

## Reporting Abuse, Neglect, or Exploitation of Children, the Elderly, or People with Disabilities

North Carolina law makes it illegal to not report child abuse. If you have reason to suspect that a child is abused, neglected or dependent, or died as the result of maltreatment, you must report it to North Carolina's child protection agency, or the Director of the Department of Social Services in the county where the juvenile resides.

For reporting abuse, neglect, or exploitation of children, the elderly, or people with disabilities, individuals should contact their local county Department of Social Services in North Carolina

Name of the suspected victim: \_\_\_\_\_

Address of suspected victim: \_\_\_\_\_

Date and time of occurrence: \_\_\_\_\_

Describe the situation: What happened, where it happened, when it happened, who was involved, who was present, who was notified? If reported to the State, what was their recommendation about investigating? *Attach additional sheets if needed.*

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Has this situation ever occurred previously? *Attach additional sheets if needed.*

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What action was taken? How was the situation handled, who was involved, who was questioned, were police called? *Attach additional sheets if needed.*

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What is the follow-up plan? Does anyone else need to be notified? Will the situation need monitoring? Would you like someone to call you to discuss this situation? *Attach additional sheets if needed.*

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Submitted by: (Please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Location & address: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Reviewed by: \_\_\_\_\_

