

Hi everybody, it's Chief Acevedo. The video you are about to watch is really important to me and I know it's important to you. It's all about safeguarding children. What we do for and with children when we arrest their parents will have a huge impact potentially on their lives and the outcome of their adulthood. So as you watch, please think about how you would want your child, or someone you loved, a child you love, treated under a circumstance that could be so traumatic. It's really important, that we as law enforcement professionals, guardians and peace keepers, peace makers, do everything we can to minimize the lifelong impact the arrest of a parent can have on a child. So let's help these children become survivors. Let's help them reach their destination. Let's help them reach their future, by showing some compassion, some care, and more importantly by showing them some dignity and even their parent's dignity. So thanks for what you do. Be safe. Stay strong. Know that what you do matters and that we care about you, we love you and all the best here in 2016. Take care.