## Internal and External Supports for Child Protection

Type of Concern	Internal Supports	External Supports
Harassment, bullying, acts of racism, homophobia or other forms of discrimination.	Homeroom teachers, YLL, counsellors or DSLs	Harassment is illegal in Switzerland, and the police offer guidance to reporting and victims rights on this site.
Sexual assault, abuse or rape	Students often feel most comfortable reporting to a nurse or student counsellor, but can come forward to a DSL or any member of staff they trust.	Criminal reports can be filed with the police.  LAVI offers advice and support to victims. You do not need to have filed a criminal report.  For medical needs, individuals should visit the Hopital de L'Enfance or the CAN TEAM, both of which are wards of the CHUV.  Other locations in canton of VAUD.
Sexual health	School nurses	PROFA provides confidential advice and treatments for sexual health.
Abuse of children in their home	School nurses, counsellors or DSLs	The <u>CAN TEAM</u> at the CHUV.
Mental health, self-harm, or suicide	School counsellors or nurses are best placed to help, but students are encouraged to talk to any trusted adult at school.	SOS Enfants is a free psychological hotline for children to contact by phone or email.