



GOVERNOR JOSH SHAPIRO

March 2024

Greetings:

I am honored to recognize March 2024 as Sudden Unexplained Death in Childhood Awareness Month.

Sudden Unexplained Death in Childhood (SUDC) is the sudden and unexpected death of a child between one to eighteen years old which remains unexplained even after a thorough investigation. Each year, loving parents suffer a tragic loss of their child to unexplained reasons. This month provides an opportunity to honor the memory of these young lives that have ended too soon, and to show encouragement and support for the families forever devastated by the loss of their loved one. This month further serves as a meaningful way to bring needed attention to the dedicated organizations and medical professionals across the country who are working diligently to improve the health of infants and children and provide much needed hope and support for those families grieving their loss.

As Governor, and on behalf of all Pennsylvanians, I am pleased to recognize March 2024 as Sudden Unexplained Death in Childhood Awareness Month. During this time, we should recognize the professionals leading the fight against SUDC and offer our support for those families who have experienced a loss of a loved one.



GIVEN under my hand and the Seal of the Governor, at the City of Harrisburg, this first day of March two thousand twenty-four, the year of the Commonwealth the two hundred forty-eighth.

A blue ink signature of Governor Josh Shapiro, written in a cursive style.

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