



Triple P - Positive Parenting Program

Provider Newsletter

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Triple P: Fostering Your Independence



From Dr. Cheri Shapiro:
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Initiative

As Triple P - Positive
Parenting Program providers,
one of the core skills you show

parents how to teach their children are independence skills.

As Triple P founder Dr. Matthew Sanders says, "Children who learn how to do things for themselves at an early age have an advantage over children who do not. Parents who encourage children to do things for themselves help children learn to be responsible and show them that they can control their world and what happens to them through their own actions and initiative."

It is in that spirit of building independence that we, during our last year of grant funding, are working to help you, as Triple P providers, attain that sense of independence and initiative. Now that you have been trained and accredited as Triple P providers, our trainers have become your consultants as you continue to use this program. We, in this office, can continue to be a source of Triple P parenting materials to use with parents that you serve.

Whether you find yourself in need of Tip Sheets, Positive Parenting Booklets, Family Workbooks, and Group Workbooks or other material, we are here to fulfill those needs. Ordering these materials is easy, just visit this link at our Web site:

<http://tpinfo.sc.edu/practitioners/resupply.html>

There you'll find our order forms for each level. Click on the form you need, print it, fill it out and fax it to our office at (803) 978-7410. We'll take it from there and get your supplies to you as soon as possible.

Our Training Consultants remain available to answer your questions about implementing Triple P. Also, if you have questions about talking to the media, or how to talk to the media about the services you provide or how to reach parents through your local media, our communications coordinator, Candace Chellew, is always available to consult with you. Reach her by email at chellew@mailbox.sc.edu. You can also call the office at 803-978-7402 and let us know how we can help!

We're also continuing to do more work around our research efforts on Triple P. Thank you to all of those who have taken part in our surveys. The surveys will continue throughout the year, and, as always, participation is voluntary. We hope you'll help us as we continue to research Triple P and improve its use around our state and around the world.



When you're working with families,
we can give you the supplies you need!

**Research Note: You may be called to help with our research.
Thank you for your support!**

Small Changes, Big Differences

Running on Empty? Fill up here!

Are you running low on tip sheets? Is your stack of Parent Workbooks shrinking? Is it getting harder to find an extra copy of the Group Workbook? If so, it could be time for you to re-order Triple P supplies. Don't worry, it's not a difficult process. In fact, it's quite easy. All you need is a Web browser, a printer, a pen, and a fax machine and you're all set.

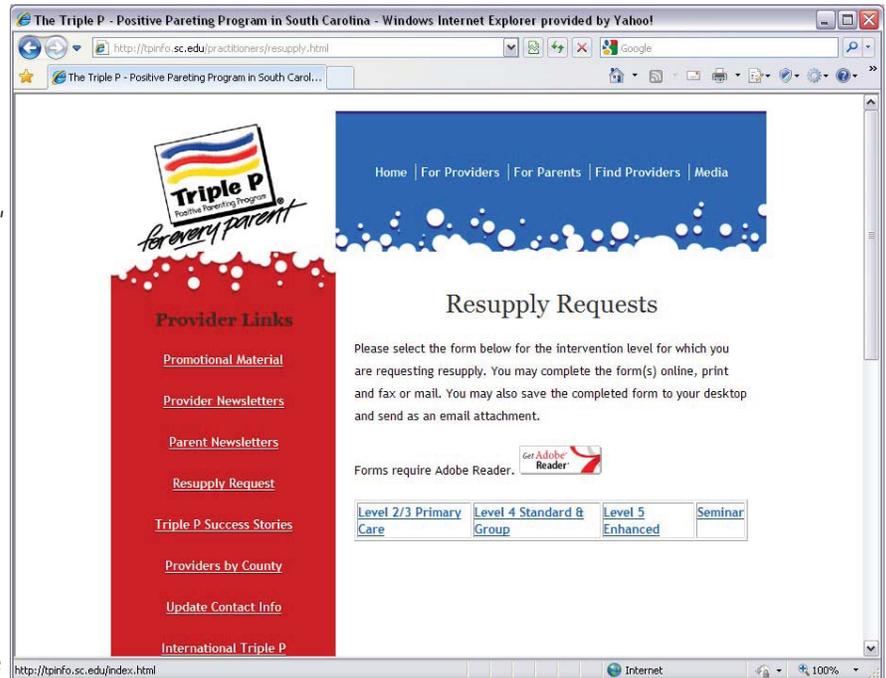
Your first step is to head over to our Web site, specifically this page:

<http://tpinfo.sc.edu/practitioners/resupply.html>

The page you're headed to is depicted to the right, so if you see this, you know you're in the right place!

If you can't cut and paste that Web site address, simply go to our Web site at <http://www.tpinfo.sc.edu> and click on the link "For Providers" at the top of the page; from there click on the link "Resupply Request" on the left side of the page. That will take you to the page shown at right.

There you'll find our order forms for each level, Level 2/3 Primary Care, Level 4 Standard & Group, Level 5 Enhanced and Seminar. Our forms are in PDF format, so you'll need Adobe Reader to view the document. Click on the form you need, print it, fill it out and fax it to our office at (803) 978-7410.



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But Wait, There's More!

While you're on our Web site ordering your latest round of supplies, stick around and see what else we have to offer you and the families you serve. Our Web site has a wealth of information for you as a provider. Here are some links:

- Promotional materials like brochures, Matt Sanders articles and more: <http://tpinfo.sc.edu/practitioners/promo.html>
- Past provider newsletters: <http://tpinfo.sc.edu/practitioners/newsletters.html>
- Update your contact information: <http://tpinfo.sc.edu/practitioners/update.html>

There are also resources for the families you serve:

- Weekly parenting question: <http://tpinfo.sc.edu/weeklyquestion/index.html>
- Online parenting seminars: <http://tpinfo.sc.edu/parents/seminars.html>
- Audio parenting tips from Dr. Matthew Sanders: <http://tpinfo.sc.edu/askmatt/index.html>
- Parent newsletters: <http://tpinfo.sc.edu/parents/newsletters.html>
- Games for all ages: <http://tpinfo.sc.edu/games/>

More resources are available at the Triple P - Positive Parenting Program Web site at <http://www.tpinfo.sc.edu>