

KIDS COUNT in Delaware Fact Book Release & Blue Bow

Wednesday April 1, 2015
10AM-12Noon

Registration opens at 9:30 AM
Lunch will be served

The Outlook at The Duncan Center
500 Lookerman Street
Dover, DE

Register [online](http://bit.ly/1E03QyU) by 3/25 at <http://bit.ly/1E03QyU>

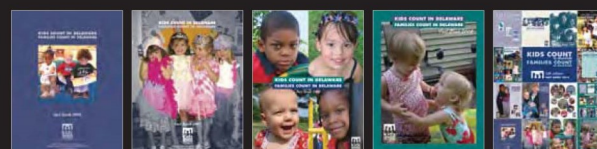
- ✓ **Review 20 years of Delaware data trends.** Celebrate with KIDS COUNT in Delaware at the release its 20th edition Fact Book. This singular account of every child under 18 in the state of Delaware examines issues, highlights trends and ultimately serves as a critical tool for informed, empirically-based policy decisions. A data overview will feature DE's "Cause for Applause" data, highlighting policies which have shaped positive change. The state's "Cause for Concern" data will be examined and a call to action issued to address continuing community need.
- ✓ **Participate in the state's 6th annual Blue Bow event** highlighting the importance of child abuse prevention. Child Abuse Prevention Month is annually observed across the nation in April. The blue bow campaign began over twenty years ago when a grandmother in Virginia tied a blue bow around the antenna of her car as a memorial to her grandson, a tragic victim of child abuse. Her simple act ignited a national campaign to prevent and stop child abuse.
- ✓ **Participate in the Delaware Office of Early Learning's Great Investment stakeholder meeting** starting by 12:30 pm. Come to meet Susan Perry-Manning, the new OEL Executive Director and register your input!



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