

WORTHY OF THE CALL SESSION OUTLINE

Section 1: Introduction

In the video, it is stated that one out of every four females and one out of every six males is a survivor of abuse. This section discusses things that help create a safe environment for children and youth.

Section 2: Core Principles

There are four core principles that should be followed when representing the Catholic Church when you serve/volunteer/minister. What you say through your actions and your service is what it means to be Catholic. These four core principles are: being authentic, being competent, treating others with dignity and respect, and holding one another accountable. This section explains and discusses these.

Section 3: Recognizing Signs of Abuse

This section covers the signs of abuse, what are grooming behaviors, how do you keep yourself safe, and what to do if you experience behaviors from someone that are inappropriate or “red flags.”

Section 4: Reporting Requirements

This section goes over what you would do if you have reason to believe someone is being abused or if someone tells you they are being abused. What are the reporting requirements and policies?

Section 5: Concluding Thoughts

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