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Child Abuse Reporting Laws and Hotlines

The Child Welfare Information Gateway, a service of the Childrens Bureau, Administration for Children and Families, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, is a valuable resource for information on the reporting of child abuse, and much more. You may access these materials generally through the Gateway website at: www.childwelfare.gov

State laws on reporting child abuse may be found at:

www.childwelfare.gov/systemwide/laws_policies/state/reporting.cfm

A list of state child abuse reporting hotlines may be found at:

www.childwelfare.gov/pubs/reslist/rl_dsp.cfm?rs_id=5&rate_chno=11-11172

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