Crime Victims’ Rights

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT WEB SITES

National Crime Victims’ Rights Week, April 7-13, 2019
U.S. Dept. of Justice, Office for Victims of Crime
https://ovc.ncjrs.gov/ncvrw/
This year’s NCVRW theme—Honoring Our Past. Creating Hope for the Future

Overview of Crime Victims’ Rights
U.S. Dept. of Justice, Office for Victims of Crime
https://www.ovc.gov/rights/overview_rights.html
Information on Laws, Enforcement, Compliance, and Notification

Topics A-Z from the Office for Victims of Crime
https://www.ovc.gov/needinfo/index.html
Publications, related links, frequently asked questions, etc.

Crime Victims’ Rights Act
U.S. Dept. of Justice, U.S. Attorney’s Office

Victims’ Rights
U.S. Dept. of Justice, U.S. Attorney’s Office
https://www.justice.gov/usao-edar/victims-rights
Victims of all crimes under federal investigation are entitled to services under the Victims’ Rights and Restitution Act

GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS IN DISPLAY

Because Things Happen Every Day Responding to Teenage Victims of Crime
U.S. Dept. of Justice, Office of Community Orienting Policing Services, National Center for Victims of Crime, 2005
J 36.20 X:T 22/Guide
J 36.20 X:T 22/CD
Documents
Docs CD-ROM Cabinet

The Crime Victim’s Right to be Present
U.S. Dept. of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Office for Victims of Crime, 2002
J 34.3/3:3
http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS106606
Documents
Criminal Victimization, 2009
U.S. Bureau of Justice Statistics, 2010
http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS23993

First Response to Victims of Crime: A Guidebook for Law Enforcement Officers
U.S. Dept. of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Office for Victims of Crime, 2008
J 34.8:V 66/2008
http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS106557

From Pain to Power: Crime Victims Take Action
U.S. Dept. of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Office for Victims of Crime, 2008
J 34.2:P 16
http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS41052

Gaining Insight, Taking Action: Basic Skills for Serving Victims
U.S. Dept. of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Office for Victims of Crime, 2011
J 34.2:G 12 X
J 34.2:G 12 X/DVD
Docs CD-ROM Cabinet

U.S. Dept. of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Office for Victims of Crime and Abuse of Power, and United Nations, Office for Drug Control and Crime Prevention, Centre for International Crime Prevention, 1999
J 34.8:J 98

U.S. Congress, House, Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on the Constitution, 2006
Y 4.J 89/1:109-144
http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS77015

In Their Own Words: Domestic Abuse in Later Life
U.S. Dept. of Justice, and National Clearinghouse on Abuse in Later Life, and the Coalition against Domestic Violence, 2008
J 34.2:D 71
J 34.2:D 71/DVD
Docs CD-ROM Cabinet
http://purl.fdlp.gov/GPO/gpo34674

Listen to My Story: Communicating with Victims of Crime
U.S. Dept. of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Office for Victims of Crime, 2002
J 34.2:C 73/Guide and VHS
http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS106559

New Directions from the Field: Victim’s Rights and Services for the 21st Century
U.S. Dept. of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Office for Victims of Crime, 1998
J 1.2:D 62/2
http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS88920

New Directions from the Field: Victim’s Rights and Services for the 21st Century, Crime Victim’s Compensation
U.S. Dept. of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Office for Victims of Crime, 1998
J 34.3:172829

Documents
The News Media's Coverage of Crime and Victimization  
(National Victim Assistance Academy Videotape Series, no. 2) 
U.S. Dept. of Justice, Office for Victims of Crime, 1999
J 34.2:M 46 X/VHS

Ordering Restitution to the Crime Victim  
(Legal Series Bulletin, no. 6)  
U.S. Dept. of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Office for Victims of Crime, 2002
J 34.3/3:6
http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS37582

Crime Victims: Hearing  
U.S. Congress, House, Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on the Constitution, 2012
Y 4.J 89/1:112-113
http://purl.fdlp.gov/GPO/gpo27185

Recovering from Your Crime-Related Injuries  
U.S. Dept. of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Office for Victims of Crime, 2006
J 34.2:IN 5 X/DVD

The Rights of Crime Victims: Does Legal Protection Make a Difference?  
By Dean G. Kilpatrick, David Beatty, and Susan Smith Howley  
J 28.24:V 66/5
http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS91303

Through Our Eyes: Children, Violence, and Trauma  
U.S. Dept. of Justice Programs, Office for Victims of Crime, 2014
J 34.2:EY 3/2 X/DVD

Victims and the Criminal Justice System: How to Protect, Compensate and Vindicate the Interests of Victims: Hearing  
Y 4.J 89/1:109-87
http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS69687

Victims and Witnesses: Understanding Your Rights and the Federal Court System  
U.S. Dept. of Justice, Executive Office for United States Attorneys, 2001
J 31.2:V 66/2

The Victims of Crime Act: 25 Years of Protecting and Supporting Victims: Hearing  
U.S. Congress, Senate, Committee on the Judiciary, 2010
Y 4.J 89/2:S.HRG.11-459
http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS123575

Victims with Disabilities: Collaborative, Multidisciplinary First Response, Techniques for First Responders Called to Help Crime Victims Who Have Disabilities  
U.S. Dept. of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Office for Victims of Crime, 2009
J 34.8:V 66/5
WEB-ONLY GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS

Crime Victims’ Rights: Primer
U.S. Sentencing Commission, 2019 [29 pgs]

The Justice for All Act
(OVC Fact Sheet)
U.S. Dept. of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Office for Victims of Crime, 2006 [3 pgs]
http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS78817

Privacy of Victim’s Counseling Communications
(Legal Series Bulletin, no. 8)
U.S. Dept. of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Office for Victims of Crime, 2002 [8 pgs]
http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS106611

Responding to Hate Crime: A Multidisciplinary Curriculum for Law Enforcement and Victim Assistance Professionals
By K.A. McLaughlin, et al
U.S. Dept. of Justice, Office of Justice Programs and the National Center for Hate Crime Prevention, c.2000 [199 pgs]
http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS90823

ADDITIONAL LIBRARY RESOURCES

Crime Victims Rights Act of 2004: Hearing …
Y 4.J 89/1:111-75
Documents
http://purl.access.gpo.gov/GPO/LPS122893

Fulfilling Our Commitment to Victims of Crime: Hearing …
U.S. Senate, Committee on the Judiciary, 2012
Y 4.J 89/2:S.HRG.112-356
Documents
http://purl.fdlp.gov/GPO/gpo24339

Victim’s Rights Amendment: Hearing …
U.S. House, Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice, 2013
Y 4.J 89/1:113-18
Documents
http://purl.fdlp.gov/GPO/gpo38662

Victims’ Rights Amendment: Hearing …
U.S. House, Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice, 2015
Y 4.J 89/1:114-30
Documents
http://purl.fdlp.gov/GPO/gpo60397