

# Child Abuse and Neglect



## Reporting and Responding to Child Abuse and Neglect

### ***Target Audience***

Law Enforcement, Child Protective Services, County Attorneys, Education Professionals, Youth Care Agencies, Non-Profit Agencies, Day Care Providers, Church Leaders, and anyone who works with children and families

### ***Description***

The purpose of this three-hour course is to prepare mandatory reporters with the knowledge and skill needed to recognize and report child abuse and neglect. Participants will be able to:

- ◆ Define child abuse and neglect
- ◆ Identify who must report child abuse and neglect
- ◆ Practice the questions they should ask children before making a report
- ◆ Become familiar with the roles and responsibilities of child protective services, law enforcement and child advocacy centers in protecting children
- ◆ Appreciate that child abuse reporting can be a sensitive and stressful experience for reporters

In this training, participants will discuss challenges associated with reporting abuse and neglect, practice asking minimal facts questions, and receive resources that will help them with knowing how and when to report.

Each class will be held on **Wednesday, from 9am – 12pm.** Due to building construction, **classes will be held in the training room at Centris Federal Credit Union (11825 Q Street), next door to Project Harmony.**

January 18  
February 15  
March 21  
April 18  
May 16  
June 20

July 18  
August 15  
September 19  
October 17 @ Project Harmony  
November 14 @ Project Harmony  
December 19 @ Project Harmony

Three CEU's are offered for each class.

To register, visit: <http://www.nebraskacacs.com/TrainingAndEvents.aspx?s=0>. Click on the date of the training and follow the directions to register.