

CHAPTER 6.00 - SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION

6.381 - Child Abuse Reporting

POLICY

The School Board of Levy County forbids child abuse in any form, whether by an administrator, teacher, any other adult, or any student on school property, or at any school-related activity.

(1) Child Abuse

- (a) All employees have an affirmative duty to report all cases of actual or suspected cases of child abuse or neglect, and shall have immunity from liability if they report such cases in good faith. (1006.061 (1))
- (b) The failure of an employee to report suspected cases of child abuse shall subject the employee to disciplinary measures.
- (c) This rule shall not apply to any legitimate action arising from any legal relationship which may exist between students and employees.

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 1001.41 (1) (2), 1001.42 (17), 1012.23, F.S.

LAWS IMPLEMENTED: 1000.05, 1001.41 (5), 1012.22 (5), F.S. 760.01 Et. Seq.

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