



**COMAL COUNTY, TEXAS  
PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICE**

**Contact:**

Connie Sheppard, County Extension Agent – Family and Consumer Science  
830.620.3440  
sheppc@co.comal.tx.us

**Extension office offers abuse prevention class for childcare providers**

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE, AUGUST 4, 2015:**

*NEW BRAUNFELS* — The Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service will conduct training next week to help childcare providers spot and prevent child abuse.

The free training, which will fulfill state certification requirements for childcare providers, will be at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 11, at St. Paul Lutheran Church, 181 S. Santa Clara Ave., near downtown New Braunfels. Delivering the training will be Jessica Keith-Valdez, of St. Jude's Ranch for Children.

Registration for the training should be sent to [minerr@co.comal.tx.us](mailto:minerr@co.comal.tx.us) or by calling 830-620-3440. The registration deadline is Friday, Aug. 7.

Texas AgriLife Extension is a program jointly funded and operated by Comal County and Texas A&M University.

###

**Comal County Public Information Office**  
Paul Anthony, Public Information Officer  
830.221.1110  
[paul.anthony@co.comal.tx.us](mailto:paul.anthony@co.comal.tx.us)  
[www.mycomalcounty.com](http://www.mycomalcounty.com)