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Dear Colleagues:

We are pleased to provide you with a copy of the newly revised manual, *Child Abuse and Neglect: An Introductory Manual for Professionals and Paraprofessionals*. Over the years, this manual has served as a guide for many professionals and paraprofessionals working in a wide range of programs, from public health to child care to family support. The manual is intended to assist staff with recognizing and dealing with issues of child abuse and neglect in their respective settings. We hope that this updated manual will continue to be of assistance to those providing services and supports for children and families throughout Colorado.

We welcome your comments about this document and any suggestions for supplementary sections that would be helpful to you. Please direct your feedback to cdphe.psdrequests@state.co.us and include *Child Abuse and Neglect Manual* in the subject line.

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