



## End Abuse Long Beach

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### **End Abuse Long Beach Proudly Announces Dr. Harvey Karp will be the speaker at its January meeting.**

**Long Beach, California** – December 30, 2010, *End Abuse Long Beach*, the local Child Abuse and Domestic Violence Prevention Council, announces that Dr. Harvey Karp, author of “The Happiest Baby on the Block” will present an extended program at it’s monthly meeting. His lecture is entitled “***The Happiest Baby***: A promising new strategy to calm infant crying, promote sleep, and reduce abuse”. The public is invited to join **End Abuse Long Beach** on Thursday, January 13th, 2011, from 8:00 to 10:30 a.m. at the Alpert Jewish Community Center, 3801 E. Willow Street, Long Beach CA 90815.

Dr. Harvey Karp is an Assistant Professor of Pediatrics at USC. He received his medical degree from Albert Einstein College of Medicine and completed residency at Children’s Hospital of Los Angeles and simultaneous fellowships in Ambulatory Pediatrics and Child Development at the UCLA School of Medicine. Following his training, he practiced general pediatrics for 25 years in Santa Monica, California.

Dr. Karp’s critically acclaimed books and DVDs, *The Happiest Baby on the Block* and *The Happiest Toddler on the Block* have made him the most read pediatrician in the United States. The NY Times celebrated Dr. Karp’s work by proclaiming, “Roll over Dr. Spock!”

Dr. Karp’s *Happiest Baby* Educator Program has trained more than 3000 instructors to teach his baby calming/sleep techniques to new parents in hospitals, teen clinics, fatherhood classes, postpartum depression treatment programs, child abuse prevention programs, military bases, and more across the country and around the world. Dr. Karp’s work has frequently been featured in national media. He is also an authority on children’s environmental health issues and breastfeeding.

*End Abuse Long Beach* (previously *The Long Beach Area Child Abuse and Domestic Violence Prevention Council*) is a voluntary group of professionals and concerned community members who work in some way with abused or neglected children, domestic violence victims or perpetrators, and their families. *End Abuse Long Beach* provides a monthly forum and sponsors related conferences for community members to learn, discuss, question, network and share ideas relating to the treatment and prevention of child abuse and domestic violence.