

NMC07 Lori**RT 17/05/1989** (in nm8's bedroom)

1. aged 18, ESW, lives at home with parents and younger sister (much aggro between her and sister over attention/favourite). At college doing a pre health course which includes GCSE's, but she doesn't think she will stick it out, Catholic, heterosexual.
2. A lot that is not on the tape as I saw her again after the interview when I gave her a lift to the family planning clinic. We talked a lot so some of these notes will refer to info not on the tape itself. She is not happy at home because of her mother who she seems to really hate, told me that her mother is addicted to gambling. Father is the weaker of the two. She is her dad's favourite but he doesn't stand up for her, mum's favourite is her younger sister who she hates for this reason. Was too scared of parent's reaction to go on the to the pill etc.

Attractive, long brown very curly hair, scally dressed, very thin.

Very quiet and shy, tended to blush a lot and gave short inhibited answers. I realised that she was very worried about pregnancy having being having unprotected sex for a year! However seems to be frightened of her parents finding out that she is having sex than getting pregnant. After interview we arranged that I'd give her a lift to the FPC. She wanted to go on the pill and had tried a couple of times but bottled out at the last minute, also she didn't want to go to one in her area in case someone recognised her there.

Boyfriend likes to fight, she told me that she couldn't go into town with him of an evening in case he started something. Has been with him for over a year, not her first boyfriend but the first person that she slept with. Info on reason she decided he was right etc.

RISK: Has had sex for a year without using contraception. Sometimes they used a condom but boyfriend doesn't like to use them, instead they try withdrawal. Boyfriend not too worried about pregnancy as he'd like to be a father, she doesn't want a baby and would have an abortion. This is what she decided when she thought that she actually was pregnant.

SEX ED: Minimal at school and none at all at home. Only very basic knowledge of AIDS and little of contraception. As for her boyfriend they are each other's first sexual partner and apparently have been faithful, they are not personally worried about AIDS at the moment and are not practising safe sex. (If she can't get him to use a condom to protect against pregnancy she won't have much luck with AIDS).