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### Loudoun County Initiative to Develop Fatherhood Skills Begins April 22, 2019

A free 12-week program sponsored by the Loudoun County Department of Family Services will help fathers develop skills they can use to be more involved in their children's lives.

Area fathers are invited to register for the National Fatherhood Initiative's 24/7 Dad® program to strengthen their relationships with their children. The workshop will take place weekly on Mondays, beginning April 22, 2019, from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. at 45201 Research Place, Suite 110 in Ashburn.



"We want fathers in Loudoun County to know that we support them," said Glenda Blake, director of the Loudoun County Department of Family Services. "We believe that a dad's presence in the life of a child is an important part of that child's development and happiness."

Developed by fathering and parenting experts, the 24/7 Dad program focuses on key fathering characteristics, providing fathers with support, guidance and an opportunity to discover their own parenting strengths.

To register, sign up at <https://bit.ly/loudounfathers>, email [luther.miller@loudoun.gov](mailto:luther.miller@loudoun.gov), or call the Department of Family Services at 703-737-8786.

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