

STATE OF MINNESOTA

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

A Proclamation of Child Health Day

WHEREAS, The health and welfare of all children is ever vital to the strength of the nation, and

WHEREAS, Every citizen of our country has an inescapable obligation to aid in insuring the American child's birthright of health and of freedom from handicaps; and

WHEREAS, Accidents are the leading cause of death and an important cause of crippling among children,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, LUTHER W. YOUNGDAHL, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim and designate May 1, 1947 as

CHILD HEALTH DAY

and urge all citizens, especially parents, and interested agencies to coordinate their efforts with duly authorized officials directing health, education, employment and welfare programs to exercise unusual diligence throughout the year toward the prevention of accidents in the home.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol in St. Paul this twenty-sixth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred forty-seven and of the State the ninetieth.

Luther W. Youngdahl
Governor

ATTEST:

M. K. Holm
Secretary of State

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