



What is Hate Crime?

A hate crime is an act of violence or hostility based on who you are or what someone thinks you are. This funding application form will ask for information about which areas of hate crime your event focuses and how it will make an impact in this area of hate crime. The currently recognised six areas of hate crimes are:

1. Disability
2. Race, colour or ethnic origin, nationality or national origin
3. Religion, faith or belief
4. Sexuality or sexual orientation
5. Trans*
6. Alternative subculture

Hate incidents can take many forms including:

- Physical attacks
- Threat of attack
- Verbal abuse or insults – including bullying

*Trans is an umbrella and inclusive term describing people whose gender identity differs in some way from the one they were assigned at birth, including non-binary people, cross-dressers and those who partially or incompletely identify with their sex assigned at birth.