

INDEPENDENT SEXUAL VIOLENCE ADVISER SERVICE

An Independent Sexual Violence Adviser (ISVA) is a trained specialist whose goals are the support, safety and well-being of anyone who has suffered sexual violence. They provide information and support on practical matters such as:

- Reporting to the Police
- The Court process
- Housing and financial matters
- Your rights and services you can access
- Accompanying you on visits to the Police, Court, Solicitors, Clinics etc.

Employed by Notts SVS Services, the ISVAs are not managed or influenced by any of the agencies you may come into contact with (such as the Police or Crown Prosecution Service). This ISVA service is for those aged 18 and above.

SURVIVORS' SUPPORT SERVICE

The Survivors' Support Service offers specialist support to anyone aged 18 years and over who is a survivor of child sexual abuse and was let down by an institution, for example:

- A care home
- A school
- A hospital/medical setting
- A religious organisation
- A charity or state organisation
- A sports club
- A youth offending organisation