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As a supervisor, I have a duty to create and maintain an environment which prevents sexual exploitation and abuse and promotes the implementation of these codes of conduct.

If I have the slightest suspicion of sexual abuse or exploitation of one of my colleagues (in the same agency or not), I have a duty to report it to senior management and/or the human resource manager.

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Sexual activity with a minor IS PROHIBITED

It is prohibited to have sexual activity with children (persons under the age of 18). Believing the child to be above 18 is no excuse. This constitutes a serious act of misconduct for which I will lose my job.

Humiliating, degrading or exploitative behaviour is UNACCEPTABLE

Exchange of money, employment, goods or services for sex, including sexual favours or other forms of humiliating, degrading or exploitative behaviour, is prohibited. This includes exchange of assistance that is due to beneficiaries.

ZERO TOLERANCE for sexual relationships that undermine the integrity of humanitarian work

Any sexual relationship between those providing humanitarian assistance and protection and a person benefitting from such humanitarian assistance and protection that involves improper use of rank or position is prohibited. Such relationships undermine the credibility and integrity of humanitarian aid work.

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