

Rule 6A-10.082, Mandatory Reporting of Offenses Affecting the Health, Safety and Welfare of Florida Students



Current Statutes

Section 1012.796, Florida Statutes, contains requirements for school districts, charter schools, and private schools who accept state sponsored scholarships to file in writing with the Department all legally sufficient complaints within thirty (30) days.



Section 1012.796, F.S.

Also includes:

Detailed procedures for reporting alleged misconduct by instructional personnel and school administrators which affects the health, safety, or welfare of a student; requirements for the reassignment of instructional personnel or school administrators pending the outcome of a misconduct investigation.



Offenses in Proposed Rule

(a) Felony offenses:

- 1. Section 782.04, F.S., relating to murder.
- 2. Section 782.07, F.S., relating to manslaughter, aggravated manslaughter of an elderly person or disabled adult, aggravated manslaughter of a child, or aggravated manslaughter of an officer, a firefighter, an emergency medical technician, or a paramedic.
- 3. Section 787.01, F.S., relating to kidnapping.
- 4. Section 787.025, F.S., relating to luring or enticing a child.
- 5. Section 787.04(2), F.S., relating to leading, taking, enticing, or removing a minor beyond the state limits, or concealing the location of a minor, with criminal intent pending custody proceedings.



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- 6. Section 787.04(3), F.S., relating to leading, taking, enticing, or removing a minor beyond the state limits, or concealing the location of a minor, with criminal intent pending dependency proceedings or proceedings concerning alleged abuse or neglect of a minor.
- 7. Section 794.011, F.S., relating to sexual battery.
- 8. Section 794.05, F.S., relating to unlawful sexual activity with certain minors.
- 9. Section 825.1025, F.S., relating to lewd or lascivious offenses committed upon or in the presence of an elderly person or disabled person.
- 10. Section 827.071, F.S., relating to sexual performance by a child.

(b) Misdemeanor offense: Section 787.025, F.S., relating to luring or enticing a child.

Where and What to Report

- Reports need to be submitted by email to:
 24hr.DistrictReporting@fldoe.org
- Reports must include the following:
 - (a) the name of the instructional or administrative staff person arrested, convicted, or implicated by a substantiated allegation of misconduct;
 - (b) the name of the institution where the person is or was employed;
 - (c) the date on which the school district became aware of the arrest, conviction, or substantiated allegation of misconduct; and
 - (d) a description of any action taken by the district in response

