

Dear Volunteer,

THANK YOU!! We could not do half of what we do as a parish without people like you! And thank you for taking the time before you begin volunteering to complete the Creating a Safe Environment program through the Diocese of Rochester.

Creating a Safe Environment is the Diocese's sexual abuse awareness program for everyone who works with children, teens and vulnerable adults ... and it is online!

Simply visit http://ec.dor.org

Log in using the Username IT336
Password: initial

Click the "Creating a Safe Environment for Volunteers" link that is front and center. From here, you need to know what training you need:

If this is your <u>first time training</u> for Creating a Safe Environment, click the red "First Time C.A.S.E. Training" button and follow the on-screen directions.

If you are <u>re-training</u> or refreshing your Creating a Safe Environment, click the blue "C.A.S.E. Re-Training" button and follow the on-screen directions.

You will need a computer that has internet access, is connected to a printer and has Adobe flash & reader programs.

The training consists of a presentation and a retention quiz at the end. You will have half an hour to complete the quiz, but most people only need five to ten minutes. *If you do not complete the quiz, or do not get 85% of the answers correct, you will need to re-do the presentation.*

Upon completion of the training, print the following and bring them in to the office.

- Your Certificate of Completion
- Your Quiz Results
- Your Volunteer Code of Conduct

You will also need photo ID (driver's license or passport, etc). When you bring these in, you will then be able to fill out a required background check form.

Again, thank you for taking the time to complete this training and thank you for volunteering!

Sincerely,

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