

ADULT PROTECTIVE SERVICES

is a program of the Adult Protective Services Division at the Department for Aging and Rehabilitative Services

In state fiscal year **2016**

23,432 reports of adult abuse, neglect, and/or exploitation were received by local departments of social services. 55% of APS reports were substantiated.



APS focuses on:

Adults age 60 and over and incapacitated persons ages 18 to 59 who have been abused, neglected or exploited, or are at risk of abuse, neglect, or exploitation, without regard to income or resources.

Types of Abuse

2016 APS Reports

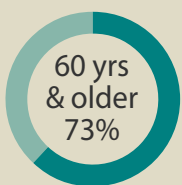
self-neglect	6154
neglect	1964
financial exploitation	1158
physical abuse	698
mental abuse	584
other exploitation	279
sexual abuse	87

Location of the Incident *(abuse, neglect or exploitation)*

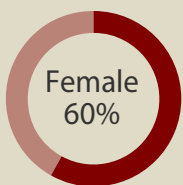
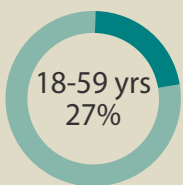
2016 APS Reports

own house or apartment	62%
nursing facility	9%
other's house or apartment	11%
other location	6%
assisted living facility	5%
Behavioral Health & Developmental Service facility or group home	4%

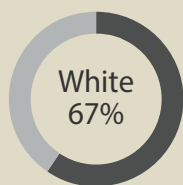
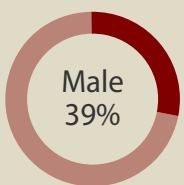
Demographics of APS report subjects



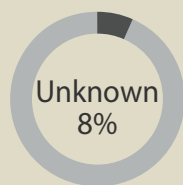
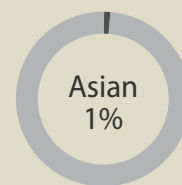
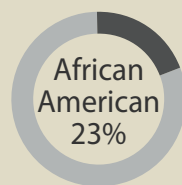
age



sex



race



Report suspected abuse, neglect, or exploitation of adults to Adult Protective Services at your local department of social services or to the 24-hour, toll-free hotline at: **(888) 832-3858 (888-83ADULT)**