

## **Guidelines for Managing the Unexpected**

- **Keeping children safe is your number one priority.**
- **Children's needs come before yours.**
- **Avoid putting yourself in situations where your actions could be misinterpreted or you could be falsely accused of abusing a child.**
- **Conduct yourself as if your mother or supervisor were watching you or as if a video of you was going to be on the Internet for the world to see.**
- **Always communicate your observations and concerns with your coworkers and your supervisor.**