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## Prevent Strategy

# Frequent Positive Attention



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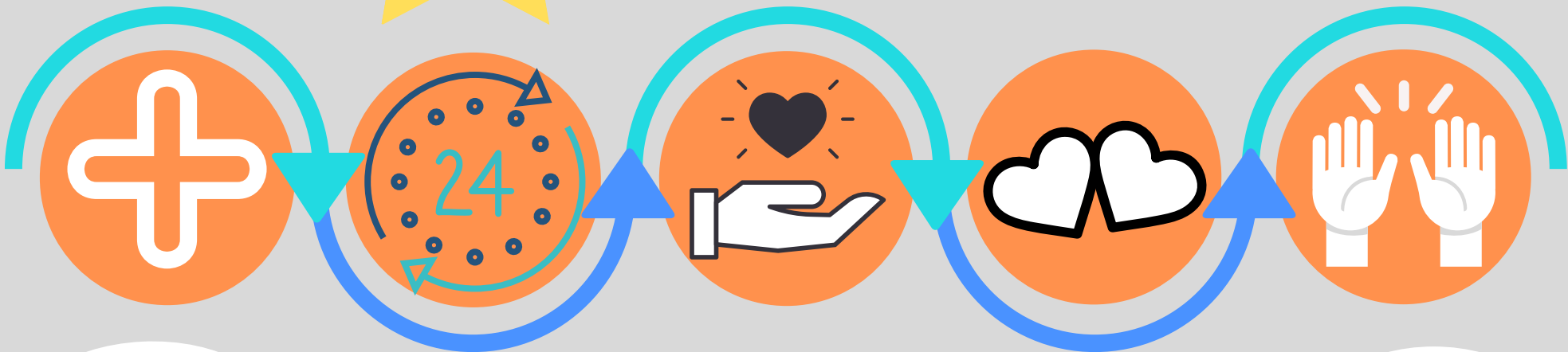
Making fun and happy interactions with your child a regular and daily habit is one of the surest and easiest ways to strengthen your relationship and reduce opportunities for challenging behaviors!

**Positive attention prevents or decreases the likelihood that challenging behavior will occur.**



**Make sure positive attention, such as hugging or playing with your child, is a regular part of your child's day.**

**Provide extra positive attention before and during times that are difficult for your child!**



**"Let's play hide and seek together!"**

**Provide frequent positive attention throughout the day that is not dependent on your child doing anything.**

**Pair positive descriptive feedback with other things your child likes, like hugs or high-fives.**

**"Super big hug for brushing your teeth!"**

**For more information on providing frequent positive attention, click [here](#).**

