#### CARELINE AND INTAKE

## Child Abuse and Neglect Careline (Attachment A) Mandated Reporters

**22-1A** Page 1 of 2

### **Policy**

Mandated reporters are those persons who are required by statute to make a report when, in the ordinary course of their employment or profession, they have reasonable cause to suspect or believe that a child:

- has been abused or neglected
- has had non-accidental physical injury, or injury that is at variance with the history given of the injury, inflicted upon the child
- is placed at imminent risk of serious harm

Conn. Gen Stat. §17a-101, §17a-101a

# Mandated Reporters

Pursuant to Conn. Gen. Stat. §17a-101, the following individuals shall be mandated reporters:

- Child Advocate and Office of the Child Advocate employees
- chiropractors
- coaches or directors of a private youth sports organization, league or team who are 18 years of age or older
- · coaches or directors of youth athletics, who are 18 years of age or older
- coaches of intramural or interscholastic athletics, who have a coaching permit issued by the State Board of Education and are 18 years of age or older
- dental hygienists
- dentists
- Department of Children and Families employees
- Department of Public Health employees
- domestic violence counselors (as defined in Conn. Gen. Stat. §52-146k)
- Office of Early Childhood employees who are responsible for licensing childcare centers, group childcare homes, family childcare homes, or youth camps
- facility employee where children under eighteen years of age are detained and who has direct contact with children
- family relations counselors/trainees/supervisors employed by the judicial department
- juvenile detention employees, including any person under contract and any independent ombudsperson
- licensed behavioral analysts
- licensed foster parents
- licensed marital and family therapists
- licensed or unlicensed interns at any hospital
- licensed or unlicensed resident physicians
- licensed physicians
- licensed practical nurses
- licensed professional counselors
- licensed surgeons
- licensed/certified alcohol and drug counselors
- licensed/certified emergency medical services providers
- medical examiners
- members of the clergy
- mental health professionals

Continued on next page

Effective Date: September 14, 2021 (Rev.)

### **CARELINE AND INTAKE**

# Child Abuse and Neglect Careline (Attachment A) Mandated Reporters

**22-1A** Page 2 of 2

Effective Date: September 14, 2021 (Rev.)

### Mandated Reporters (Continued)

- optometrists
- paid youth camp director or assistant director
- parole officers (juvenile or adult)
- person paid to provide care for a child in a state licensed public/private facility childcare center, group childcare home or family childcare home
- pharmacists
- physical therapists
- physician assistants
- podiatrists
- police officers
- probation officers (juvenile or adult)
- psychologists
- public or private institution of higher education paid administrators, faculty, staff, athletic directors, athletic coaches and athletic trainers, who are 18 years of age and older, excluding student employees
- registered nurses
- sexual assault counselors
- school employees (as defined in Conn. Gen. Stat. §53a-65)
- social workers