THERE ARE SEVERAL CHILD ADVOCACY CENTERS IN THE STATE OF HAWAII.

Feel free to call the center with any questions about where to find resources related to child sexual abuse. Contact the nearest CAC to set up an interview if abuse is reported.

Hawaii State Chapter of Children’s Justice Centers
3019 Pali Hwy.
Honolulu, Hawaii 96817
808-534-6700
http://www.nationalchildrensalliance.org/index.php?s=58&state=hawaii

CALL TO REPORT ABUSE
Contact your Hawaii child protection services at 808-832-5300 or any Law Enforcement Agency at 911. You are not required to provide proof. Anyone who makes a good faith report based on reasonable grounds is immune from prosecution. If the abuse occurred within the past 72 hours, a medical evaluation by a Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner is available by going to the Emergency Department at Your County Medical Center or by going to the nearest child advocacy center.

HELPLINES
Child Abuse and Neglect Hotline 1-800-494-3991
United Way Crisis Helpline (24 hour) 888-421-1266
211(after hours)
Darkness to Light Helpline 1-866-FOR-LIGHT
(1-866-367-5444)
Childhelp: USA National Child Abuse Hotline 1-800-4-A-CHILD
(1-800-422-4453)

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES
Legal Help
Office of the Prosecuting Attorney 808-934-3306
Victim Witness Kokua Services 808-768-7485

Victim Advocacy
Maui County Area Health Education Center 808-553-3623
Kapiolani Medical Center for Women and Children 808-524-7273
YWCA of Hawaii Island 808-935-7141

RESOURCES FOR HEALING
Treatment Providers
Child & Family Service 808-877-6888
YWCA Sexual Assault Treatment Program 808-245-5959

Support groups for survivors and for parents and families of children who have been abused
Child and Adolescent Mental Health Division for listings 808-733-9333

WEBSITES FOR MORE INFORMATION ON CHILD SEXUAL ABUSE AND/OR TRAUMA
www.darkness2light.org 1-843-965-5444
www.trauma-pages.com
www.stopitnow.com 1-888-PREVENT
(1-888-773-8368)
HAWAII
HAWAII STATE REPORTING LAWS
https://www.childwelfare.gov/systemwide/laws_policies/statutes/manda.cfm

PROFESSIONALS REQUIRED TO REPORT
Rev. Stat. § 350-1.1
The following persons are required to report:
• Physicians, physicians in training, psychologists, dentists, nurses, osteopathic physicians and surgeons, optometrists, chiropractors, podiatrists, pharmacists, and other health-related professionals
• Medical examiners or coroners
• Employees or officers of any public or private school
• Child care employees or employees or officers of any licensed or registered child care facility, foster home, or similar institution
• Employees or officers of any public or private agency or institution, or other individuals, providing social, medical, hospital, or mental health services, including financial assistance
• Employees or officers of any law enforcement agency, including, but not limited to, the courts, police departments, departments of public safety, correctional institutions, and parole or probation offices
• Employees of any public or private agency providing recreational or sports activities

REPORTING BY OTHER PERSONS
Rev. Stat. § 350-1.3
Any other person who becomes aware of facts or circumstances that cause the person to believe that child abuse or neglect has occurred may report.

INSTITUTIONAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR MAKING A REPORT
Rev. Stat. § 350-1.1
Whenever a person designated as a mandatory reporter is a member of the staff of any public or private school, agency, or institution, that staff member shall immediately report the known or suspected child abuse or neglect directly to the department or to the police department and also shall immediately notify the person in charge or a designated delegate of the report made in accordance with this chapter.

STANDARDS FOR MAKING A REPORT
Rev. Stat. § 350-1.1
A report is required when, in his or her professional or official capacity, a reporter has reason to believe that child abuse or neglect has occurred or that there exists a substantial risk that child abuse or neglect may occur in the reasonably foreseeable future.

PRIVILEGED COMMUNICATIONS
The physician-patient, psychologist-client, husband-wife, and victim-counselor privileges are not grounds for failing to report. Inclusion of Reporter’s Name in Report The reporter is not specifically required by statute to provide his or her name in the report.

INCLUSION OF REPORTER’S NAME IN REPORT
Rev. Stat. § 350-1.4
Every reasonable good-faith effort shall be made by the department to maintain the confidentiality of the name of a reporter who requests that his or her name be confidential.