

Victim support directory

Reaching out for help can sometimes feel difficult, but we're here to help you access the support you need.

Simply click on your area to get started:

If you need assistance understanding the information in this document, or need to speak to a member of our Anti-social Behaviour Team please contact us on **0300 365 1111**.

If you need immediate assistance, are at risk of harm, or are witnessing a crime, please contact the Police on **999** (emergencies only) or **101** (non-emergencies).

If you need medical treatment or advice for physical and/or mental health, please contact the NHS on **999** (emergencies only) or **111** (non-emergencies).



Sefton

| Service | Agency | Contact | Further Information | | |
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| Safeguarding (children) | NSPCC | 0808 800 5000 | Safeguarding specialists for those concerned about the welfare of a child, adult or elderly person. | | |
| | Childline | 0800 1111 | | | |
| Safeguarding (adults) | Sefton Careline | 0151 928 5908 | | | |
| Safeguarding (elderly) | The National Careline | 0800 0699 784 | | | |
| Domestic Violence | Refuge | 0808 2000 247 | Specialist charity supporting women fleeing domestic abuse and other forms of gender-based violence. | | |
| | Women's Aid | womensaid.org.uk | 24 hour freephone service providing national domestic abuse support. | | |
| | Rights of Women | rightsofwomen.org.uk | Advice surrounding family law, supporting those who are experiencing or have previously experienced domestic abuse. | | |
| | Respect | 0808 802 4040 | Helpline for men experiencing domestic abuse. | | |
| | The National Centre for Domestic Violence | 0800 970 2070 | Free and fast emergency service for victims of domestic abuse, regardless of circumstances. | | |
| | Independent Domestic Violence Advisors | 0151 934 5142 | Local, independent support service for those in Sefton. | | |
| | The Deaf Health Charity | da@signhealth.org.uk SMS: 07800 003421 | To make a referral or an enquiry, please contact us via email Deaf people can contact us directly for advice or suppor via SMS: Monday-Friday 9.30am-4.30pm | | |
| General Support | Citizens Advice | 0808 223 1133 | Confidential advice to assist people with legal, debt, consumer, housing and other problems in the UK | | |
| | Sefton Women and Children's Aid | 0151 922 8606 | Confidential support for women, young people and children in Sefton. | | |
| Hate Crime | Stop Hate | 0113 293 5100 | 24 hour hate crime reporting service for all monitored strands of a person's identity or perceived identity (Disability, Race Faith, Sexual Orientation, Transgender identity, Age and Alternative Subculture). | | |
| | Anthony Walker Foundation | 0151 237 3974 | Tackling racism, hate crime and discrimination by providing educational opportunities, victim support services and by promoting equity and inclusion for all. | | |
| Victim Support | Merseyside Victim Support | 0151 353 4003 | For general information and confidential advice. | | |
| | Victim Care Merseyside | 0808 175 3080 Open weekdays between 8am and 6pm | Our hub of local, trained staff are here to offer you free, confidential, non-judgemental advice and support. You can contact Victim Care Merseyside for help whether you have reported a crime to the police or not. | | |
| General Support | Sefton CVS | directory.seftoncvs.org.uk | The Here For You online directory includes contact details and service information for all known non-profit organisations and charities in and around Sefton, Merseyside. | | |
| Male Domestic Abuse Support | The Paul Lavelle Foundation | Support Line: 0151 651 3777 General Enquiries: 0151 294 4176 | The Charity was created to raise awareness of male domestic abuse, support male victims and survivors and provide healthy relationship education as a preventative measure. | | |
| | Mankind | 0808 800 1170 | Their confidential helpline is available for male victims of domestic abuse and domestic violence across the UK as well as their friends, family, neighbours, work colleagues and employers. | | |





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| | Liverpool Careline | 0151 233 3700 | | | | |
| Safeguarding (adults) | Liverpool Careline | 0151 233 3800 | | | | |
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| | Liverpool Domestic Abuse Support Service | 0800 084 2744 | Local, independent support service for those in Liverpool. | | | |
| | Merseyside Domestic Abuse Service (formerly Chrysalis) | 07802 722 703 | Support for women, children and young people being affected by domestic abuse. | | | |
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| | Wirral Careline | 0151 606 2008 | | | |
| Safeguarding (adults) | Wirral Careline | 0151 514 2222 | | | |
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| | St Helens Careline | 01744 671809 | | | | |
| Safeguarding (adults) | St Helens Careline | 01744 671809 | | | | |
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| | Childline | 0800 1111 | | | |
| | Cheshire East | 0300 123 7034 | | | |
| | Cheshire West | 0300 123 7047 | | | |
| Safeguarding | Cheshire East | 0300 123 5010 | | | |
| (adults) | Cheshire West | 0300 123 7034 | | | |
| Safeguarding (elderly) | The National Careline | 0800 0699 784 | | | |
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| | Childline | 0800 1111 | |
| | Social care support for children and families | 0300 123 6720 or out of hours 0300 123 6722 | |
| Safeguarding (adults) | Lancashire County Council Adult Social Care | 0300 123 6720 or out of hours 0300 123 6722 | |
| Safeguarding (elderly) | The National Careline | 0800 0699 784 | |
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| | Respect | 0808 802 4040 | Helpline for men experiencing domestic abuse. |
| | The National Centre for Domestic Violence | 0800 970 2070 | Free and fast emergency service for victims of domestic abuse, regardless of circumstances. |
| | Clare House Women's Refuge | Telephone: 01772 435 865 Text: 07790 971 237 | This is a purpose-built refuge for women and children who are experiencing domestic violence or living in fear of a partner or family member. |
| | Chorley Women's Centre | 01257 265342 | This is an independent organisation run by volunteers dedicated to supporting women of all ages and circumstances. Volunteers are warm, friendly, approachable and fully trained. |
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| Victim Support | Lancashire Victim Services | 0300 323 0085 | Free advice for general information for victims- all calls are confidential. |
| | Rainbow Roofs | rainbowroofs1@outlook.com | Rainbow Roofs supports LGBT+ customers in the North West |

Lancashire



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| | Childline | 0800 1111 | |
| | NSPCC | 0808 800 5000 | |
| Safeguarding (adults) | Lancashire County Council Adult Social Care | 0300 123 6720 or out of hours 0300 123 6722 | |
| Domestic Violence | Domestic Abuse Support Services Lancashire. | 0300 3035 581 | Immediate support for adults and children. |
| General Support | Citizens Advice | 0808 223 1133 | Confidential advice to assist people with legal, debt, consumer, housing and other problems in the UK |
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| Victim Support | Victim Support Lancashire | 08 08 16 89 111 | For general advice and confidential service. |

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| 如果您需要幫助了解本文檔中的信息·請致電0300 365 1111 與我們聯繫。 | Jei norite, kad Jums kas nors padėtų suprasti šiame dokumente pateiktą informaciją, prašome su mumis susisiekti tel 0300 365 1111. | eśli potrzebujesz pomocy, by zrozumieć informacje zawarte w tym dokumencie, skontaktuj się z nami pod numerem 0300 365 1111. | Caso necessite de assistência para compreender a informação constante neste documento, deverá contactar-nos através do 0300 365 1111. | Если вам требуется разъяснение информации, содержащейся в данном документе, пожалуйста, свяжитесь с нами по телефону 0300 365 1111. | Bu belgede verilen bilgileri anlama konusunda desteğe ihtiyaciniz olursa lütfen bize ulaşin 0300 365 1111. |

