

EAST MAIN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

MANDATORY REPORTER ROLE FOR VOLUNTEERS

Dear volunteer ~

Thank you for your willingness to serve in East Main Church's Children's and Youth Ministry programs! The opportunities and experiences we offer would not be possible without you!

In your role as a volunteer at our church you are, by state law, a Mandatory Reporter. In a nutshell, this means that you have legal obligations to report suspicions of abuse of children or teens under your care.

The following 3 documents will help you understand your role and responsibilities as a Mandated Reporter:

- a. Mandated Reporting in Pennsylvania guidelines
- b. FAQ Mandated Reporter information
- c. Procedure for Making a Mandated Report & Resources and Training for Mandated Reporters

Please take time to read through these documents carefully. The first two documents are similar in content but have different formats. Each offers some distinct information as well. The third document explains how you would go about making a report as a volunteer as well as where you can go for additional training and information. Contact us if you have questions or need clarification.

When you are done reviewing the documents, please sign and return the [Agreement to Mandatory Reporter Role and Responsibilities](#) form. This form will go on file with your clearances at the church and is required before you can volunteer.

Thank you!

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