

Reporting Procedures and Information

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While we hope your mentoring experiences are always positive we realize that sometimes circumstances may arise that are concerning or may call you to question the safety of your mentee. As a safe and caring adult in your mentees life you may be called upon to respond and report such incidents. Please understand it is not your responsibility to assess the validity of such information but you are required to report it to the appropriate authorities so they may do so.

To be transparent with your mentee, we ask that you please discuss with them that you will always respect their privacy and will not share information from your weekly discussions with anyone else. However, because you care about their well being, you would need to inform someone else if you discovered that they were in danger for any reason or you fear they may hurt themselves or someone else! Listed below is information to help you in reporting.

Abuse or Neglect	Call CPS: 1-800-800-5556 Indiana Child Abuse and Neglect Hotline Information
Suicide/Mental Health	Contact the guardian or school counselor depending upon the location of the mentee so they may follow up. If the situation is immediate please dial 911. Have Hope is an online suicide prevention resource for teenagers, parents and educators. If you need to speak with someone call 888.628.8255 , or Text IN to 741741 National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)
Bullying	Email the school counselor with all pertinent information so they may follow up. HSE Bullying Policies and Procedures

Because first hand information is always most accurate we ask that you make such calls/emails personally. However, please know that your campus coordinator is there to answer any questions or provide address and other contact information if necessary for reporting! If you feel safe to do so we ask that you contact your YMI Campus Coordinator after reports have been made so they may document it and report to the YMI Executive Director as well.

Thank you for doing your part to keep all of our mentees safe!