



New Reportable Conduct Scheme

The Department of Youth Justice and Victim Support is committed to ensuring the safety and wellbeing of youths in our care.

Under the new Reportable Conduct Scheme, the department must identify, report, and investigate allegations of child abuse or child-related misconduct involving our employees, volunteers, trainees, contractors, sub-contractors, and consultants.

We take worker reportable allegations and convictions that impact the safety and wellbeing of youths seriously. When concerns are raised, the department will assess them and, as required, notify the Queensland Family and Child Commission and investigate.

What is reportable conduct?

Reportable conduct includes:

- sexual offences or misconduct against a child or in the presence of a child
- ill-treatment, significant neglect, or physical violence
- behaviour causing significant emotional or psychological harm.

Reportable conduct does not include:

- reasonable behaviour management or discipline
- minor accidents where no neglect or recklessness is involved
- trivial incidents with no risk of significant harm.

If you are aware of any reportable allegations or convictions, report them to the Reportable Conduct Unit at reportable.conduct@youthjustice.qld.gov.au.