## **My 8 Rules for Safety**

1. Before I go anywhere, I always check first with my parents or the person in charge. I tell them where I am going, how I will get there, who will be going with me and when I'll be back.



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- 2. I check first for permission from my parents before getting into a car or leaving with anyone even someone I know. I check first before changing plans or accepting money, gifts, or drugs without my parents' knowledge.
- 3. It is safer for me to be with other people when going places or playing outside. I always use the buddy system.
- 4. I say NO if someone tries to touch me in ways that make me feel frightened, uncomfortable, or confused. Then I go tell a grown-up I trust what happened.
- 5. I know it is not my fault if someone touches me in a way that is not O.K. I don't have to keep secrets about those touches.
- 6. I trust my feelings and talk to grown-ups about problems that are too big for me to handle on my own. A lot of people care about me and will listen and believe me. I am not alone.
- 7. It is never too late to ask for help. I can keep asking until I get the help I need.
- 8. I am a special person, and I deserve to feel safe.

## My rules are:

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- CHECK FIRST
- USE THE BUDDY SYSTEM
- SAY NO, THEN GO AND TELL
- LISTEN TO MY FEELINGS

AND TALK WITH GROWN-UPS I TRUST ABOUT MY PROBLEMS AND CONCERNS