



Be a Child's Advocate

When making a hotline call, if you feel the child you are concerned about is not getting the appropriate assistance needed, you can attempt the following:

- When doing the hotline follow-up questions if you discover your concerns will not be investigated, you can request to speak to a supervisor. If not available, you can ask the supervisor to review your concerns and contact you.
- Contact local agencies in your county who manage suspected child abuse and neglect cases—Missouri's Children's Division, local law enforcement (request a well-child visit) or juvenile services.
- Contact your Senators and Representatives. Be prepared to discuss constructive suggestions on improving our child care systems.
- Contact Missouri's Office of Child Advocate for Children Protection and Services at 866.457.2302 or www.oca.mo.gov.
- Contact our agency, Southeast Missouri Network Against Sexual Violence at 573.332.1900 or www.semonasv.org.

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Stoddard County

Sheriff's Department
573.568.9920

Local Law Enforcement

Advance—573.722.3603
Bell City—573.733.4255
Bernie—573.293.4455
Bloomfield—573.568.3576
Dexter—573.624.5512
Puxico—573.222.3565

Children's Division
573.568.2111

Juvenile Office
573.568.4640

State Senator

Jason Bean—573.751.4843

Email: www.senate.mo.gov

Click on "Senators" then click on Senator Bean's photo and follow prompts

State Representatives

Herman Morse—573.751.1494

Email: Herman.Morse@house.mo.gov

House of Representatives

Jason Smith—202.225.4404

Email: www.jasonsmith.house.gov

Click on "contact" and complete prompts

Senators

Roy Blunt—202.224.5721

Email: <https://www.blunt.senate.gov/contact>

Josh Hawley—202.224.6154

Email: www.senate.gov

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