

ELDER AND DEPENDENT ADULT ABUSE REPORTING

It is the policy of the District to treat reports of violence against elderly persons or dependent adults as high priority criminal activity that is to be fully investigated regardless of the relationship between the victim and the suspect(s).

The Chancellor shall establish administrative regulations related to the responsibility of employees, within the scope of employment or in their professional capacity, to report suspected abuse and neglect of the elderly.

References:

Welfare and Institution Code Sections 15610 et seq. and 15630
Penal Code Section 368
Health and Safety Code Sections 1250, 1250.2, and 1250.3