



ADULT PROTECTIVE SERVICES

VULNERABLE ADULT:

An individual who is 18 years of age or older who is unable to protect himself or herself from abuse, neglect or exploitation by others because of a physical or mental impairment. This includes an incapacitated person.



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Warning signs that an adult 18 or older with a disability and an aging adult is being abused, neglected or exploited:

- Sudden changes in behavior or finances
- Physical injuries, dehydration or undernourishment
- Extreme withdrawal, depression or anxiety
- Absence of basic care or necessities
- Being isolated from loved ones
- Unsanitary living conditions
- Personal items missing



Adult Protective Services accepts phone reports:
Monday – Friday
Saturday, Sunday and on state holidays
10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

(877)-SOS-ADULT or (602)-542-0010

Online reporting is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week at:

des.az.gov/ReportAdultAbuse

Equal Opportunity Employer / Program • Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities • To request this document in alternative format or for further information about this policy, contact the Division of Aging and Adult Services at 602-542-4446; TTY/TDD Services 7-1-1 • Disponible en español en línea o en la oficina local.

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