

MEDIATED CONFERENCES

Empowering youth to take accountability for their conduct & the pain it caused, and seek a pathway to healing harm

WHO WE ARE

Sudbury District Restorative Justice provides free programming for youth aged 12-17 inclusive. Our programs are strengths-based and trauma-informed, aligned with the healing design of restorative justice.

The Mediated Restorative Conference is designed to bring together a youth who has caused harm through conflict or criminal behaviour with the individual, individuals, or organization that has experienced harm.

Through the pre-conference sessions, trained Sudbury District Restorative Justice mediators learn about the conflict or behaviour from both the youth and the harmed parties, helping everyone involved explore the feelings, immediate and longer-term impacts, and potential positive outcomes from the conflict.

During the session, two SDRJ mediators will engage the involved parties in a conversation that is designed to allow the youth to take responsibility for their actions, hear and understand how their actions caused harm, share how they have been affected by their own actions, and how they hope to create a healing path.

Throughout the conversation, mediators are present to ensure safety and respectful conduct as well as facilitate natural, healthy conversation. Pre-conference and conference sessions can happen in-person or through virtual meetings in Zoom.

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