

Red Flag Child Sexual Grooming Behaviors: *Post-Abuse Maintenance*

The person told the child touching was normal behavior.

The person tells the child touching is morally acceptable.

The person tells the child not to tell anyone what happened.

The person encourages the child to keep secrets.

The person makes the child feel responsible for the abuse.

The person threatens the child with abandonment, rejection, or the family breaking up.

The person uses rewards/bribes, or promises no punishment, to prevent the child from telling.

The person persuaded the child touching was acceptable/normal behavior.