

Putting in place a *Kids Protection Plan*™ is as easy as following these **9 SIMPLE** steps

step 1

Choose the friends or family you'd want to raise your kids with your values if you were in an accident.

Legally document your choice of at least 3 friends or family members (in first, second, third order) as long-term guardians for your kids.

step 2

step 3

Choose local friends or family (within 20 minutes) who your kids know, love and trust that would be able to go to your house immediately and comfort your kids and keep them secure (until your long-term guardians could arrive and take over).

step 4

Legally document your choice of short-term guardians.

step 5

Give the short-term guardians you've chosen the legal documentation they'll need if you are in an accident and make sure to tell them what to do if called upon.

step 6

Instruct caregivers to call the short-term guardians if you don't come home. **Carry a Family Emergency ID Card in your wallet** at all times that identifies you as a parent with minor children and has the names and phone numbers of your short-term guardians.

step 7

Tell your long-term guardians what to do if called upon and where to find your long-term guardianship documents. Leave your long-term guardians **specific instructions** about how you want your kids raised and the values, insights, stories and experiences you want to leave for your children.

step 8

Be sure to **exclude anyone you know you would never want** raising your kids so they could never challenge your decision.

step 9

Provide for **immediate and protected access to the money** you are leaving behind

Questions?

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