### Behavioral Health Index Pediatric Care Advice (PCA) handouts 2023 Author: Bart Schmitt MD, FAAP

#### **Behavior Problems**

Behavior Training - Consequences

Behavior Training - Rules and Discipline Basics

**Biting** 

Hitting and Aggressive Behavior

Incentives for Motivating Children

Sibling Rivalry Toward a Newborn

Siblings Arguing

Spoiled Children - Prevention

Stubborn Toddler

**Temper Tantrums** 

Time-Out Technique

Whining and Pestering

#### **Eating Problems**

Appetite Slump - Young Child

Baby Bottle Tooth Decay - Prevention

Healthy Weight - Patient Pledge

Overweight Older Child - Prevention and Treatment

Overweight Toddler - Preventing Over-Feeding and Over-Eating

Picky Eater

Solid Foods (Baby Foods)

Thin Body Type (Normal Slenderness)

Weaning From the Bottle - 12 Months or Older

Weaning From the Bottle - Before 12 Months

Weaning From the Breast - 12 Months or Older

Weaning From the Breast - Before 12 Months

#### **Habit Problems**

Hair Twisting Habit

Masturbation in Preschoolers

**Nail Biting Habit** 

Nose Picking Habit

Scab Picking Habit

Thumb Sucking Habit

#### **Sleep Problems**

Sleep - Bedtime Resistance

Sleep - Confusional Arousals

Sleep - Day Night Reversal in Newborns

Sleep - Early Morning Riser

Sleep - Nightmares

Sleep Problem from Feeding Until Asleep

Sleep Problem from Holding Until Asleep

Sleep Problems - Prevention

Sleep Talking

Sleep Terrors

Sleeping with Parents (Bed-Sharing) - How to End It

Sleeping with Parents (Bed-Sharing) - Pros and Cons

Sleepwalking

### **Stress Related Symptoms**

Abdominal Pain - Stress Related

**Anxiety Attack** 

Dizziness - Stress Related

Headache - Stress Related

Heart Rate Fast – Stress Related

Hyperventilation Attack

Nausea - Stress Related

School Avoidance

Sweating – Stress Related

## **Toilet Training Problems**

Bedwetting

**Bedwetting Alarms** 

Encopresis - Waiting Too Long Type

Frequency-Urgency Syndrome

**Stool Smearing** 

**Toilet Readiness Training** 

Toilet Training - How to Start

Toilet Training Resistance - Constipation from Stool Holding

Toilet Training Resistance - Encopresis without Constipation

Wetting – Waiting Too Long Type

### **Miscellaneous Behavioral Health Topics**

Abdominal Pain - Attention Getting Type

Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD)

**ADHD Student Pledge** 

**Breath-Holding Spell** 

Colic (Crying Baby)

Developmental Stimulation - Infants and Toddlers

Headache – Attention-Getting Type

Homework Problems - What to Do

Leg Pain - Attention Getting Type

Media Violence - Protecting Your Child

Medical Procedures - Comforting Your Child

Medical Visits – Making Them Easier

Schoolwork Success – How to Encourage

Self- Harm

Spells - Unexplained

Teens - Normal Rebellion

# **Behavioral Health - Prevention Topics – double listing**

Sleep Problems - Prevention

Spoiled Children - Prevention