

Children's Justice Center

Each year, almost 2,000 cases of child abuse and neglect are reported in Utah County. Children in our community are being abused, and the Children's Justice Center aims to focus on the child's needs for safety and well-being during this traumatic time.

The Children's Justice Center is a homelike facility used to help families who are experiencing the crisis that comes with discovering significant sexual or physical abuse of a child. The Center is designed to help children feel safe and at ease so that they may begin the healing process from the complicated issues that accompany abuse. The focus of the Children's Justice Center is to reduce the trauma of the child abuse investigation, while at the same time helping to make the child feel protected in revealing the truth about the abuse that has occurred.

Each child is assigned one team member who works with them through the child abuse investigation. This team member will help the child to discuss what has happened to them and will provide emotional support for the child and the family. Additionally, the Children's Justice Center provides:

- Mental health assessment & referrals for the child and family
- Children's group therapy
- Victim/witness support services
- Crisis intervention
- Community Education/Presentations

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