

OFFICE OF SEXUAL ABUSE PREVENTION AND RESPONSE SERVICES  
ARCHDIOCESE OF MILWAUKEE  
SEXUAL ABUSE INTAKE REPORT

Date Report Taken: March 7, 2007

Time: Phone  In Person

REDACTED

Received By: Amy Peterson

Person Reporting:

Phone Number:

Address:

[REDACTED]

Allegations made by:  
(if not same as above)

Name:

Address:

Phone:

Date of Birth: [REDACTED]

Age at time of

Allegations: 7 through 12

Allegations Against:

Time Period:

Where: S

Reported: (Previously? To Whom?)

Father Lawrence Murphy

1957-1962

t. John's School For The Deaf in Milwaukee Wisconsin

**Alleged Abuse:**

[REDACTED] entered St. John's School for the Deaf at the age of six. He showed this reporter school albums with photos of himself as a child at St. Johns. He was around the age of eight. [REDACTED] stayed at St. John's until he graduated in 1970. [REDACTED] stated that he remembered an older building and the principal when he entered was a Father Grum or Grun? He was uncertain as to the spelling. He said that this priest passed away and then Murphy became principal. He said that in his first few years before Murphy came, that the nuns supervised the daily showers. The kids were allowed to dry themselves off. When Murphy arrived, [REDACTED] said that Murphy insisted on supervising the showers and insisted in drying the children off. [REDACTED] said he was very uncomfortable with Murphy drying him off and rubbing him with the towel. He felt he was old enough to do it for himself. He said he doesn't remember exactly when, but the nuns took over supervising showers again. [REDACTED] said when he was twelve years old, he lived on the third floor in the dormitory. He said that one night while sleeping he felt someone pull down his blanket. He said it was Murphy. He said Murphy was touching and rubbing his penis. He stated that there was a light in the corridor that shone on Murphy's face. [REDACTED] said that he was terrified of Murphy. He stated that Murphy repeated this behavior three times and after the third occasion, [REDACTED] tried to wake up the boy sleeping next to him, in order to warn him. As he tried to do this, Murphy pushed him down and as [REDACTED] struggled harder, Murphy beat him down, hitting him repeatedly on the shoulders. [REDACTED] stated that after the incident that involved physical altercation, Murphy didn't sexual molest him again but did make [REDACTED] talk about masturbation in confession. [REDACTED] said that he asked things like "are you feeling horny," "do you have any desires." and "if he liked girls." [REDACTED] stated that he was afraid to answer those questions. [REDACTED] stated that he tried whenever possible to go to another priest for confession.

**History:**

[REDACTED] moved back to Illinois after graduating from St. John's. He said that he became a brick layer. He stated that he wasn't the smartest guy and was very average in intelligence. He eventually became self employed and has a home remodeling business. [REDACTED] has been in contact recently with other classmates that were molested by Murphy. He believes that some of their stories are worse than his. He believes he wasn't exposed to some of the things they were. [REDACTED] stated that he has been troubled all of his adult life by the events that occurred at St. John's. He pointed to his stomach and chest and indicated that he was sickened and ashamed about what had happened. [REDACTED] denied seeking assistance to deal with his feelings. He also stated that he never told anyone about this, that he thought "he was the only one."

REDACTED

Next Steps:

was interested in getting the name of a therapist to that was able to work with a deaf person. He also stated very strongly that he wanted a settlement. He was aware of the settlements that had occurred with some of his classmates. He feels that he should be compensated for what was done to him. Victim Assistance Coordinator gave him the contact information for mediation and will give him the name of a therapist that works in the Chicago area.

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Intake form  
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