



RE: Help, please?

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Date Mon 25/11/2019 11:27

To Mrs Hodson <j.hodson@westlancspcss.lancs.sch.uk>

Hi Joanne

I don't know if you might find it useful to contact the Community Cohesion Team as they may be able to offer School some advice/support to professionals in Schools.

The Community Cohesion (Hate Crime & Diversity) Team is based in Preston but they also cover the whole of South Division which is Preston, South Ribble, Chorley and West Lancs.

The Team are able to offer support/education re-Hate Crime/Diversity issues that are School related.

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Kind Regards

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Subject: Help, please?

Good morning Dawn,

I really need some help with a referral for a young man who is presenting to us as ASD, we need to refer him onto this pathway.

He was involved in an incident at his mainstream school, whereby he disclosed to Childline that he had brought a knife to school on more than one occasion, with the intention of using it on another learner. His high school stated that "There was significant lack of emotion and awareness with regards to A.... carrying a knife, implications in using one and the risk posed to himself and the school community". I asked him about the incident at his admissions meeting and he was monotone, emotionless and very matter of fact about his intentions.

The mainstream school referred him to CAMHs at Alder Hey, but they have turned him down and directed him towards a scheme aimed at anti-social behaviour and gangs.

<https://www.sefton.gov.uk/schools-learning/targeted-youth-prevention.aspx>

Axel does not socialise or go out of the family home in the evenings or at weekends. He has no friends and is certainly not involved in any gangs. I do not believe that he meets the criteria for referral to this service.

We now have serious safeguarding concerns with regard to A..... He is fixating on another student in his class and is saying that he is bossing him around and bullying him. Staff are being vigilant, but have seen no evidence of this. Dad has contacted school to raise his concerns that A.... is being targeted "like the other boy in the other school!"

During his ICT lesson Axel was searching school shootings in America. Dad was informed of this, but then rang back and said it was untrue.

I need some help, please. Where do I turn to next?

Thank you

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To: Mrs Hodson <j.hodson@westlancspcss.lancs.sch.uk>

Subject: referral for AR

I cannot accept it as it is not a West Lancs GP
You need to refer to another Team
I think Alder Hey prob cover that GP
Cheers
Wendy

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Please note I am out of the office on Tuesdays

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