

ANNEXURE H



124H Hate Crime Risk Assessment Questions

OFFENCE

1. What has happened?
2. Why do you think this is a hate crime?
3. Self-defined gender?
4. Self-defined sexual orientation?
5. Identify as trans or with trans history?
6. Preferred pronouns? (*He / She etc.*)
7. How would you prefer to be addressed?

GUARDIANS DETAILS

8. Does this incident involve a child or vulnerable person? (*Yes / No – If No, go to Q.12*)
9. Guardian's Name:
10. Relation:
11. Contact details:

ONLINE BASED EVIDENCE

12. Does this matter relate to online hate crime? (*Yes / No – If No, go to Q.19*)
13. Platform Type? (*i.e. Messaging app / social media*)
14. Name of Platform or Website address?
15. Offensive material posted date:
16. Screenshots / downloads obtained?
17. Any identifying features which may help locate the suspect? (*Username, email address, URLs, IP addresses etc.*)
18. Suspect account reported to platform provider?

RISK ASSESSMENT - VICTIM'S PERCEPTION OF RISK

19. Are they afraid of what they may do to them or anyone else?
20. Does the victim believe they were targeted and why? (*Full details*)

ESCALATION

21. Does the victim believe this incident was pre-meditated or planned?
22. Does this form a part of ongoing abuse towards you from either this particular suspect(s) or from others in general?
23. Is the abuse happening more often and is the abuse getting worse?
24. Have there been any recent incidents of a targeted nature?
25. Is there any other person that has threatened the victim or that the victim is afraid of?

INJURY / DAMAGE CAUSED AND THREATS MADE

26. Has any injury been caused as a result of this incident? And if so, what is the extent of this injury, and its impact on those involved? **COMPLETE & SIGN FORM 172**
27. Did the suspect say or do things of a sexual nature that made the victim feel bad or that physically hurt the victim?
28. Has damage to property been caused as a result of this incident? And if so, what is the extent of this damage, including cost to repair / replace?
29. Has any property been taken during this incident? And if so, what was it?
30. Have any threats been made by anyone to cause injury, death or damage in any way? And if so, what was said?
31. Were any weapons used or threatened to be used?

PSYCHOLOGICAL IMPACT

32. What impact has this incident had on your wellbeing?
33. ASK: Has the victim ever self-harmed? Does the victim feel there is any risk of self-harm? And if so, how would the victim like this to be managed?

SUSPECT ASSOCIATIONS

34. What association, if any, is there between the victim and suspect?
35. Does the victim usually see the suspect on regular occasion?
36. Does the suspect have knowledge of the victim's personal details?
37. Is the victim aware of any affiliations the suspect may have with any extreme / radicalised groups or ideologies? *(Ensure to create Crimint, flag for SO15 if yes)*
38. Is the victim aware of any affiliations the suspect may have with any gangs or local groups?
39. Are there any bail conditions or judicial orders in place with relevance to contact between the victim and suspect?
40. Is the victim aware of any access the suspect has to weapons?

FAMILY / FRIENDS / COMMUNITY SUPPORT

41. Are there any friends / family / community members involved in this incident? And if so, what is the extent of their involvement?
42. Are friends / family / community members generally supportive of the victim's identity and needs?
43. Are there any negative reactions expected from family / friends / community towards the victim as a result of this incident? And if so, what is the expected extent of these reactions?
44. Are there any personal or cultural issues which make it harder for the victim to seek help?
45. Does anyone isolate the victim from support or help?

COMMUNITY CONCERNS AND TENSIONS

46. Have there been any recent events, incidents, celebrations or protests in the community that may be relevant to this incident?
47. Are there any relevant places closely situated to the location of this incident?
48. In the victim's opinion, would this incident likely cause community tensions?

MEDICAL NEEDS, TREATMENTS, IMPAIRMENTS AND DISORDERS

49. **ASK:** Does the victim currently have any medical needs, or require treatment for any medical needs, that may have been caused/affected by the incident? And if so, what is the extent?
50. **ASK:** Does the victim have any physical impairment or disabilities? And if so, what is the extent of the physical impairment or disabilities?
51. **ASK:** Does the victim have any mental illnesses, disorders or conditions? And if so, what is the extent of the illness, disorder or condition?
52. **ASK:** Does the victim have any dependence on any drugs or substance?

INFORMATION NOT MENTIONED ELSEWHERE

53. Other relevant information which may alter risk levels or cause this to be a critical incident?
54. Is there anything else to add?

ONGOING RISK MANAGEMENT

55. Do you wish for your information to be shared between police and other appropriate Hate Crime organisations? *(Yes / No)*
(Referral to CATCH or other support organisations. It is the officer's responsibility to make the referral and note this has been done on the CRIS DETS page)
56. Name of Supervisor appraised?
57. Initial Risk Level as perceived by reporting officer?

Standard *(Victim must be present)*

Medium

High

58. Rationale on initial risk level
59. Initial safeguarding actions and advice given