

Recognizing and Reporting Child Abuse and Neglect

Developed by the Cabinet for Health and Family Services, Department for Community Based Services (or DCBS), Division of Protection and Permanency, this training is free-of-charge. This content provides instruction for recognizing and reporting child abuse and neglect. The required assessment follows this training. Districts determine the delivery method for training completion.

Training Materials

- [Recognizing and Reporting Child Abuse and Neglect video \(ASL translated version\)](#)
- [Assessment](#)

Districts will determine the means for administering the required post-training assessment. It is the district's responsibility to confirm successful completion by staff members and to maintain accurate documentation of records. Schools may consider one or more of the following options for distributing the assessment:

 - Provide a hard-copy
 - Input the assessment into electronic format
- [Answer key](#)

Contact Information

For questions regarding this training contact: The Cabinet for Health and Family Services, Tara Cecil, Manager, Child Protection Branch, tara.cecil@ky.gov, 502-564-2136, or DCBSChildProtection@ky.gov.

Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention

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Each local school board shall adopt one or more trainings from the approved list for implementation within the schools. The trainings shall include a questionnaire or other assessment tool upon completion to document basic knowledge of training components. All current school administrators, certified personnel, office staff, instructional assistants, and coaches and extracurricular sponsors who are employed by the school district shall complete the implemented training(s) by January 31, 2017, and then every two years after.

KY Child Protection Hot Line: 1-877-597-2331

