



ALWAYS REPORT WHEN A CHILD MAY NOT BE SAFE.

LISTEN

"I hear you." Actively listen **without asking questions**. Thank the child for sharing.

SUPPORT

"I believe you" is the most important phrase for a child to hear. Don't over-respond.

REPORT

"I'm going to get you help" tells the child that you will involve someone else. If the child asks, tell them you have friends who work to keep kids safe.

DO

Do immediately call the Department of Child Services 1-800-800-5556 hotline. You can report anonymously. Only tell what has been shared with you by the child or what *you* have observed.

DON'T

Don't ask the child questions about the incident.
Don't report in front of the child.
Don't share reporting information with anyone else.

Contact Holly's House with any questions. Our services are free.

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