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## **RIGHT TO REPORT**

If you, or someone you know, are experiencing sexual abuse, sexual harassment or any other type of abuse, Bridge City Center for Youth wants to know. We want you to report right away! Why?

- We want to keep YOU safe; it is our job! It is your right to be free from sexual abuse and sexual harassment.
- We want to conduct an investigation of the reported incident.
- We want to hold the perpetrator accountable for his/her actions.
- We want to provide YOU with relevant information and support services.

## **HOW TO REPORT**

Bridge City Center for Youth offers multiple ways to report sexual abuse and sexual harassment. Reports can be made anonymously.

- Call Investigative Services Immediately Dial \*999 or call (800) 626-1430.
- Call Louisiana Ombudsman for outside reporting- Dial 1 then 1 then 4444 or (833) 462-0927
- Call Metro centers for Rape Crisis and Community Advocacy Immediately Dial \*1111 or call (504) 837-5400.
- Call the Family Liaison Immediately Dial \*800 or call (800) 594-3941
- Report to any staff, volunteer, contractor, medical or mental health staff.
- Submit a grievance or a sick call slip.
- Report to the PREA coordinator or PREA compliance manager.
- Tell a family member, friend, legal counsel, or anyone else outside the facility. They can report on your behalf by calling (800) 626-1430.
- You also can submit a report on someone's behalf, or someone at the facility can report for you using the ways listed here.

## **VICTIM SUPPORT SERVICES**

Bridge City Center for Youth has partnered with Metro Centers for Community Advocacy to provide survivors of sexual abuse with emotional support services. To access these services, contact (504) 837-5400 or \*1111. Metro Centers for Community Advocacy P.O. Box 10775, Jefferson, LA 70181

All METRO councilors follow Mandatory Reporting Laws. Services are FREE and CONFIDENTIAL.