

HOW TO REPORT CHILD ABUSE AND FILE A COMPLAINT

To report allegations of sexual abuse or to obtain information regarding the implementation of the USCCB *Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People*

Please contact:

**Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator
Teresa Schmit**

at:

**Victim Assistance Confidential Line
406-750-2373**

or

Email: victimassistancecoord@gmail.com

**Diocese of Great Falls-Billings
Safe Environment Policies
available at:**

www.diocesegfb.org

All information received will be treated confidentially. All victims are advised of their right to report the alleged abuse to public authorities

Please note: If you are a mandated reporter, it is necessary to report suspected physical abuse to the State Department of Child & Family Services at 1-866-820-5437