

SAFE ENVIRONMENT

Newly Released

TRAINING AND COMPLIANCE PROGRAM

through
CMG CONNECT

The Diocese of Salt Lake City has teamed up with Catholic Mutual Group to launch a Safe Environment training and database platform for managing compliance of volunteers and employees (users) entitled CMG Connect. Safe Environment compliance requirements include training (working with minors), EM II/vulnerable adult visiting ministry guidelines, youth training (age 13 to 17), and defensive driving training.

FIRST TIME USERS OF CMG CONNECT MUST CREATE A NEW ACCOUNT – EVEN IF RECERTIFYING

Benefits to the Database Platform:

- NO PAPERWORK NECESSARY.
- Users are directed to the training platform through the diocesan safe environment website. See menu on left side of webpage and click On-Line Training and Compliance.
- The training and compliance program curriculum is available in English and Spanish (click on Language arrow; upper right of CMG Connect page).
- Each user creates an account to complete the curriculum as required.
- Only one login and password are needed for all safe environment compliance and any additional training courses the diocese requires.
- Compliance can be completed in less than one hour OR completed at user's convenience. Once an
 account is created, click Sign In located in the upper right corner of CMG Connect and type user name and
 password.
- Users can select to be associated with multiple parishes/schools/organizations or positions.
- Software will work with iPhones, iPads, Android, and other mobile devices.
- User expiration dates will be listed in a report for local DSEs showing those at 30-day, 60-day, and 90-day expiration timeframes.
- Automated background screenings will be processed once all user requirements have been met.
- Users are NOT prompted or required to print a Certificate of Completion. The system detects training completion and background screening completion and alerts local DSEs of compliance.
- The database platform collects and stores data (encrypting personal information); is retrievable for computer-generated reports and meets USCCB audit requirements.

These exciting changes will enhance security, provide faster accomplishment of tasks, and increase productivity.