

<b>Diocese of the Central Gulf Coast</b> <b>Safe Church / Safe Communities</b> <i>Who Should Take What?</i>		<b>Required</b>	<b>Recommended</b>	<b>Est. Time</b>	<b>Notes</b>
<b>Foundational Courses:</b>					
<b>Religious (for Clergy)</b>					
Abuse and Neglect	X				Foundational courses for clergy
Duty to Report: Mandated Reporter	X				
Keeping Your Church Safe		X			
<b>Employees and Active Volunteers (High Access)</b>					
Abuse and Neglect	X				Foundational courses for church employees and active or "high access" volunteers including vestry / officers
Duty to Report: Mandated Reporter	X				
<b>Occasional Volunteer (Low Access)</b>					
Abuse and Neglect	X				Foundational course for the occasional or "low access" volunteer
<b>Recommended - If you also work directly with Youth Programs:</b>					
Social Media Safety			X		Recommended for those specifically working with youth programs and ministries (eg. youth director, clergy, etc. )
Preventing Bullying			X		

**Changes from previous programs:**

\* Previous Safeguarding Program has been renamed "Safe Church / Safe Communities"

\* The course "Abuse and Neglect" has replaced "Meet Sam", "It Happened to Me", "Keeping your Church Safe", and "Abuse Risk Management for Volunteers".

<b>Additional Courses Available:</b>					
<b>SCHOOLS:</b>			<b>Employee / Volunteer that works with / around children in a School setting</b>		
Keeping Your School Safe					* (such as Episcopal School, Church Pre-school, etc.)
<b>CAMP:</b>			<b>Those that works with / around children in a Camp/Day Camp setting:</b>		
Keeping Your Camp Safe (Overnight)					* (including YouthDirector / Leader, Counselors, etc.)
Keeping Your Day Camp Safe					* (including Mothers Day Out, Vacation Bible School)
<b>OTHER:</b>			<b>Other Courses available depending on your current role / ministry</b>		
Preventing Sexual Activity Between Adolescents					* to learn more about peer pressure / bullying that may influence sexual behavior
Recognizing Abuse and Exploitation in Elder Serving Programs					* how to recognize the risk factors and warning signs of elder abuse
Introduction and Theological Background					* for clergy and those wanting additional background information
Supervising for a Positive Work Environment					* for supervisors: employment law, encouraging a positive work environment.