

SUSPECTED CASES OF PATIENT ABUSE

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The Union Vale Fire District is committed to providing a safe environment for all patients treated and / or transported by its members. All reported incidents of alleged patient abuse are taken seriously and are to be fully investigated.

All reports of alleged patient abuse shall be reported to the District Chief or in his absence to an Assistant Chief or Rescue Squad officer.

A police agency shall be notified of any report of Physical and / or Sexual Abuse of a patient.

District members are required to report any suspected case of patient abuse.