

LAKE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT R-1

Child Abuse/Neglect Reporting Form

WRITTEN REPORT

Date_____

Name of Child:_____ Birth Date_____ Sex_____

Address:_____ Grade_____

Parent(s)/Guardian_____

Parent's Address (if different):_____ Home Phone:_____

Parent's Place of Employment:_____ Home Phone:_____

Family Composition:_____

1. Select item(s) from Definitions as defined in JLF and provided on reverse for reference.
1_____ 2_____ 3_____ 4_____ 5a_____ 5b_____ 5c_____ 5d_____ 5e_____ 5f_____ 5g_____
2. Description:_____
3. Briefly describe the reporter's concern for the child:_____
4. Describe the child's account of how the incident occurred and possible witnesses:_____
5. Describe any previously known or suspected abuse or neglect to child or siblings:_____
6. Provide name(s), address(es), and relationship to child of person(s) responsible for suspected abuse or neglect (if known):_____
7. **A. Report to Colorado Child Abuse and Neglect Hotline - 844-264-5437**

Call/report Info: _____
Date Time Referral #

AND

B. Report to Law Enforcement ONLY if the person(s) responsible for suspected abuse is not a member of the child's family

Call/report Info: _____
Date Time Person taking report

Name of person making this report Position School

Fax this form to 719-293-2068 w cover sheet "Child Welfare." Turn completed form into principal, who will submit it to the Superintendent.

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From Policy JLF-R for Definitions

Child Abuse or Neglect is defined in law as "an act or omission which seriously threatens the health or welfare of a child." Specifically, this refers to:

1. Evidence of skin bruising, bleeding, malnutrition, failure to thrive, burns, fracture of any bone, subdural hematoma, soft tissue swelling or death and such condition or death which is not justifiably explained, or where the history given concerning such condition or death is at variance with the condition or the circumstances indicate that the condition may not be the product of an accidental occurrence;
2. Any case in which a child is subject to unlawful sexual behavior as defined in state law;
3. Any case in which a child is in need of services because the child's parents, legal guardians, or custodians fail to take the same actions to provide adequate food, clothing, shelter, medical care, or supervision that a prudent parent would take;
4. Any case in which a child is subjected to emotional abuse, which means an identifiable and substantial impairment of the child's intellectual or psychological functioning or development or a substantial risk or impairment of the child's intellectual or psychological functioning or development;
- 5 Any act or omission described as Neglect in state law as follows:
 - a. A parent, guardian, or legal custodian has abandoned the child or has subjected him or her to mistreatment or abuse or allowed another to mistreat or abuse the child without taking lawful means to stop such mistreatment or abuse and prevent it from recurring;
 - b. The child lacks proper parental care through the actions or omissions of the parent, guardian or legal custodian;
 - c. The child's environment is injurious to his or her welfare;
 - d. A parent, guardian, or legal custodian fails or refuses to provide the child with proper or necessary subsistence, education, medical care or any other care necessary for his or her health, guidance or well-being;
 - e. The child is homeless, without proper care or not domiciled with his or her parent, guardian, or legal custodian through no fault of such parent, guardian or legal custodian;
 - f. The child has run away from home, or is otherwise beyond the control of his or her parent, guardian, or legal custodian;
 - g. A parent, guardian, or legal custodian has subjected another child or children to an identifiable pattern of habitual abuse and the parent, guardian, or legal custodian has been the respondent in another proceeding in which a court has adjudicated another child to be neglected or dependent based upon allegations of sexual or physical abuse or has determined that such parent's, guardian's, or legal custodian's abuse or neglect caused the death of another child; and the pattern of habitual abuse and the type of abuse pose a current threat to the child.