

There are abbreviated materials - "Information Packets" - that are included in this list. This list represents only materials primarily on this topic. However, there are other materials that speak to this topic available in the library (i.e., brief "Articles," etc.). Contact ORPARC for additional materials.

## Sexualized Behavior

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Material Title: **Dealing With Sexually Acting Out Behaviors In Children**  
 Author: ORPARC Staff *Information Packets* 25 pages

This packet is divided into three parts, "What Is Sexually Acting Out in Children?;" "Three Goals For Parenting Children Who Sexually Act Out;" and "Reducing Risk of False Allegations of Abuse." Part one offers guidelines for evaluating what is normal, what is not, and how serious a concern it might be. Part two offers three realistic goals and methods and means of achieving them. Part three offers an 11-item checklist for preventing allegations.

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Material Title: **Guide For Parents of Children Who Molest, A**  
 Author: Eliana Gil *Books* 1995 30 pages

This pamphlet is for parents who face a crisis when their child molests, and who must resolve their own feelings of denial, anger and shame while helping their child through this difficult time. This is particularly stressful when there is sibling sexual abuse.

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Material Title: **Helping Children With Sexual Behavior Problems (2007)**  
 Author: Toni Cavanagh Johnson *Books* 2007 40 pp

This 44-page booklet contains straightforward, easy-to-read information in the following areas:

- \* What everyone helping children with sexual behavior helping problems (CSBP) should know
- \* Modifying children's problematic sexual behaviors - preparing the home environment; provide a healthy sexual environment; encourage healthy boundaries; some guidelines for healthy boundaries; make the home feel safe for all of the children; be clear regarding acceptable behaviors
- \* Working together to decrease the child's problematic sexual behavior - developing a plan to decrease one problematic sexual behavior at a time; playing detective - what triggers the selected problematic sexual behavior?; together the caregiver and child work out the fine details of the plan and implement it; after implementation, carefully review and revise when necessary
- \* Masturbation
- \* Parenting CSBP - talking about sex with children; listen and respond to the child; parenting with patience and compassion; special issues for all parents and substitute caregivers; especially for substitute caregivers
- \* Assessment and treatment of CSBP and their families - assessment of CSBP; goals for parents and substitute caregivers of CSBP; individual therapy for CSBP, parents/caregivers, and other family members; group therapy for the CSBP, parents/caregivers, and other family members; family therapy; placement
- \* Cooperation and communication between all team members - working with school; day care; after school programs; CPS; Probation
- \* References
- \* Helpful resources on children and sexuality  
 (description from Toni Cavanagh Johnson - [www.tcavjohn.com](http://www.tcavjohn.com))

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Material Title: **Sexualized Behavior: Foster Parent College (DVD)**  
 Author: DVD *DVDs* 2003 2 Hrs

This DVD course explores four types of sexualized behavior problems with children: obsessive sexual behavior, sexual behavior with siblings, seductive behavior towards adults, and public masturbation. Rick Delaney helps foster and adoptive parents understand the forces behind children's sexual acting out and shows how to recognize the warning signs and take appropriate actions.

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Material Title: **Sexualized Child in Foster Care, The: A Guide for Foster Parents and Other Professionals**  
 Author: Sally G. Hoyle *Books* 2000 99 pages

This practical guide, written for foster parents and child welfare professionals, gives information, training tips, and a wide range of resources for dealing with foster children who have been sexually abused. Chapters include sex and sexuality, normal and abnormal behavior, treatment methods, sexually aggressive children, burnout remedies, recommended research topics and training.

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Material Title: **Sexualized Children: Assessment and Treatment of Sexualized Children and Children Who Molest**  
 Author: Eliana and Toni Cavanagh Johnson Gil *Books* 1993 325 pages

In this book for professionals, the authors discuss etiologic theories, a continuum of sexual behaviors, clinical evaluation, and individual, group, and family therapies among other concepts.

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Material Title: **Understanding Children's Sexual Behaviors: What's Natural and Healthy**  
Author: Toni Johnson *Books* 1998 20 pages

This 20-page booklet provides a definition of natural and healthy childhood sexual behaviors and contrasts this with 20 characteristics of children's sexual behaviors which might alert adults that an assessment of the child by a qualified professional is indicated.

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Material Title: **Understanding Children's Sexual Behaviors: What's Natural and Healthy (2007)**  
Author: Toni Cavanagh Johnson *Books* 2007 24 pp

This is an easy-to-read, highly informative and practical 26 page booklet for parents, teachers, school counselors, social workers, CASA, police, and anyone else who wants to understand children's sexual behaviors. The booklet includes:

- \* A Definition Of Natural And Healthy Sexual Behavior
- \* Factors Which May Influence Children's Sexual Behaviors
- \* Why Might A Child's Sexual Behavior Move Beyond What Is Considered Natural And Expectable?
- \* Twenty Characteristics Of Problematic Sexual Behavior In Children
- \* Chart: Behaviors Related To Sex And Sexuality In Preschool Children
- \* Chart: Behaviors Related To Sex And Sexuality In Kindergarten Through Fourth Grade Children
- \* Has My Child Been Sexually Abused?
- \* Do Victims Become Perpetrators?
- \* How Serious Is It If My Child Is Engaging in Problematic Sexual Behaviors?
- \* A Continuum of Problematic Sexual Behaviors from Sexually-Reactive to Molesting Behavior
- \* Getting Help for Sexual Behavior Problems

(description from Toni Cavanagh Johnson - [www.tcavjohn.com](http://www.tcavjohn.com))

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Material Title: **Understanding Your Child's Sexual Behavior: What's Natural and Healthy**  
Author: Toni Cavanagh Johnson *Books* 1999 186 pages

This readable, easily understood book for parents and caregivers explains children's developing sexuality -- when their behaviors are normal and when to be concerned. It focuses on children from birth to approximately 12 years, providing valid strategies to both understand the behavior and respond to it.