



# Nottinghamshire Women's Aid Referral Form for Children and Young People

## How to complete this referral:

By completing this referral form, you're helping us to make contact with the client as safely and quickly as possible. We'd appreciate it if you could include as much information as possible - this saves the client from being asked the same questions twice and helps us to understand more about their particular needs and circumstances.

## Referral form part 1 – 1-1 support and group work

## Referral form part 1 and 2 – Hands are not for hurting

## How to submit this referral:

Nottinghamshire Women's Aid LTD  
Children and Young People's Domestic Abuse Services  
The Farr Centre, Chapel Walk, Westgate,  
Worksop, Nottinghamshire,  
S80 1LR

Tel: 01909 533610 Fax: 01909 533617

Email: [enquiries@nottswa.org](mailto:enquiries@nottswa.org)

Website: [www.nottswa.org](http://www.nottswa.org)

**Eligibility criteria for this service:** Please be sure to check that the client meets the following criteria before making the referral:

- We will only work with a child or young person if they have expressed their consent for us to contact them and are willing to engage with us.
- We offer a service to young men and young women up to the age of 18 years (we can continue to offer young women support over 18 years if they have additional needs) who have experienced the impact of domestic abuse.

**Accompanying documents:** Early Help Assessment Form (EHAF) and any other risk assessments that would support this referral.

**How to get in touch:** If you have any questions about our service, eligibility criteria, or how to make a referral, please contact Children and Young People's Domestic Abuse Services On 01909 533610

## 1. Information about the person making the referral

Date of referral:	
<b>Please indicate which service you'd like to refer to:</b>	
<b>Please enter your name and contact details:</b>	
Referrer's name	
Organisation name	
Role/ job title	
Contact number	
Contact email	

## 2. CYP contact info

<b>Names</b>		
First name		
Last name		
Other names		
What do they like to be called?		
DOB		
<b>Contact info for this referral</b>		
Please contact:	CYP directly <input type="checkbox"/>	Parent/ carer name:
	Parent/ Carer <input type="checkbox"/>	
<i>Details</i>		<i>Safe to contact?</i>
Phone		<input type="checkbox"/>
Email		<input type="checkbox"/>
Current address		
Safe contact notes		
<b>Next of kin – who can we contact in an emergency?</b>		
Name		Relationship
Contact information		
Safe contact notes		
<b>School/ college/ nursery info:</b>		

Safeguarding	
Are children's services involved in this case?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't Know <input type="checkbox"/>
Level/ nature of involvement – notes:	
Accessibility requirements	
Does this client have any accessibility requirements (for example, hearing loop, braille documents)	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't Know <input type="checkbox"/> <i>If yes, please provide details:</i>
Do they have any allergies?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't Know <input type="checkbox"/> <i>If yes, please provide details:</i>
Does this client require an interpreter?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't Know <input type="checkbox"/> <i>If yes, please provide details:</i>

### 3. Client equalities monitoring

How would this client describe their gender?	Female <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): _____ Don't Know <input type="checkbox"/>
Is their current gender different to the sex they were assigned at birth?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know <input type="checkbox"/>
Do they consider themselves to have any kind of disability? (please tick any that apply)	Physical <input type="checkbox"/> Learning <input type="checkbox"/> Mental Health <input type="checkbox"/> Deaf/ hearing impaired <input type="checkbox"/> Blind/ visually impaired <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): _____ Don't Know <input type="checkbox"/>
How would they describe their ethnicity?	
White British <input type="checkbox"/> White Irish <input type="checkbox"/> White Gypsy or Irish Traveller <input type="checkbox"/> Any other White background <input type="checkbox"/> Asian British <input type="checkbox"/> Asian Indian <input type="checkbox"/> Asian Pakistani <input type="checkbox"/> Asian Bangladeshi <input type="checkbox"/> Any other Asian background <input type="checkbox"/> Chinese <input type="checkbox"/> Arab <input type="checkbox"/>	White and Black Caribbean <input type="checkbox"/> White and Black African <input type="checkbox"/> White and Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Any other mixed/ multiple background <input type="checkbox"/> Black British <input type="checkbox"/> Black African <input type="checkbox"/> Black Caribbean <input type="checkbox"/> Any other Black background <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): _____ Don't Know <input type="checkbox"/>

Do they have a faith/ religion?	
No religion <input type="checkbox"/> Bahai <input type="checkbox"/> Buddhist <input type="checkbox"/> Christian <input type="checkbox"/> Hindu <input type="checkbox"/> Jewish <input type="checkbox"/> Jain <input type="checkbox"/>	Muslim <input type="checkbox"/> Shinto <input type="checkbox"/> Sikh <input type="checkbox"/> Zoroastrian <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): _____ Don't Know <input type="checkbox"/>
What is their sexual orientation?	Heterosexual/ straight <input type="checkbox"/> Gay woman/ Lesbian <input type="checkbox"/> Gay man <input type="checkbox"/> Bisexual <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): _____ Don't Know <input type="checkbox"/>

#### 4. Client support needs/ vulnerabilities

Please tell us more about any support needs the client may have:	
Mental Health <input type="checkbox"/> Physical Health <input type="checkbox"/> Sexual Health <input type="checkbox"/> Substance misuse <input type="checkbox"/> Aggressive behaviour <input type="checkbox"/> Self-harming/ suicidal feelings <input type="checkbox"/>	Issues with educational attainment/ attendance <input type="checkbox"/> Social isolation <input type="checkbox"/> Bullying/ being bullied <input type="checkbox"/> Experiencing abuse <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify below)
Additional details:	

#### 5. Siblings

Please provide names and DOBs for any siblings below:	
Name	DOB

## 6. Reason for referral

**Why are you making this referral – how could this client benefit from our support?**

**Are there any known risks to working with this client?**

Thanks for taking the time to complete this referral.

To submit your completed document, please post to:  
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Children and Young People's Domestic Abuse Services  
The Farr Centre, Chapel Walk, Westgate,  
Worksop, Nottinghamshire, S80 1LR  
Tel: 01909 533610      Fax: 01909 533617      Email: [enquiries@nottswa.org](mailto:enquiries@nottswa.org)

Before you send the referral, please check that your referral meets the criteria set out on the first page of this document and that any relevant additional materials are attached - Early Help Assessment Form (EHAF), Teen DASH RIC and any other relevant risk assessments.

If you have any queries, please contact Children and Young People's Domestic Abuse Services On 01909 533610

## **HANDS ARE NOT FOR HURTING PROGRAMME ONLY.**

### **Consent to Release Information**

I consent to the information in this referral to be shared between member agencies of the Hands Are Not for Hurting Therapeutic Programme. I understand that the content of the sessions will be confidential except for circumstances surrounding safeguarding issues.

Carers Signature -----

Child/YP Signature -----

OR

Child/YP Verbal consent

### Mothers/female carer's Participation

As a parent/carer you are encouraged to participate in a women's group that takes place during the same timeframe as the children's group. As children begin to heal from the impact of being exposed to abuse, the women's group provides an opportunity for you to gain information and support in nurturing the relationship between yourself and your child.

Will you be attending the group alongside your child?

Yes

No

We are able to offer assistance with transport and childcare in **some circumstances** for **The Hands are not for hurting programme only**.

Do you require assistance with transport to and from the venue?

Yes

No

Do you require assistance with Childcare?

Yes

No

### Mother/female Carer's Information

#### 1. Client contact info

Contact information		
First name		
Last name		
Other names		
What do they like to be called?		
DOB		
NI Number (if known)		
Addresses		
Current address		
Current Local Authority		
Local Authority of origin (if different)		
Does the perpetrator live at this address?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't Know <input type="checkbox"/>	
Safe contact notes:		
Contact info		
	Details	Safe to contact?
Phone		<input type="checkbox"/>
Email		<input type="checkbox"/>

Safe contact notes			
<b>Next of kin – who can we contact in an emergency?</b>			
Name		Relationship	
Contact information			
Safe contact notes			
<b>Accessibility requirements</b>			
Does this client have any accessibility requirements (for example, hearing loop, braille documents)	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	If yes, please provide details:	
	No <input type="checkbox"/>		
	Don't Know <input type="checkbox"/>		
Does this client require an interpreter?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	If yes, please provide details:	
	No <input type="checkbox"/>		
	Don't Know <input type="checkbox"/>		

## Client equalities monitoring

How would this client describe their gender?	Female <input type="checkbox"/>
	Male <input type="checkbox"/>
	In another way: _____
Is their current gender different to the sex they were assigned at birth?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>
	No <input type="checkbox"/>
	Don't know <input type="checkbox"/>
Do they consider themselves to have any kind of disability? (please tick any that apply)	Physical <input type="checkbox"/>
	Learning <input type="checkbox"/>
	Mental Health <input type="checkbox"/>
	Deaf/ hearing impaired <input type="checkbox"/>
	Blind/ visually impaired <input type="checkbox"/>
	Something else: _____
	Don't Know <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>How would they describe their ethnicity?</b>	
White British <input type="checkbox"/>	White and Black Caribbean <input type="checkbox"/>
White Irish <input type="checkbox"/>	White and Black African <input type="checkbox"/>
White Gypsy or Irish Traveller <input type="checkbox"/>	White and Asian <input type="checkbox"/>
Any other White background <input type="checkbox"/>	Any other mixed/ multiple background <input type="checkbox"/>
Asian British <input type="checkbox"/>	Black British <input type="checkbox"/>
Asian Indian <input type="checkbox"/>	Black African <input type="checkbox"/>
Asian Pakistani <input type="checkbox"/>	Black Caribbean <input type="checkbox"/>
Asian Bangladeshi <input type="checkbox"/>	Any other Black background <input type="checkbox"/>
Any other Asian background <input type="checkbox"/>	Other (please specify): _____
Chinese <input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know <input type="checkbox"/>
Arab <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Do they have a faith/ religion?</b>	
No religion <input type="checkbox"/>	Muslim <input type="checkbox"/>
Bahai <input type="checkbox"/>	Shinto <input type="checkbox"/>
Buddhist <input type="checkbox"/>	Sikh <input type="checkbox"/>
Christian <input type="checkbox"/>	Zoroastrian <input type="checkbox"/>
Hindu <input type="checkbox"/>	Other: _____
Jewish <input type="checkbox"/>	

Jain <input type="checkbox"/>	Don't Know <input type="checkbox"/>
What is their relationship status? (tick one option)	Civil partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Married <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/> Separated <input type="checkbox"/> Cohabiting but not married/ CP <input type="checkbox"/> In a relationship (not cohabiting) <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed <input type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/>
What is their sexual orientation? (tick one option)	Heterosexual/ straight <input type="checkbox"/> Gay woman/ Lesbian <input type="checkbox"/> Gay man <input type="checkbox"/> Bisexual <input type="checkbox"/> Something else: _____ Don't Know <input type="checkbox"/>
Are they pregnant?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know <input type="checkbox"/>

## 2. Client support needs/ vulnerabilities

<b>Please tell us more about any support needs the client may have:</b>	
Mental Health <input type="checkbox"/>	Substance misuse <input type="checkbox"/>
Physical Health <input type="checkbox"/>	Offending <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Additional details:</b>	
What is this client's nationality? (If not <i>British National</i> ) What is their immigration status?	
(If not a <i>British National</i> ) Do they have access to Public Funds?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know <input type="checkbox"/>

## 3. Reason for referral

<b>Why are you making this referral – how could this client benefit from our support?</b>
<b>Are there any known risks to working with this client?</b>



Office use only:	
Referral outcome	
Referral accepted?	
Allocated to:	
<b>Please complete if the referral was rejected</b>	
Reason for rejection	Unable to contact client <input type="checkbox"/> Client does not want support <input type="checkbox"/> No space/ capacity to support <input type="checkbox"/> Ineligible for support (age) <input type="checkbox"/> Ineligible for support (borough) <input type="checkbox"/> Ineligible for support (service description) <input type="checkbox"/> Unable to meet support needs around language <input type="checkbox"/> Unable to meet support needs around large family <input type="checkbox"/> Unable to meet support needs around mental health <input type="checkbox"/> Unable to meet support needs around disability <input type="checkbox"/> Unable to meet support needs around NRPF <input type="checkbox"/> Unable to meet support needs around drug and alcohol <input type="checkbox"/> Previous convictions for violent/sexual offences/ arson <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>
Referred/ signposted on to:	Another refuge <input type="checkbox"/> Another specialist VAWG service <input type="checkbox"/> NDVH <input type="checkbox"/> Non-VAWG organisation/ service <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>

