

Incident Report

The child safe standards require organisations that provide services for children to have processes for responding to and reporting suspected child abuse1. You can provide this resource to a child or their family if they disclose an allegation of abuse or safety concern in your organisation (they may need your help to complete it). Your staff can also use this resource to record disclosures or concerns.

Child Safety concerns take many forms and may be through direct disclosure, observation or information received from others. Disclosures include:

If a child discloses an incident of abuse to you.

If a parent/carer says their child has been abused in your organisation or raises a concern. Your own observations.

The Child Safety Officer, or their nominee, will notify the child's family, and investigate the alleged incident as quickly as possible (allowable by law).

All incident reports must be stored securely.

If anyone is in immediate danger staff should report immediately to Victoria Police on 000.

¹ The child safe standards aim to protect children from abuse in organisations, including physical violence, sexual offences, serious emotional or psychological abuse and serious neglect. For further explanation of the different types of child abuse, please see Child Safe Standards



1 Responding to the Emergency

Did the child require First Aid? Provide details if "yes".	
Who administered this? (Name and Title)	
Did the child require further immediate medical assistance?	
Current location and safety status: (e.g. Are all impacted students safe and not in any immediate danger? If a child is in immediate danger, school staff should report immediately to Police on 000)	

2 Name of Person(s) Completing This Form

Name:	
Contact details:	
Relationship to child(ren):	



Name:	
Contact details:	
Relationship to child(ren):	

3 Staff Member Leading the Response

Name:	
Role:	
Location:	
Relationship to child/ren	

4 Incident Details

Date of incident:	
Time of incident:	
Location of incident:	
Name(s) of child(ren) involved:	
Name(s) of staff/volunteer involved:	



5 **Incident Category**

Physical abuse

Sexual abuse

Sexual exploitation

Grooming

Emotional or psychological abuse

Neglect

Exposure to family violence

Peer to peer event

Code of Conduct and/or Policy Breach



6 Incident Description

When did it take place?	
Who was involved?	
What did you see?	
Protective action taken?	
Other information	



7 Child/ren Details

First Name:				Family	v Name:			
DOB:				Sex:				
Address:								
Suburb:			State:			Postcode	:	
Does the child ic (✓ relevant resp	-	CaLD			Aboriginal or Torres Strait		Having disabilit	

First Name:				Family	/ Name:				
DOB:				Sex:					
Address:									
Suburb:			State:			Postcode):		
Does the child ic (√ relevant resp	•	CaLD	<u>.</u>		Aboriginal o Torres Strait			ving a ability	

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(add additional pages if more children involved)



8 Adult/s Details

Name of staff/volunteer/contractor involved in the incident:

First Name:	Family Name:	
Position:	Department/ Team:	
Email:	Phone (direct):	
Date:	Time:	

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Position:	Department/ Team:	
Email:	Phone (direct):	
Date:	Time:	

First Name:	Family Name:	
Position:	Department/ Team:	
Email:	Phone (direct):	
Date:	Time:	

Name(s) of parent/ guardian of child(ren) involved in the incident: DN/A

First Name:		Family	Name:		
DOB:		Sex:			
Address:					
Suburb:	State:			Postcode:	



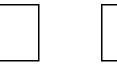
First Name:				Family	/ Name:			
DOB:			Sex:					
Address:								
Suburb:			State:			Postcode	:	
Does the child ic (√ relevant resp	-	CaLD			Aboriginal or Torres Strait		Having a disability	

Reporter's Details 9

Name:	
Contact details:	
Relationship to child/ren:	

Incident Reporter Wishes to Remain Anonymous? 10

(Mark with an 'X' as applicable)





11 Action Taken

Has the Incident been reported externally?

External Agency	Contact name	Da te	Ti me	ncy Reference Num	
Child Protection (1300 655 795 or after hours 13 12 78)					
Police (000)					
Other Regulatory Body (please specify e.g. Dept. of Education, CCYP etc)					
Report Details:					
Notification Required:		Yes		Νο	
Rationale:		Outcome (if	/ when know	'n):	

If no, please report immediately.



Has the incident been reported internally?				□YES] N/A			
Role	Name			Date		Time		Signature	
Child Safe Officer									
Principal									
CLV Child Safe Officer									
Name of staff membe	Name of staff member managing the complaint:								
Contact details:	Email:				Pho	one:			
Internal Reference (if applicable):				cument S ference:	Storage	e			

Contacting parents/carers

	YES	NO	Date/Time	Contact Name
Have you sought advice				
from DHHS, DET or Victoria				
Police?				

Is it appropriate to contact parents or	YES	NO	Rationale
carers?			



If contacting parents/carers:

Name of staff member making the call?	
Name of parent/carer receiving the call?	
Discussion outcomes	



TO BE COMPLETED BY THE CHILD SAFE OFFICER

Does the incident meet the threshold for Reportable Conduct?	□YES	□ NO
Has it been reported to the principal/CLV?	□YES	
If not, please report ASAP		

Report to:	Contact Name	Date	Time	Agency Reference Number
Internally to Principal/CSO				
Internally to CLV Child Safe Officer				
Reportable Conduct Scheme (CCYP) 1st contact				
Reportable Conduct Scheme (CCYP) 2nd contact				
Other				
Report Details:	•			
Next Steps:				



What follow-up action is required?

Role	Rationale	Due date	Outcome (if/ when known)
External Investigation (wait until outcome of police investigation)			
Internal investigation			
Review of Polices & Procedures			
Risk Assessment Review			

12 Further Information

Contact the Child Safe Officer of the campus or Campus coordinator or school principal.

Principal contact details - principal@vtatamilschool.org.au