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Prevent Child Abuse
Wisconsin

Suspected Child Abuse and Neglect Mandatory Reporter Training Program (SCAN-MRT)

What is a Mandated Reporter?

Wisconsin individuals who work in certain professions are required to report known or suspected abuse or neglect of a child younger than 18. These individuals are known as mandated reporters. Mandated reporters include teachers, social workers, principals, law enforcement officers, daycare providers, foster parents and many others who work with children.

What is the Suspected Child Abuse and Neglect Mandated Training Program?

Suspected Child Abuse and Neglect Mandated Reporter Training, or SCAN-MRT, is a program designed to teach mandated reporters how to recognize and respond to suspected child maltreatment. This interactive program emphasizes practical issues in response to abuse and neglect. SCAN-MRT is the only mandated reporter training in the state approved by the Wisconsin Department of Children and Families.

The three-hour training program includes information about:

- The prevalence of maltreatment.
- Neglect, physical abuse, sexual abuse and emotional damage.
- Common abbreviations.
- Child abuse and neglect risk factors.
- Reacting to disclosure of abuse.
- Making a report of child abuse or neglect.
- What happens when a report is made.
- Preventing maltreatment.

The cost for this training is **\$15 per person**.

For a complete listing of upcoming SCAN-MRT training dates throughout the state and registration information, visit www.preventchildabusewi.org

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