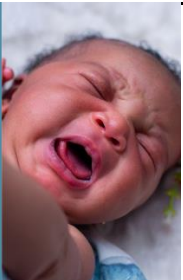









## ICON week 27 September - 1 October 2021 – social media plan

Date	Post	Image
	<p>This week is UK #ICONweek and we're coming together with our partners to raise awareness and help prevent abusive head trauma in new-borns.</p> <p>Infant crying is normal, you can cope.</p> <p>Find out more  <a href="https://iconcope.org/parentsadvice/">https://iconcope.org/parentsadvice/</a></p>	 <p>ICON Week: 27 Sept - 1 Oct 2021</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>I Infant crying is normal and it will stop</li> <li>C comfort methods can sometimes soothe the baby and the crying will stop</li> <li>O It's OK to walk away for a few minutes, if you've checked the baby is safe</li> <li>N Never shake or hurt a baby</li> </ul>
	<p>It's normal for babies to cry but it can be stressful and sometimes it's hard to cope.</p> <p>It's so important to stay calm, be an ICON for your baby and make sure you know what to do.</p> <p>→ <a href="https://iconcope.org/parentsadvice/">https://iconcope.org/parentsadvice/</a></p> <p>#ICONweek</p>	 <p>ICON Week: 27 Sept - 1 Oct 2021</p> <p>It's normal for babies to cry, but if you're struggling to cope, don't struggle alone.</p> <p>Help is available  <a href="https://iconcope.org/parentsadvice/">iconcope.org/parentsadvice/</a></p> <p>ICON Babies Cry, You Can Cope! NHS</p>
	<p>Most babies start to cry from 2 weeks, with a peak at 6-8 weeks. Make sure you know how to cope if it all gets too much.</p> <p>Help is available:  → <a href="https://iconcope.org/parentsadvice/">https://iconcope.org/parentsadvice/</a></p> <p>#ICONweek</p>	 <p>ICON Week: 27 Sept - 1 Oct 2021</p> <p>Infant crying is normal and it will stop! Babies start to cry more frequently from around 2 weeks of age, usually with a peak around 6 - 8 weeks.</p> <p>If you're struggling to cope, help is available.</p> <p>ICON Babies Cry, You Can Cope! NHS</p>
	<p>There are lots of things you can do to help soothe your baby. Check out our top 5 tips to help with infant crying.</p> <p>The main thing to remember is to stay calm and never hurt or shake your baby.</p> <p><a href="https://iconcope.org/parentsadvice/">https://iconcope.org/parentsadvice/</a></p>	 <p>5 tips to help soothe a crying baby</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Talk calmly, hum or sing to your baby</li> <li>2. Let them hear a repeating or soothing sound</li> <li>3. Hold them close, skin to skin</li> <li>4. Go for a walk outside, with your baby</li> <li>5. Give them a warm bath</li> </ol> <p>ICON Week: 27 Sept - 1 Oct 2021</p>

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	<p>Shaking your baby can lead to serious injury, illness and death. It's so important to know how to cope when your baby is crying.</p> <p>Check out these tips for staying cool when things get stressful.</p> <p><a href="https://iconcope.org/parentsadvice/">https://iconcope.org/parentsadvice/</a></p> <p>#ICONweek</p>	 <p><b>ICON Week: 27 Sept - 1 Oct 2021</b></p> <p>Shaking or losing your temper with a baby is very dangerous and can cause:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Blindness</li> <li>· Learning disabilities</li> <li>· Seizures</li> <li>· Physical disabilities</li> <li>· Death</li> </ul> <p>For help and advice on how to cope with infant crying:</p> <p><a href="https://iconcope.org/parentsadvice/">iconcope.org/parentsadvice/</a></p>
	<p>Abusive head trauma can occur in any environment when a parent or carer is on the edge due to infant crying.</p> <p>Make sure anyone looking after your child knows the ICON principles.</p> <p><a href="https://iconcope.org/parentsadvice/">https://iconcope.org/parentsadvice/</a></p> <p>#ICONweek</p>	 <p><b>ICON Week: 27 Sept - 1 Oct 2021</b></p> <p>For help and advice on how to cope with infant crying:</p> <p><a href="https://iconcope.org/parentsadvice/">iconcope.org/parentsadvice/</a></p> <p> </p>