

Steps for Filing a Report

- 1. Determine who you report to (see chain of command doc)
- 2. Report an incident/concern within the established timeline (Usually within 24 hours of event with written notice within 48 hrs)
- 3. All reporting to follow CEC and Reconciliation policy on reporting.

Tips for filing a report:

- 1. When you note an incident/concern, mark the time and date and if there were any other credible witnesses present.
- 2. describe in order the events of the incident/concern event including any/all pertinent information.
- 3. Record whether you are aware of any similar previous occurrences involving the same person(s)
- 4. if making an incident report, follow up privately with your supervisor and/or the rector bishop to monitor the progress/reaction.

What is an Incident? What is a Concern?

An incident is any occurrence of behavior that breaks CEC/Church policy and/or may put someone in danger or liability.

Example: An adult alone in a dark room with a child not their own.

A concern regards an unusual occurrence that raises suspicion or is deemed abnormal and may pertain to the safety of children/youth.

Example: Unnecessary/unknown/unauthorized individuals loitering near children's areas.

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