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### DINE OUT AND DO GOOD THIS APRIL FOR CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH

Pensacola, FL – April is Child Abuse Prevention Month, and Gulf Coast Kid’s House invites the Pensacola community to take part in a meaningful (and delicious) way: Dine Out and Do Good, a month-long fundraising initiative in partnership with over 20 local restaurants.

Throughout the month of April, participating restaurants will support Gulf Coast Kid’s House by donating a portion of the proceeds from select menu items. Many of these featured items are creatively blue-themed in honor of the cause – blue-colored cocktails, blueberry desserts, and more.

“This is a simple yet impactful way for our community to raise awareness and funds to support children and families impacted by abuse,” said Rachel Smith, Outreach and Events Specialist at Gulf Coast Kid’s House. “By dining at your favorite local spots and ordering their featured item, you’re directly supporting the prevention, intervention, and healing services that Gulf Coast Kid’s House provides.”

Whether you’re grabbing lunch, enjoying a date night, or meeting up with friends, you can make a difference with every bite or sip. Look for each restaurant’s featured items and ask your server how your order can help! Together, we can build a safer community for every child.

To see the full list of participating restaurants and menu offerings, visit [gulfcoastkidshouse.org/events](http://gulfcoastkidshouse.org/events).

*Gulf Coast Kid's House, Inc. an independent 501©(3) not-for-profit organization that receives 75% of its support from the community. In 2020, Gulf Coast Kid's House provided services to over 3,000 abused and neglected children. The trained professionals under one roof investigate, treat, and prosecute cases of child sexual and physical abuse, and severe neglect; education in child abuse prevention is also provided.*