

Am I sure the adults I bring into my home:

-  **Do not have a criminal history?**
-  **Are not impaired by drugs or alcohol?**
-  **Will not touch my child without my permission?**



If you are not sure, you may want to reconsider your decision, as this person may not be good for you or your kid.

Call 1-800-CHILDREN to find out about support groups and other parent resources in your area.

**The Kentucky State Police maintains a registry of sex offenders:
kspsor.state.ky.us.**



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Are they good for your kids?



How do the people you bring into your life impact your children?



Some things you can do to keep your child safe...

Listen to your child.

Observe your child's behavior and reactions to other people.

Make sure you know friends and love interests well before you let them be alone with your children.

Ask for help and talk openly with a friend, family, spiritual leader, health care provider, family support worker or another person you trust.

Does your friend, partner or love interest...

- Make your child feel safe and secure?***
- Enjoy spending time with you and your child?***
- Talk to your child in a positive and respectful way?***
- Listen to your child and respect his/her feelings?***
- Provide attention to your child through positive words and actions?***
- Say nice things about your child?***
- Know your child's daily activities?***
- Understand what children can do at different ages?***
- Use positive discipline like redirection?***
- Follow boundaries you have set for interaction with your child?***

These are the actions and qualities children need from all adults in their lives, not only from you, but also those you bring into your home. If you see the opposite reactions or have questions, you can talk with someone at: **1-800-CHILDREN (244-5373). You don't have to give your name - you can get information and support to keep your child(ren) and family safe and healthy.**

