



 drishtias.com/statepcs/17-11-2021/chhatisgarh/print

Toll Free Child Helpline Number | Chhattisgarh | 17 Nov 2021

Why in News

On November 15, 2021, Chhattisgarh launched a toll free child helpline number 1800-123-6010 at an event on child protection organized by the Crime Research Department, Police Headquarters and **UNICEF**.

Key Points

- On this occasion a booklet on juvenile delinquency was released and police officers who did excellent work in child protection were felicitated.
- Nine videos based on child safety were shown on the occasion. Painting and painting competition was also organized.
- It is noteworthy that to mark Children's Day, a statewide '**Child Safety Week**' has been started. It aims to make parents and citizens aware of the need to protect and encourage children.
- Under this, an intensive campaign will be launched against child labor and begging. And while rescuing the victims children, strict legal action will be taken against the culprits.