



## Unaccompanied Adults in the Children's Area

The primary purpose of the juvenile area in the library is to provide a safe and comfortable place for children and their caregivers to enjoy the library together. Adults who are unaccompanied by children may use the juvenile area if such use is seen as appropriate by staff.

However, out of concern for the safety of young patrons, it is library policy that staff directs unaccompanied adults, whose presence is not specifically tied to the use of materials in the juvenile areas, or whose presence might intimidate youth or caregivers from using the area, to enjoy other areas of the library.

Concerns about an adult's behavior should be immediately shared with the senior staff member.

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