

**If someone is in immediate danger call 911**

**IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS:**

**CPS (Texas Dept. of Family & Protective Services) 800.252.5400**

**CPS On-line Reporting Website www.TxAbuseHotline.org**

**Diocesan Director of Safe Environment 817.945.9334**

**Chancellor/Moderator of the Curia 817.945.9315**

**Victim Assistance Hotline 817.945.9345**

**HOW TO MAKE A REPORT:**

If you suspect abuse or neglect of a child, elder or vulnerable adult\*,

or if abuse has been disclosed to you:

1. Call CPS **(800-252-5400)**; get a case number or copy of report

**AND/OR**

or call the Police or **911**; get a case number or copy of report.

**AND**

1. Immediately report the alleged abuse to your supervisor, Priest or Principal and submit the Confidential Notice of Concern with CPS report information.

<https://fwdioc.org/report‐abuse‐concern>

**In the case of alleged abuse by clergy or Church personnel, contact the Victim Assistance Hotline, Director of Safe Environment, or Chancellor of the Diocese directly.**

\*A vulnerable adult can include someone who habitually lacks the use of reason.