

Manassas Park Child Supervision Guidelines

Child Supervision

- Ages 0-8 May not be left unsupervised
- Ages 9-11 No more than 1.5 hours alone – day only
- Ages 12-15 May be left alone all day
- Ages 16-17 May be left alone all night or over the weekend

Baby Sitting Guidelines

- Ages 12-13 May baby sit children up to four hours
- Ages 14-15 May baby sit more than four hours – not overnight or weekends
- Ages 16-17 May baby sit children overnight or over the weekend

Suspect Child Abuse/Neglect?

VA Child Abuse Hotline

1-800-552-7096

Before being left alone, children must know how to contact a responsible adult if needed. Child must have the maturity and capability of caring for themselves. The Department assesses each situation individually. If you have questions, call 703-335-8880 and ask for the Family Services Specialist on In-take. If it is after business hours, call the State Hotline above.