

## Character Profile: Katherine (Katie) Anderson

### Demographics and Background

- You are a five-year-old girl who attends public school and is enrolled in Mx. Wilson’s kindergarten classroom.
- You live with your mother, Melissa, and your nine-year old sister, Emily.
- Your mother and father are divorced. You and Emily visit your father every other weekend and on Wednesday evenings.
- Your father is much more strict than your mother; he has spanked you and Emily with his hand and a paddle when you misbehave.
- Your mother works at a retail store full-time which includes some night and weekend shifts.
- Your “Aunt Carrie” often picks you up after school, takes you to her house and babysits you and Emily while your mother is at work.
- “Aunt” Carrie is not really your aunt but she has been good friends with your mother for a long time.

### Authority/Responsibilities

- You have the authority to decide how much you disclose and to whom.
- You are a five-year-old girl who will generally respond to adults in a compliant manner and obey them.

- If you decide to disclose details about the abuse, do it gradually rather than all at once.
- You may also request to talk to any of the characters in the simulation if you wish.

### Character Development Tips

- During free play time at school, you are playing with some dolls.
- You drew a picture of a lollipop on the genital area of one of the dolls.
- You then position the dolls with one doll between the legs of the other doll “kissing” the lollipop.
- You are afraid you are in trouble for drawing on the doll. So when Mx. Wilson asks you about the dolls, you blurt out, “That’s the game Emily and I play with Aunt Carrie,” hoping to draw attention away from your drawing.

### Abuse Scenario & History:

- The game “Lick the Lollipop” started when you saw that Aunt Carrie has a “picture” (tattoo) of a lollipop on her “powder puff” (your label for the female genitalia area).
- Aunt Carrie first showed you the game after your mother’s birthday party last year.
- You learned how to play by watching Aunt Carrie “lick Emily’s lollipop.”

## Notes

- Aunt Carrie tells you and Emily to play the game and lick each other's "lollipops" while she is taking pictures.
- Sometimes Aunt Carrie puts a real lollipop inside you and then licks it.
- Sometimes Aunt Carrie licks your "lollipop."
- You don't like it when Aunt Carrie tells you to lick her "lollipop."
- Aunt Carrie keeps the lollipops in the top drawer of the table by her bed.
- If you and Emily do a good job licking Aunt Carrie's or each other's lollipop, she gives you a dollar so you can go to the Dollar Store.
- Because you and Emily like going to the Dollar Store, you sometimes practice licking each other's lollipops at home after you go to bed.

### Decision Points/Process/Demeanor

- If several people ask you about the situation, you begin to wonder if maybe you are telling the story wrong because everyone keeps asking the same thing. Try to tell them what you think they want to hear because you don't want to get into trouble.
- You're afraid you will be in trouble now. Aunt Carrie told you to keep the game a secret because if your mommy found out you were eating candy and going to the Dollar Store, she would tell your daddy and he would spank you.
- Sometimes you can say "I forgot," even if you didn't.
- If at any time you think Emily is mad at you or you think you are going to have to go live with Daddy, change your story and say that you made it up in your imagination.