



ALLEGED PERPETRATOR'S RIGHTS PRIOR TO INTERVIEW

Purpose: Use this form to notify alleged perpetrators in an investigation of their rights prior to being interviewed by DFPS.

Directions: The caseworker or special investigator does the following:

- Completes the *Case Information* and *Alleged Perpetrator's Information* sections.
- Verbally reviews this form with the alleged perpetrator.
- Has the alleged perpetrator sign this form acknowledging the receipt of the information prior to beginning an interview.

The caseworker or special investigator leaves one copy with the alleged perpetrator and uploads the other copy into the case file.

CASE INFORMATION

Case Name:	Case Number:
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ALLEGED PERPETRATOR'S INFORMATION

First Name:	Middle Name:	Last Name:	Home Phone Number:
Home Street Address:	City:	County:	State: ZIP Code:

PRIVACY STATEMENT

DFPS values your privacy. For more information, read our [Privacy and Security Policy](#).

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

You are being interviewed as an alleged perpetrator of abuse or neglect in this DFPS investigation.

- You have the right to audio or video record the interview for your own records. Any audio or video recording you make may be subject to subpoena under a court order. By law, audio or video recordings of this interview must not be posted to any website in a manner that could identify someone involved in the interview.
- You are entitled to a copy of DFPS's policy on recording upon request.
- At the conclusion of the investigation, if DFPS makes a finding that you have abused or neglected a child, you can request an Administrative Review of the Investigation Findings under Texas Family Code §261.309.

By signing this form, you acknowledge that this information has been provided to you verbally and in writing prior to beginning an interview.

By checking this box, the alleged perpetrator has refused to sign this form.

Alleged Perpetrator: X	Date Signed:
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