

Department for Child Protection Notifications Checklist

Complete this checklist with the best information available, noting not all information is mandatory to make a notification.

Notifier details	
	Full name
	If a mandated reporter, job title and agency, capacity in which you are working with the child, young person or family
	Contact telephone number
	Relationship to the child or young person
	Type and frequency of contact with the child or young person, siblings and their family
Identification details for the child or young person, their siblings, parents/caregivers and alleged perpetrator	
	Full name (incl. also known as and other surnames etc)
	Date of birth / age / year level
	Sex: Male, female, not stated/inadequately described
	Current address / contact telephone number
	Cultural identity: Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander (including Nation/Clan) Culturally and linguistically diverse including ethnicity and language spoken/if an interpreter is required
	Disability information
Concerns / allegations	
	Details of concerns / allegations of harm or risk of harm as per the <i>Children and Young People (Safety) Act</i> 2017. For example, physical or psychological (whether caused by an act or omission) including sexual, physical, mental, emotional abuse/neglect etc.
	Did the child or young person disclose harm? What did they say? What was their emotional presentation?
	Who saw/heard what, and when?
	Description of current and previous injuries (size, shape, colour, location etc)
	Has the child or young person been seen by a doctor? If yes, details
	What was the parent/caregiver's response to the child or young person?
	Description of the child or young person's behaviours of concern (including frequency, severity and health factors)
	Knowledge about the functioning of the family: details of relevant health factors (physical, mental health difficulties or disability) family and domestic violence, drug and/or alcohol mis-use, animal cruelty.
	Have the concerns been reported to other relevant government agencies (including SA Police)?
	Current location of the child or young person, parent/caregiver and the alleged perpetrator / when is the child or young person next to have contact with the alleged perpetrator?
Other information	
	What are the care arrangements for the child or young person? Are parents/caregivers separated, are Family Court Orders in place, does a separated parent/caregiver have a new partner?
	Known supports and/or services involved with the child or young person and their family. Details (including frequency of their involvement, are the family actively engaged and workers details)

Notification ID (provided by the Child Abuse Report Line at the end of the call):