575422862 (6 - 10 years)

Carrie Finison (2021). *Don't Hug Doug (He Doesn't Like It)*. G.P. Putnam's Sons Books for Young Readers, ISBN 978-1984813022 (2 - 6 years, from customers)

Pattie Fitzgerald (2013). Super Duper Safety School: Safety Rules for Kids & Grown-Ups! Safely Ever After Media, ISBN 978-0984747214 (3 - 6 years, from customers)

Gabi Garcia (2017). Listening to My Body: A guide to helping kids understand the connection between their sensations (what the heck are those?) and feelings so that they can get better at figuring out what they need (2nd Ed.) Skinned Knee Publishing, ISBN 978-0998958002 (3 - 8 years, from customers)

Gabi Garcia (2018). Escuchando a Mi Cuerpo: Una guía para ayudar a los niños entender la conexión entre las sensaciones físicas y sus sentimientos (Listening to my Body) (Spanish Edition). Skinned Knee Publishing, ISBN 978-1949633016 (4 - 8 years)

Dagmar Geisler, Illustrator (2014). *My Body Belongs to Me from My Head to My Toes*. Sky Pony, ISBN 978-1626363458 (2 - 5 years, from customers)

Anastasia Higginbotham (2021). *Tell Me about Sex, Grandma*. Dottir Press, ISBN 978-1948340427 (6 - 12 years)

Children's Justice Center Child Safety Book List Page 2

- Margaret M Holmes (2000). *A Terrible Thing Happened*. Magination Press, ISBN 978-1557987013 (5 9 years, from customers)
- Justin S. Holcomb & Lindsey A. Holcomb (2015). *God Made All of Me: A Book to Help Children Protect Their Bodies*. New Growth Press, ISBN 978-1942572305 (Message from a faith-based perspective; 3 6 years, from customers)
- Virginia Ironside (2011). The Huge Bag of Worries. Hachette Children's, ISBN 978-0340903179 (2 years and up)
- Megan Madison, Jessica Ralli & Isabel Roxas (2022). Yes! No! A First Conversation About Consent. Rise x Penguin Workshop, ISBN 978-1780556161 (1 4 years, from customers)
- Eleanor Morrison (2018). *C is for Consent*. Phonics with Finn, ISBN 978-0999890806 (2 4 years, from customers)
- Jayneen Sanders (2016). *My Body! What I Say Goes!* Educate to Empower Publishing, ISBN 978-1925089264 (3 6 years, from customers)
- Jayneen Sanders (2017). *Let's Talk About Body Boundaries, Consent & Respect.*Educate2Empower Publishing, ISBN 978-1925089189 (4 7 years, from customers)
- Adrianne Simeone (2018). *My Body is Special and Private*. The Mama Bear Effect, Inc, ISBN 978-0998807416 (2 4 years, from customers)

Note to caregivers: We recommend that you preview books before reading them to children, and be prepared for questions the children may have. Not all books cover all aspects of safety for children, so reading a variety of books helps you open doors of communication with children about many difficult topics. By reading these books with them, it affords children permission to talk about body parts and safety, and removes stigma from the topic. Start conversations with children about their bodies and body safety at their developmental level. Use correct names for all body parts—including genitalia—to empower children to tell you if they experience any inappropriate, uncomfortable or confusing touches.