

Scotland's Redress Scheme

Application form **Part 2**

Additional statement pages

Name

Kirsty Rachel Gibb

Date of birth

Day 25

Month 01

Year 1992

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).

Foster Care

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.

2003

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 told my guidance teacher what was happening at home, I did not return to live with my mum. Instead, I was placed in foster care with the family of one of my friends. Although my foster carer did many things that I now believe were wrong, one thing she did do was try to protect me from becoming pregnant while I was still underage. She recognised that I was still a child and understood that becoming pregnant would force me to grow up before I was ready and take away my innocence.

At the time, I was in a relationship with my children's father. He would come to the house, throw stones at my bedroom window, and I would sneak out to see him. My foster carer tried everything she could to stop this from happening, but she realised she could no longer keep me safe. She contacted social work and explained that I needed more protection because she was worried I would become pregnant while I was still a child. Those concerns were the reason I was removed from her care and placed back into a children's home. She was asking the professionals to protect me when she could no longer do so herself.