

Time Sensitive Advocacy

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Dear Friend:

I'd like to make you aware of a video we just posted on YouTube. "Why America's Babies Are Crying".

It is a two-minute advocacy piece explaining current cuts to services for babies made by the House of Representatives. We are asking people to watch it and then send it to their Congressperson and their friends. We are also asking them to go to the website www.invisibleneglect.org where they will find specific recommendations with regard to funding for babies in the 2011, 2012 budgets. There is also an invisible neglect Facebook page where you can find the YouTube video and share it with your friends.

It is imperative that we let Congress know immediately that cutting services to babies is a bad idea. We have one more week before the current budget period ends, so negotiations for the rest of 2011 are going on as we speak. Please contact Congress and enlist your friends to do the same on behalf of babies. Send Congress "Why America's Babies Are Crying" and also a message of your own. If you have group list serves please use them to share this information with your colleagues. We need everyone to speak up on this.

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- Copy the link to the YouTube video: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-SLtGZfeJJE>
- and then click here to find your elected officials and to past the video link into a message: <http://capwiz.com/zerotothree/dbq/officials/>
- Invisible Neglect website: <http://www.invisibleneglect.org/index.html>

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