



# GATE

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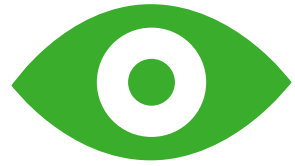
A guide on how  
to tackle  
hate crime

**This short guide is to help  
Gypsy, Roma and Traveller  
people targeted by hate crime.  
This guide also gives advice  
on how to support others  
experiencing hate crime.**

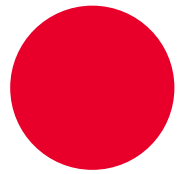
# ANTIGYPSYISM

**Gypo, gypped, pikey or tinker are racist names aimed towards Gypsy, Roma and Travelling people. Unfortunately, there is a lot more to it than a few nasty words.**

**You have a right to be who you are, to live without fear of violence, abuse or harassment, both online and offline. If you experience or witness hate speech or hate crime, remember these three words...**



**REACT**



**RECORD**



**REPORT**



# REACT

- Be vigilant of abuse not just to yourself but others
- Support friends, family and inform them on how they can report these crimes
- React calmly, take deep breaths and concentrate on how to record this information
- Reassure the victim that you believe them and will support them
- Remember privacy is key. Don't assume that your friend or family will want to report it
- Replying to the abuse can sometimes escalate the situation

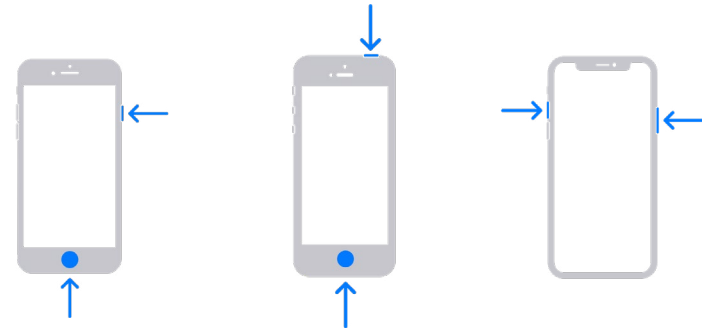
**Stay calm, take deep breathes and try not to be angered. Take each step slowly and if this is an emergency call 999. Racial abuse is unacceptable and should be reported immediately.**

# ● RECORD

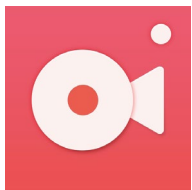
## Record on your camera phone



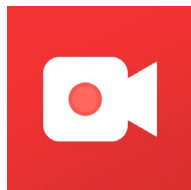
## Screen shot or take pictures



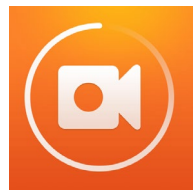
## You can screen record on your phone click on the following apps



Record it



GoRecord



DU Recorder

## Take note of the following:

- The date/time
- The perpetrator
- Content of incident
- Details on what you did



**Phones are powerful tools to record hate crime. Use them discreetly as this may anger the perpetrator and cause further trouble.**



# REPORT



[reportracismgrt.com](https://reportracismgrt.com)



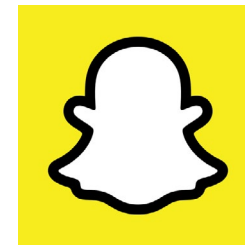
07534 790 984 OR 999



[support@reportracismgrt.com](mailto:support@reportracismgrt.com)

# REPORT

Most apps and websites have built in reporting features on how to report hate crimes, click on one of the icons below



**Make sure you have all your  
evidence before reporting.  
Witness statements are as  
valuable as physical evidence.**



Thank you