

Scotland's Redress Scheme

Application form **Part 2**

Additional statement pages

Name

Darren Watt

Date of birth

Day 18

Month 02

Year 1972

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).

Forteviot House

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 being placed here I was 5 years old. I remember having to wake up every day and having to make my bed and it was like a army camp.

I was bullied quite a lot here, being verbally abused and physically hit by the other kids. The staff members used to actually see this happening and do nothing about it. If I was to react or lash out then I'd be the bad person for it. But no child should have to go through this.

I also remember being physically restrained and pinned down by staff members having my arms and legs twisted until I was showing physical pain and my legs and bum would be slapped until I was complying with the staff members and this happened on many occasions to me.

I also witnessed this happening to other kids in here too.