

**Ohio Protocol Sexual Assault Forensic and Medical Examination 5th Edition
Physicians conducting Child Sexual Abuse Evaluation**

As of January 31, 2012, in order for a facility to receive reimbursement from the Sexual Assault Forensic Exam program (SAFE) for a pediatric medical/forensic examination on a non-acute incident (greater than 72 hours), the health care provider must demonstrate expertise in child/pediatric sexual abuse.

Physician's Name (Print): _____

Physician's Signature: _____

Facility Name: _____

Facility's Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Email address: _____

Telephone number: _____

Best time to contact you: _____

I meet at least ONE of the following *Training Standards* (Check accordingly and submit resume and/or documentation):

- Child Abuse Pediatrics Sub-board eligibility.
- Child Abuse Fellowship training or child abuse Certificate of Added Qualification.
- Pediatric Emergency Medicine Sub-board eligibility.
- A health care provider with pediatric experience with documentation of satisfactory completion of competency-based training in the performance of child abuse evaluations.
- A health care provider with pediatric experience with documentation of 16 hours of formal medical training in child sexual abuse evaluation and/or equivalent experience of peer-reviewed child sexual abuse evaluations.

I agree to practice the following *Continuous Quality Improvement Activities* (Please initial)*:

- Ongoing education in the field of child sexual abuse consisting of a minimum of 3 hours per every 2 years of CEU/CME credits.
- Keep up to date with published research studies on findings in abused and non-abused children, sexual transmission of infections in children and current medical guidelines and recommendations from national professional organizations such as the American Academy of Pediatrics Committee on Child Abuse and Neglect and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.
- Photodocumented examinations are reviewed with advanced medical consultants.
- A review of all exams with positive findings.
- A consultation system with an established expert or experts in sexual abuse medical evaluation is available to me when a second opinion is needed regarding a case in which physical or laboratory findings are felt to be abnormal.

*Documentation will be requested bi-annually