

HATE INCIDENT SIGNPOSTING CENTRE

Thank you for taking an interest in helping to keep people safe.

Derbyshire Constabulary, Derbyshire County and Derby City Council are working together to support people who have been the victim of a Hate Crime or Hate Incident.

One of our key priorities is to increase the number of 'Third Party Signposting Centres' throughout the county. These signposting centres aim to make it easy for victims of Hate to make a report and access services that may be of help to them. We are therefore asking potential organisations or groups to join this initiative and become a Signposting Centre.

Signposting Centres utilise the services of **Stop Hate UK**. This is a registered charity that allows victims, witnesses or any person that may wish to help report hate crime, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week – free of charge. (Please visit www.stophateuk.org.uk for further information).

Stop Hate UK are a victim focused organisation who will only do what the person reporting wants them to do. This may mean that no further information is passed on, or may be a full referral to the Police (with their consent) or a referral to an agency such as Victim Support.

Interested?

All we ask is that your organisation can be approached by victims of hate crime or incidents and your staff will enable them to access a private area to contact **Stop Hate UK** and support them to use the telephone or make a report online. **Stop Hate UK** will do the rest.

Your staff will receive free Hate Crime awareness training to give them the confidence to help people use the services offered by **Stop Hate UK**. For further information or to take the next step, please get in touch. Training and publicity materials is supplied free of charge.



Want more information?

For further information about this scheme, please contact **Seamus Carroll** on **01629 538494** or via email: Seamus.Carroll@derbyshire.gov.uk or **Jenny Rowland** on **0300 122 5079** or via email: Jennifer.Rowland.9633@derbyshire.pnn.police.uk

STOP HATE CRIME
0800 138 1625
24 HOUR HELP LINE

