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The following materials have been developed by the Association of SIDS and Infant Mortality Programs to support the work of professionals involved with bereavement support and maternal/child health at the national, state and local levels. Each resource is described along with its' publication date, content length and when indicated, PDF size. Publications that are available in limited quantities are designed by an asterisk (*) and can be ordered by completing the ASIP Publications Order Form. You may download copies of some publications by visiting website links listed below. For other resources, please email us at asip@asip1.org or contact ASIP at 1-800-930-7437.

PUBLICATIONS LIST

Title	Description	How to Obtain Copy
American Indian Infant Mortality Mtg: Community Driven Strategies, January 22-23, 2003, Rapid City, SD.	This 81 page report details the identified action and/or recommendations to promote SIDS risk reduction messages in American Indian communities.	For more information about this publication, please contact ASIP, 1-800-930-7437, www.asip1.org .
* A Case Study of Faith Based Outreach in New York City: Lessons Learned from a Risk Reduction Initiative, Final Report. (July 2004)	This 15 page report describes a program promoting the SIDS risk reduction message among elders and grandparents in African American communities in New York City.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PDF (673KB)
Bereavement Counseling for Sudden Infant Death Syndrome & Infant Mortality: Core Competencies for the Health Care Professional (May 2004)	Paper presents core competencies for the professional to provide appropriate and effective bereavement support for families. (39 pages)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PDF (201KB)
Cross Cultural Expressions of Grief and Loss I: When an Infant Dies (NFIMR Bulletin) July 1999.	This bulletin summarizes a panel at the National Fetal and Infant Mortality Review (NFIMR) Program's Third Annual conference held on July 16-18, 1998 in Washington DC. (20 pages)	For more information and the PDF file of this publication, please visit the NFIMR website (http://acog.org/departments/dept_notice.cfm?reco=10&bulletin=2068)
Cross Cultural Expressions of Grief and Loss II: When an Infant Dies (NFIMR Bulletin) November 2003.	This bulletin (28 pages) provides an overview of the traditions among African Americans including French and English, Caribbean, Hispanic/Latino, Chinese and Ojibwe cultural groups, and explores general variations of grieving.	For more information and the PDF file of this publication, please visit the NFIMR website (http://acog.org/departments/dept_notice.cfm?reco=10&bulletin=2068)
* Data Templates ~ Case Management: Reporting Inventory: Case & Program Activity: Outreach Education Database: and Epidemiology Database (November 2001)	This 37 page resource provides standards for case management documentation, epidemiologic investigation, recording community outreach efforts and reporting on program activities.	
* Fetal and Infant Mortality Review: A Guide for Home Interviewers (December 2002)	Provides FIMR home interviewers with technical skills and best practices necessary to conduct maternal interviews. (98 pages)	For more information about this publication contact ASIP. For the PDF file, please visit the NFIMR website (http://www.acog.org/departments/dept_web.cfm?reco=10)

* Helping Families Protecting Babies (2005)	Documents in seven pages the history of ASIP and summarizes the organization's mission and activities.	
Other Infant Death - An Evolution of SIDS Programs: A State / Local SIDS & Infant Death Program Perspective - Recommendations from the Invitational Meeting, March 16, 2000, San Diego, CA	Summary of recommendations of local, state, and national SIDS and infant mortality experts/policy makers to help guide the expansion of SIDS based bereavement & risk reduction services to other causes of infant death. (71 pages)	For more information about this publication, please contact ASIP, 1-800-930-7437, www.asip1.org .
* Pilot of ASIP SIDS and Other Infant Death Program Evaluation Plan. (March 2003)	A summary of 3 statewide programs piloting a SIDS/OID Program Evaluation tool and the feasibility of using it. (27 pages) Appendix includes an evaluation plan with questions, data sources and evaluation procedures & program descriptions.	• PDF
* Supporting Families from Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS) to Other Infant Deaths: Lessons Learned. (September 2003)	Summary of two State SIDS programs that implemented specific services expansion for infant deaths from SIDS to other infant/child deaths. (9 pages)	• PDF
* The Unexpected Death of an Infant or Child: Standards for Services to Families. (March 2001)	Resource identifies 12 standards for service systems, public health agencies and community based organizations to develop high quality programs that provide bereavement support and risk reduction services. (23 pages)	• PDF (1.52MB)
* Variation in SIDS ~ Diagnosis Procedures (September 2003)	Exploratory study of variation in State and local jurisdictions' methods for diagnosing SIDS. (10 pages + Appendices)	

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