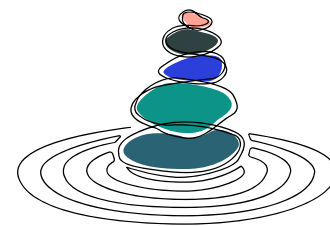


Quick reference guide

Everyone in Ontario, including members of the public and professionals who work closely with children, is required by law to report suspected child abuse or neglect.

If you have reasonable grounds to suspect that a child is, or may be in need of protection, you must immediately report the suspicion and the information on which it is based directly **to a children's aid society**. If you think the matter is urgent and you cannot reach the children's aid society, call your local police.



Where to get help

Not in Halton, Ontario? Scan the QR code for additional services and information

Urgent & crisis support

Emergency: 911

Suicide Crisis Helpline: Call or text 988
For 24-hour crisis support: 988.ca

SAVIS of Halton: 905-875-1555 (24-hour crisis line)

Kids Help Phone: 1-800-668-6868
Text CONNECT to 686868

Medical & mental health

Nina's Place: 905-336-4116
Medical care • Forensic exams • Support

Reach Out Centre for Kids (ROCK): 905-878-9785
Children's mental health and trauma services

Reporting & investigation

Halton Regional Police, Child Abuse & Sexual Assault (CASA) Unit: 905-825-4777 ext. 8970

Halton Children's Aid Society: 905-333-4441
Toll Free: 1-866-607-5437 (Available 24/7)

Cybertip.ca: cybertip.ca
Report online child sexual exploitation

Online & ongoing support

Canadian Centre for Child Protection: protectchildren.ca

NeedHelpNow.ca: needhelpnow.ca
Support after intimate images have been shared

The Ironwood Project: theironwoodproject.ca
Support for survivors and families



For more information and support please
explore **The Resource Project**

Remember: Your child does not need you to have all the answers today. They need to know you believe them.

