

## **Mandated Reporters:**

# New Online Option to Report Child Abuse and Neglect

## Report Non-Emergency Child Abuse and Neglect Online

Thanks to your suggestions, we now have a new **ONLINE** option for mandated reporters to report non-emergency child abuse and neglect.

#### Our new **ONLINE** option:

- ✓ Gives you greater convenience and flexibility to report nonemergency issues
- ✓ Allows you to report no matter where you are
- ✓ Helps you avoid wait time on the Child Abuse and Neglect Hotline

#### How it works:

- When you're ready to report, go to <a href="http://dss.mo.gov/cd/can.htm">http://dss.mo.gov/cd/can.htm</a>
- Click on ONLINE MANDATED REPORTING
- You will sign up for an account with a few simple steps
- The interactive reporting system prompts you for information

#### Once you complete your report:

- The report is immediately uploaded to a secure server
- You will get an email with the assigned call number indicating whether or not your report meets the definition of child abuse or neglect

### To make a report online:

- Go to <a href="http://dss.mo.gov/cd/can">http://dss.mo.gov/cd/can</a>
- Click on ONLINE MANDATED REPORTING
- Create an account
- Fill in report with the information
- Submit your report

#### Remember:

If it is an emergency or life-threatening situation, call 911 immediately.

Report these situations to the Child Abuse and Neglect Hotline directly:

1-800-392-3738

