BOARD OF TRUSTEES CARSON CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

POLICY No. 1020 ALL STAFF

MANDATORY REPORTING OF CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT

The Carson City School District Board of Trustees is concerned with the physical and mental well-being of children and will cooperate in the identification and reporting of cases of child abuse and neglect in accordance with state law under NRS Chapter 432B.

The Superintendent shall develop procedures for compliance with the statutory requirements that instances of suspected child abuse and neglect be reported, and for the proper screening and education of employees and volunteers as mandatory reporters.

In Nevada, mandatory reporters must report directly to a child welfare agency or to a law enforcement agency as soon as reasonable practicable, but not later than 24 hours after the person knows or has reasonable cause to believe that the child has been abused or neglected.

Immunity from civil or criminal liability extends to Carson City School District employees and volunteers who in good faith make mandatory reports or perform other acts set forth under NRS 432B. See NRS 432B.160 for details and exceptions.

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