

Crime Victims Advocacy Network offers free, confidential services to victims of crime. Our services include: crisis intervention, information and referrals to community resources, medical and legal advocacy, safety planning, assistance with jail notification, assistance applying for Crime Victim's Compensation and explanation of crime victims' rights. We serve all victims of crime with the exception of sexual assault and domestic violence. To speak directly to an advocate 24/7, call **866-711-2826**. For additional information or resources, visit us on the web at www.cvan11.org.

CRIME VICTIMS ADOVOCACY NETWORK - Region 11

BRIDGING THE GAP BETWEEN VICTIMS AND THE SERVICES THEY NEED

Crime Victim *Advocacy* For

Mason- Thurston-Lewis-Grays Harbor-Pacifac Counties

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WHO WE ARE

We are a network of advocates working with victims of crime in Mason, Thurston, Lewis, Grays Harbor and Pacific Counties.

Examples of crimes you may be affected by:

Identity Theft	Assault	Vehicular Assault	Homicide
Vehicular Homicide	Property Crimes/Burglary	DUI/DWI Injuries	Robbery
Hate Crimes	Vulnerable Adult Abuse	Child Physical Abuse	Trafficking

Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking crimes are not part of our program, however, we will gladly refer victims of these crimes to any services that are needed.

WHAT WE OFFER

24 Hour Toll-Free Crisis Line: 1-866-711-2826

For further information and useful links online, please see our website at www.cvan11.org

Crisis Intervention

- Assess immediate needs, concerns and safety issues.
- Assist victims in identifying and prioritizing relevant needs and options.
- Provide support both over the phone and in person.

Information and Referral

- Explanation of community / public programs and assistance determining eligibility.
- Referral to local resources that may assist with the many issues associated with crime victimization.
- Accompany victims when accessing services or resources in the community.

Systems Advocacy

- Acting in support of victims when working with public service providers, creditors, employers, insurance companies, landlords etc.
- Aid victims in obtaining medical care that respects victims' choices and rights.
- Assistance applying for restitution in criminal cases and retrieving property from law enforcement.

Community Education and Outreach

- Provision of information to the public and public service providers about crime victimization, violence and available resources.
- Participation in community education events and presentations to public or private groups regarding crime, advocacy and rights.

Legal Advocacy

- Explanation of statutory rights of crime victims and assistance in navigating the criminal justice system.
- Accompaniment to hearings and interviews.
- Referral for child / respite care and transportation arrangements to attend court.
- Facilitation of requests by victims to be notified when offenders will be released or transferred in custody.

CRIME VICTIMS COMPENSATION

Washington State's **Crime Victim Compensation Program (CVC)** can provide medical, mental health and financial assistance to eligible victims or survivors of victims of crime. Advocates will provide CVC applications to any victim of crime that may be eligible. Explanation and assistance when completing the application is offered as well as assistance in the appeal process if the application is denied.

ADVOCATES WORK TO PROTECT THE RIGHTS AND DIGNITY OF CRIME VICTIMS BY PROVIDING SUPPORT, REFERRALS AND ADVOCACY IN A COMPASSIONATE, PROACTIVE AND EMPOWERING MANNER.

YOU HAVE RIGHTS

- The right to be reasonably protected from the accused;
- The right to reasonable, accurate and timely notice of any public court proceeding or any parole proceeding involving the crime or of any release or escape of the accused;
- The right to be reasonably heard at any public proceeding in the Superior Court involving release, plea, sentencing or any parole proceeding;
- The right to full and timely restitution as provided by law;
- The right to be treated with fairness and with respect for the victim's dignity and privacy.

We will make every effort to ensure you are afforded these rights.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE

ANY VICTIM OF A CRIME



HOW TO REACH AN ADVOCATE

Toll-free 24 hours 1-866-711-2826

Thurston County

2000 Lakeridge Dr SW, Bldg 2, Rm 258
Olympia, WA 98502
Office: 360-786-5601
Cell: 360-528-1174

Mason & Grays Harbor Counties

807 W. Railroad Ave.
Shelton, WA 98584
Office: 360-426-9726 x107
Cell: 360-528-1179

Lewis County

125 NW Chehalis Ave.
Chehalis, WA 98532
Office: 360-748-6601
Cell: 360-880-5273

Pacific County

103 6th St., Suite 1
Long Beach, WA 98631
Office: 360-642-2639
Cell: 360-304-2486

If you need assistance urgently between 5:00 pm and 8:00 am, please call Human Response Network on 1-866-711-2826. Select option 4 to speak to an advocate.

INTERPRETER SERVICES AVAILABLE

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