



County of Fairfax, Virginia

To protect and enrich the quality of life for the people, neighborhoods and diverse communities of Fairfax County.

CONFIDENTIALITY STATEMENT

As a member of the Fairfax County Office for Women & Domestic and Sexual Violence Services volunteer program, I understand that I will come into contact with information about clients and their families. I acknowledge my responsibility to hold confidential and protect all information of a personal and/or identifying nature which pertains to clients receiving services or assistance from the Office for Women & Domestic and Sexual Violence Services. I also agree to hold confidential and protect all information of a personal and/or identifying nature pertaining to other Office for Women & Domestic and Sexual Violence Services information that I may have access to.

I understand that there are certain exceptions to the requirements stated above. I may release personal and/or identifying information under the following circumstances:

- If the client is a danger to him/herself or reveals intent to harm another person or persons.
- If abuse or neglect of a child or a vulnerable adult is suspected.
- In certain other emergency situations such as a health emergency or natural disaster emergency.

As a member of the Fairfax County Office for Women & Domestic and Sexual Violence Services volunteer program, I have the responsibility to immediately report incidents of child abuse or neglect, abuse or neglect of an older adult, medical emergencies, and cases of imminent danger to the client or others to Office for Women & Domestic and Sexual Violence Services staff, and/or other appropriate designated agency or authority.