

Reducing the Risk of Shaken Baby Syndrome

Licensed Provider's Name: _____

Your Name: _____
(if other than provider)

1. Shaken Baby Syndrome can cause increased pressure on the brain, causing the brain to pull apart. True or False
2. The sudden whiplash motion when a young child is shaken can cause bleeding inside the head and can result in injury to the child. True or False
3. Shaken Baby Syndrome occurs most frequently in infants younger than six months old. True or False
4. There are usually outside signs of injury when a child is shaken. True or False
5. Shaking a baby for just a few seconds does no damage to the baby. True or False
6. When a child is shaken, it is just the same as if the child had tripped or fallen. True or False
7. Ten percent of all babies with Shaken Baby Syndrome die. True or False
8. The number one reason a baby is shaken is because the child will not stop crying. True or False
9. Educating parents, grandparents, and other caregivers about Shaken Baby Syndrome can reduce the risk of young children being shaken. True or False
10. One way to prevent shaking a baby is to place the baby in a crib and leave the room for a few minutes. True or False

I have read and understand the enclosed information on how to reduce the risks of SBS. I understand that shaking a child under age three may be grounds for a finding of maltreatment.

(Signature)

(Date viewed)