

Scotland's Redress Scheme

Application form **Part 2**

Additional statement pages

Name

Theresa Haxton

Date of birth

Day 15

Month 04

Year 1978

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.

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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

I ended up being placed in a foster home. There were various sections and interventions around this time, so I feel that the professionals involved were aware that I had a serious problem with alcohol. Despite this, I did not receive the support or help that I needed. I felt as though my problems were acknowledged, but nothing meaningful was actually done to address them or understand why I was struggling so much.

My behaviour continued to get worse. I was sneaking out, stealing cars and taking drugs. Looking back, I was a vulnerable child who needed proper care, supervision and support, but I did not receive this. During this period, I was also sexually abused. I believe I was left extremely vulnerable because I was not being looked after or protected in the way that I needed to be.