

**LAMBETH CHILDREN'S HOMES REDRESS SCHEME**

**COMPENSATION BAND 1**

**1-25 Points**

**1 Point = £1,000**

Band 1 is intended to provide appropriate compensation payments where an Eligible Applicant has experienced isolated or intermittent acts of physical and/or (non-penetrative) sexual abuse which may or may not have resulted in a psychiatric injury at the time or thereafter. If psychiatric injury has been sustained a full recovery has been made.

The examples below are intended to provide guidance when assessing compensation payments and are not intended to be prescriptive:-

<b><u>Band 1 - Schedule 1</u></b>	<b><u>Points</u></b>
A single incident of a deliberate physical act causing physical injury which does not require medical intervention.	1-3
Repeated persistent incidents of deliberate physical acts causing physical injury which do not require significant medical treatment.	4-8
One or more physical injuries requiring significant medical treatment but from which a full recovery has been made.	5-10
One or more incidents of being exposed to extreme pornography.	1-3
One or more incidents of intentional touching for the purpose of the abuser's sexual gratification.	3-7
Repeated and persistent incidents of intentional touching for the purpose of the abuser's sexual gratification.	7-12
Physical or sexual abuse as identified above which causes short lived psychiatric symptoms sustained at the time of the abuse or thereafter (1-2 years) from which a complete recovery has been made.	16-25

## BAND 2

### 1 - 25 Points

#### 1 Point = £2,000

Band 2 is intended to provide appropriate compensation payments where an Eligible Applicant has suffered physical injuries which have left permanent symptoms; frequent/prolonged non-penetrative sexual abuse and/or a single isolated incident of penetrative sexual abuse; permanent/fluctuating psychiatric injury sustained as a consequence of the abuse but which does not significantly impair function.

The examples below are intended to provide guidance when assessing compensation payments and are not intended to be prescriptive:-

<u>Band 2 - Schedule 2</u>	<u>Points</u>
Repeated physical injuries resulting in significant medical treatment and associated loss of function.	5-15
One or more incidents of oral sex.	5-10
One or more incidents of vaginal or anal rape, including digital penetration.	10-15
Permanent/fluctuating psychiatric injury which interferes with an Eligible Applicant's day to day function.	1-15
Psychiatric injury combined with the sexual and physical abuse of the kind identified above depending upon the seriousness of the abuse and psychiatric injury.	15-25

## COMPENSATION BAND 3

### 1-50 Points

#### 1 Point = £2,000

Band 3 is intended to provide appropriate compensation payments where an Eligible Applicant has suffered physical injury which has led to serious life-long disability; repeated acts of penetrative sexual abuse; and a psychiatric condition which has significant impairment on function, leading to periods of in-patient treatment and/or an inability to live or work over much of the Eligible Applicant's adult life.

The examples below are intended to provide guidance when assessing compensation payments and are not intended to be prescriptive.

<u>Band 3 - Schedule 3</u>	<u>Points</u>
Multiple acts of sexual assaults to include oral sex, digital penetration, mutual masturbation and rape.	10-30
Physical injury which has led to life-long disability.	10-30
Severe psychiatric injury which has caused permanent severe dysfunctional harm. The Eligible Applicant's ability to cope with life and work has been severely affected. The Eligible Applicant is unable to form and maintain interpersonal relationships and also suffers with physical ill-health (drug addiction/alcoholism) as a consequence of the abuse suffered.  Treatment is unlikely to be successful in significantly ameliorating symptoms and subsequent loss of function	10-30
Serious sexual assault or physical injury with serious psychiatric illness.	20-50

## COMPENSATION BAND 4

### 1-25 Points

1 Point = £1,000

Band 4 is intended to provide appropriate compensation payments where an Eligible Applicant has suffered loss of opportunity as a consequence of the abuse.

The examples below are intended to provide guidance when assessing compensation payments and are not intended to be prescriptive in their interpretation:-

<u>Band 4 - Schedule 4</u>	<u>Points</u>
Loss of educational opportunity.	1-10
Impairment of earning capacity.	1-15
Significant handicap on the labour market including periods of unemployment.	1-25