How to report a hate crime

Tell the Police

If you or someone else is in danger:

Ring/Text/SMS 999 or Minicom/Textphone 18000

If you are not in danger:

Ring 101 or text/SMS 67101 Minicom/Textphone 18001 101

email 101@devonandcornwall.pnn.police.uk Online: True Vision www.report-it.org.uk Police website: www.devon-cornwall.police.uk



These organisations have had special training to support you and help you report to the police if you want to

Disability Cornwall

Ring: 01736 756655 or 759500 Email: info@disabilitycornwall.org.uk Website: www.disabilitycornwall.org.uk



LGBTQ Youth Cornwall

Email: info@lgbtqyouthcornwall.co.uk **Website:** www.lgbtqyouthcornwall.co.uk



Pentreath

Ring: 01726 862727 Email: info@pentreath.co.uk

Website: www.pentreath.co.uk



Intercom Trust

Ring: 01209 211360 (Cornwall office)

Helpline: 0800 612 3010

Email: office@intercomtrust.org.uk or helpline@intercomtrust.org.uk

Website: www.intercomtrust.org.uk

Traveller Space

Ring: 01736 366 940

Email: tspace@travellerspace-cornwall.org **Website:** www.travellerspace-cornwall.org





Hate Crime Information in Easy Read

What is hate crime?



Hate crime is when someone is given a hard time, teased, bullied or attacked because of who they are

Hate crime is a crime against someone or a group of people because:

They have a disability



Of their race



Of their religious beliefs, or because they do not have religious beliefs



They are lesbian, gay or bisexual



They are transgender

Here are some examples of what is a hate crime



Being hit, pushed or hurt





Having something you own damaged or broken



Threats to you, your family and friends



Stealing money or important things from you

A hate crime can make you feel



Afraid to go outside



Angry



Alone, unhappy or upset



That you are a bad person



Hate crime is always wrong We have 3 things we want to do in Cornwall





1. Make it easier to report hate crimes.

- 2. Provide help and support to people who have been picked on, teased or bullied and anyone else affected by this.
- 3. Recognise and respond to hate crime better.

Anyone can report hate crime including



The person experiencing hate crime

Anyone who sees a hate crime happening

Anyone who has heard about a hate crime happening