

# Preventing Extremism Early

Recognize early warning signs and connect at-risk or justice-involved individuals to support—before things escalate.

*Watch  
Out for*

- Flags, symbols, tattoos, or paraphernalia linked to extremist or violent groups
- Secrecy or deception (online or offline)
- Support for violence
- Social withdrawal
- Major mood changes (e.g. irritability, depression)

*A pattern of these signs may indicate someone is on a concerning path. Early action can prevent escalation.*

*Early  
Signs*

*Early  
Prevention*

## SITUATIONS WHERE YOU CAN SPOT THE SIGNS

- Domestic disturbance calls
- Violent or extremist protests
- Community events
- School liaison contacts
- Neighborhood patrols
- Welfare checks
- Public safety meetings
- Follow-up investigations
- Referrals from partner agencies

## WHEN AN ARREST IS NOT THE ANSWER, WE ARE

Our goal is the same as yours: prevent harm before it happens. We support early, non-punitive intervention when someone shows signs of radicalization—even if they're already justice-involved. We help de-escalate before the path turns more dangerous.

We offer:

- **Confidential consultation**—no media, no publicity, just support.
- **Support for concerned families**
- **Briefings on early indicators and referral options**
  - ✉ [help@parents4peace.org](mailto:help@parents4peace.org)
  - 🌐 [www.parents4peace.org](http://www.parents4peace.org)

## *Parents for Peace*

Parents for Peace is a nonpartisan nonprofit equipping educators, mental health professionals, and families to counter extremism and hate as public health issues.

YOU DON'T HAVE TO SOLVE IT ALONE.