

0300 30 31 982^{24/7} (FREE)

Confidential Reporting Form

You can report it anonymously using this form if that's better for you For those who do not want to go directly to the Police.





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Hate crime together we can stop it



So, what is a Hate Incident or Hate Crime?

A crime or incident committed because of who you are or who someone thinks you are.

Quite simply, if because of your age, disability, sexuality, religion, ethnicity, gender (including gender identity) or lifestyle choice (e.g. Goth) someone or a group of people targets you, commit a crime against you, bullies you or harasses you, then this is a hate crime or hate incident.

This may include:

- Verbal abuse
- Offensive graffiti
- Threatening behaviour
- Damage to property
- Assault
- Cyber bullying
- Abusive texts, emails or phone calls
- Taking money from you.

If you are in immediate danger call the Police by dialling **999** (non-emergencies **101**).

You can report a hate crime to Victim Support directly. If you would like support we can arrange this at the same time. **0300 30 31 982 (FREE)** 24/7.

If it is easier for you, you can complete the form online at www.reporthate.victimsupport.org.uk

What do you think caused the incident?

1. Who did it happen to?



- I saw it happen to someone else
- I heard about it from someone else

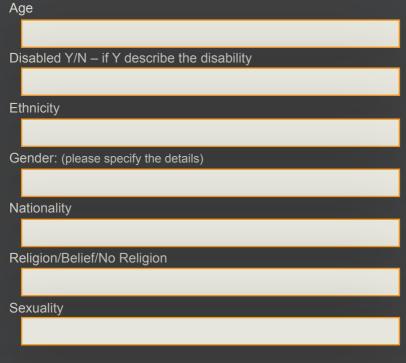
2. What do you think motivated the incident; was it because you are/they were or thought to be:

(tick as many as you think apply)

Disabled	
Due to their ethnicity or race (please give more detail)	
Gay/lesbian/bisexual	
Lifestyle c hoice (e.g. Goth) (Please give more detail)	
Male or female	
Pregnant	
Religious or nor religious (please specify)	
Their beliefs	
Transgender	

3. Tell us about the victim:

(guess if you are not sure)



Tell us your story of what happened

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I agree for my information to be passed to the police.	
I agree to be contacted for an offer of support. We can only supp victims, but may be able to sign post you to alternative support.	ort
Name:	
DOB:	
Address:	
Contact Number:	
Email Address:	
Where did you get this form or find out about the service?	
Signature:	
Date:	
Please Return Marked:	
Free Post to Victim Support,	

RTJR-RLRR-RCEJ, PO Box 1096, Cardiff,

CF11 1TP

Victim Support has been funded by the Welsh Government to increase the reporting of hate crimes and hate incidents across Wales and to offer support to victims of these offences.

Working with other organisations such as the Police, Victim Support can assist in preventing further hate offences through local and national targeted interventions.

If Victim Support are aware of these issues early, we can get the right support in place at the right time to stop the harm these offenses cause from escalating. So, if you are a victim or a witness, then by reporting to Victim Support you help us to help others.

Support is tailored to the needs of each victim which may include emotional support, practical support or advocacy. We can also provide you with assistance in reporting a crime to the Police and in attending court, but there is no pressure to do this.

Even if you do not need support yourself, it is still important for us to know what offences are taking place and where.

Call the Police directly by dialling 999 if you are in immediate danger, or 101 for non-emergencies.

Ring 0300 30 31 982 (FREE) 24/7 to contact Victim Support directly. Calls are treated confidentially and you have the option to remain anonymous.

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