

## Crimes and Hate crimes

Options when a crime has happened

- Durham Police for reporting of crimes
  <u>https://www.durham.police.uk/Home.aspx</u>
- Crimestoppers Anonymously report crime <a href="https://crimestoppers-uk.org/">https://crimestoppers-uk.org/</a>
- Victim Support (helpline/live chat) gives free and confidential advice. https://www.victimsupport.org.uk/
- Government for legal aid <u>https://www.gov.uk/legal-aid/how-to-claim</u>

Hate crime specific reporting and support

- Stop Hate Crimes (Phoneline/email/text/BSL reporting/ letters)
  <u>https://www.stophateuk.org/</u>
- Report it(form). It is designed for reporting of racial, disability, religious, homophobic and transphobic hate crimes. <u>https://www.report-it.org.uk/</u>
- Stand Against Racism & Inequality Charity (helpline/email/form) provides support and advice. It is a multi-lingual charity service. <u>https://saricharity.org.uk/</u>
- Galop (helpline) is for the reporting of LGBT specific hate crimes with an emotional support helpline <u>https://galop.org.uk/hate-crime-report-2021/</u>