



**3344-95-01 Child protection and reporting of child abuse policy.**

(A) Purpose

- (1) Cleveland state university is committed to maintaining a supportive and safe educational environment, which seeks to enhance the well-being of all members of its community. This commitment reflects the university's adherence to its mission, to its various policies supporting its mission, and to relevant state and federal laws. Within that commitment, the university places importance on creating a secure environment for children. To that end, the university has adopted the following child protection and reporting of child abuse policy and procedures on mandated reporting requirements.
- (2) In order to ensure the safety and well-being of children, individuals, including university faculty, staff, students, volunteers, and representatives, as well as third-party vendors and their employees, representatives, or volunteers that contract for use of university facilities, with responsibilities that involve interaction with children (collectively "university personnel"), shall carefully review and abide by the following rule regarding child protection and the reporting of child abuse.

(B) Authority

Section 2151.421 of the Revised Code ("Persons Required to Report Injury or Neglect; Procedures on Receipt of Report") provides the authority for this rule.

Child protection and reporting of child  
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