



CONFIDENTIALITY POLICY FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

When talking to a member of Route 81 staff you have a right to expect anything you say will not be spoken about or passed on to anyone outside the staff team without your permission.

Unless...

The member of staff feels that something you have said means you or others are in a dangerous situation or could be hurt in some way and they are concerned about your safety.

In this case...

The member of staff will first ask your permission to tell someone else. If after this, you still do not want the staff member to tell anyone else but the Route 81 staff member believes you need to be protected and helped, they may then decide they have a responsibility to go against your wishes and talk to someone else (e.g. teacher, doctor or social worker) outside of the Route 81 Youth Project.

You will always be told first if this is going to happen. At all times the members of youth work staff will act in your best interest.

If you do not understand any of this please ask a member of Route 81 staff to explain this to you.

Signed on behalf of Route 81 Youth Project:

Name:

Role:

Date: