In our ongoing efforts to protect the children and youth in our care, the Diocese of Marquette offers training to increase awareness of potential predators.

Children in Catholic schools, grades 1-8, are trained in safe environment using Child Lures Prevention ®. This comprehensive program trains children in several areas including personal safety, online safety, drug resistance, and school climate.

Children and youth in parish faith formation programs, grades 1-8, utilize the Formation in Christian Chastity program developed by the Diocese of Arlington. This program relies on instructors and parents to work together to ensure the information is received and understood by their children.

High school students, grades 9-12, are trained using materials adapted from the program developed by the Diocese of La Crosse and focuses on respect and dignity as children of God.

Leadership and oversight for these programs is provided by the Office of Ministry Personnel. If you have questions, contact Martha Tomasi at 800.562.9745 ext. 155, 906.227.9155 or e-mail at: mtomasi@dioceseofmarquette.org

Sincerely yours in Christ,

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