

**WAC 388-101-4160 Mandated reporting to law enforcement.** Service providers, administrators, owners, and staff must immediately report to the appropriate law enforcement agency if there is reason to suspect that any of the following has occurred:

- (1) Sexual assault: Any alleged or suspected sexual assault;
- (2) Physical assault (nonclient to client): Any suspected physical assault as well as any act that causes fear of imminent harm; and
- (3) Physical assault (client to client): Any suspected physical assault that causes bodily injury requiring more than first aid, or in the event of:
  - (a) Injuries that appear on the back, face, head, neck, chest, breasts, groin, inner thigh, buttock, genital, or anal area;
  - (b) Fractures;
  - (c) Choking attempts;
  - (d) Patterns of physical assault between the same vulnerable adults or involving the same vulnerable adults;
  - (e) A reasonable cause to believe that an act has caused fear of imminent harm; and
  - (f) Any incident, regardless of injury, if requested by the client, his/her legal representative, or family member.

[Statutory Authority: Chapter 71A.12 RCW. WSR 08-02-022, § 388-101-4160, filed 12/21/07, effective 2/1/08.]