

WHAT IS IMMEDIATE JUSTICE?

Immediate Justice (IJ) is an opportunity for offenders to repay victims / the community for their behaviour. It is also a chance for them to understand how their actions can impact others, and help offenders move away from further offending and not get involved in the Criminal Justice System in the future.

There are two different conditions that can be imposed as part of Immediate Justice, and offenders may get one condition or both:

- 1) Immediate Justice Work Hours – depending on the disposal issued by West Yorkshire Police, you will need to attend either 1 day (7 hours) or 2 days (14 hours) UPW.
- 2) Anti-Social Behaviour Course (ASB Course) – offenders will be required to attend a 2 hour course which will look at ASB and the impact it has on victims, communities and themselves.



“We are determined to make West Yorkshire a safer place to work, live and raise a family, so we’re tackling the issues that really matter to people. Anti-social behaviour can plague communities. This pilot aims to prevent it by working with those committing ASB to understand and address root causes.”

Tracy Brabin, Mayor of West Yorkshire

WHO CAN I CONTACT TO REPORT ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR?

West Yorkshire Police:

- ☎ **101** (non-emergency)
- ☎ **999** (emergencies)

Local Councils:

- ❖ Bradford – **01274 376 347**
- ❖ Calderdale – **01422 288 001**
- ❖ Kirklees – **01484 221 000**
- ❖ Leeds – **0113 222 4402**
- ❖ Wakefield – **03458 506 506**

To contact the Immediate Justice Team within Victim Support direct, please email...

ImmediateJustice.WY@victimsupport.org.uk

and someone will respond to your query in due course.

IMMEDIATE JUSTICE WEST YORKSHIRE



SUPPORTING VICTIMS OF ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR





WHO ARE WE AND WHAT DO WE DO?

Victim Support is an independent charity dedicated to supporting people affected by crime and traumatic incidents in England and Wales.

The Immediate Justice Project is one way we can reach people who have been a victim of Anti-Social Behaviour.

Dedicated Caseworkers work closely with West Yorkshire Police, Probation Service and Restorative Solutions to obtain victim information so the right support can be delivered ensuring needs are met. We will only contact you if you have given permission for us to do this.

HOW CAN VICTIM SUPPORT HELP YOU?

Our purpose is to provide specialist help and services to support you and help you cope and recover until you feel you are back on track with your life. We work with you in a way that makes sure your needs are met and to ensure your voice is heard throughout your support and beyond.

We will:

- Provide you with information of the Immediate Justice conditions imposed, as well as confirm completion and obtain your feedback.
- Provide free, impartial and confidential support.
- Act as an advocate between you and any necessary Services (Police, Courts etc)
- Provide help and support around the legal process involving Anti-Social Behaviour as well as Immediate Justice.
- Signpost to appropriate services if required.
- Be your designated Caseworker throughout this process.

NEXT STEPS...

Feel free to write down anything in the space provided that you feel may help you (your feelings, questions, worries etc) ready for when you have a discussion with your Caseworker.

Details of your designated Caseworker...
