

Scotland's Redress Scheme

Application form **Part 2**

Additional statement pages

Name

Diane Clements

Date of birth

Day 28 Month 11 Year 1971

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).

Calder Grove Childrens home, Edinburgh, Midlothian, EH11 4LZ

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.

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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

When I was 13 years old, I ran away for five weeks because of my mum's partner, who was sexually abusing me.

During that time, I spent a lot of time sitting outside a police station and staying at different people's houses. I remember police officers walking past me, and I hoped someone would stop to ask if I was okay or what was wrong, but no one did. I felt ignored and completely alone.

Eventually, I was found after staying at someone's house and was taken back. After this, I was moved to Caldergrove. I was placed here because I used to run away from home, and my mum's partner was not a nice person. It was only meant to be a temporary placement. While I was here, I was bullied at times, but for the most part, my experience was okay.