

Community Partners in Action Transitional Housing - TH

PREA Standard: 115.222 Policies to Ensure Referrals of Allegations for Investigations

Policy:

CPA shall ensure that an administrative or criminal investigation is completed for all allegations of sexual abuse and sexual harassment.

Procedures:

- 1. <u>Sexual Abuse/Harassment Allegations:</u> CPA maintains policies to ensure that allegations of sexual abuse or sexual harassment are referred for investigation to local authorities to conduct criminal investigations, unless the allegation does not involve potentially criminal behavior. This policy is maintained on the CPA website (www.cpa-ct.org). CPA shall document all such referrals.
- <u>Conducting Criminal Investigations</u>: Local authorities shall be responsible for conducting criminal investigations, not CPA. CPA shall attempt to secure the publication describing the responsibilities of the local authorities and publish it on the agency's website.

Date of Last Revision: 4-5-22 Positions Responsible: PODs, TH staff <u>Effective Date: 1-29-16</u> <u>Cross References: Overarching and 217</u>