

Scotland's Redress Scheme

Application form **Part 2**

Additional statement pages

Name

Lisa Fallon

Date of birth

Day 01 Month 09 Year 1977

Your statement for additional care settings

In Part 1, you will have already provided information about the care settings you were abused in. By providing this information here, your case worker can join together the name of the care setting with your statement of abuse.

Q1 | What is the name or location of the relevant care setting you were abused in?

(For example, the name of the care home, or the city or region where you lived in foster care or while boarded out).

Cardross Park Assessment Centre

Do not worry if you are uncertain about dates or time. Please provide your best estimate.

Q2 | When were you abused?

For example: a single date, an age, or an approximate time or time range.

1991-1992

You do not have to provide names, if you cannot remember or do not feel comfortable doing so. If you do provide a name it will be passed to Police Scotland.

Q3 | Who was involved in your abuse?

For example: a member of staff, a peer or someone outside the care setting.

The information you provide will be used by Redress Scotland to make a decision about your application. Redress Scotland will use the "Assessment framework" to help them do this, available on [gov.scot](https://www.gov.scot). Please be aware that it contains graphic descriptions of abuse.

Q4 | On the next page, please provide as much information as you can about:

- the abuse you experienced while living in this care setting
- what life was like for you during this time
- how the people responsible for your care and welfare failed to carry out that duty (within or beyond your care setting)

You can continue on additional pages if you need to.

Part 2 of the application form provides more information about what you may want to include.

Your statement for additional care settings

I was placed here because I used to skip school and stay out late masking my emotions from abuse I suffered before being placed in to care. I would steal food as I was never really fed in my home. My social worker had written all this down and knew was I was going through in.

Cardross was full of favoritism. The staff would headlock me to restrain me and I remember them breaking my watch that I loved so much that my grandmother got me.

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The staff were very physical and always unlawfully restraining me. Sometimes I wouldn't even do anything and I would be locked away in my room. I remember trying to duck past the staff member who was leaning on the wall with his hand and as I went to duck past he knocked me purposely with his hip and I bumped my head on the wall and cut my eyebrow. They would also put my head between there legs to stop me accusing me of "carrying on" when I wouldn't be.

The staff member never allowed me home visits when other children were allowed nor was I allowed on the weekends. This was quite isolating for me seeing and knowing these other children were going home to see there family or friends and I couldn't.

I also remember going the toilet and smelling cigarette smoke, somebody before me had obviously been smoking and when I walked out as normal I was dragged back by the shoulder by the person who sits at the downstairs desk like a caretaker and sworn at to my face accusing me of being the smoker when it wasn't me. Staff members in the school were not allowed to put hands on the children and this I feel was way across the line, especially without having any physical proof and just accusing me of doing it.

I also remember 3 different but regular staff members who would try and come in to my room, when they did it would be at individual times and grope me. He would come up behind me and stroke himself up the back of me and be touching my front. He would also when I was getting a bath would come in and try and put his hands into my swimming costume and I remember unfortunately feeling his erection into the back of me when he would come from behind.