DCVC Outreach Services

It is our intent to provide victims, victim service providers and other victim related organizations across the state with another avenue in which they can coordinate, collaborate, network, and build partnerships as they work together as a team with our agency's Outreach program to meet the needs of crime victims.

Therefore, if you would like to contact our Outreach Coordinator for assistance, please call 803.734.1900 and ask to speak with the coordinator.



Please keep in mind that the DCVC Outreach Coordinator can provide an array of services to providers, schools, colleges, churches and other various community organizations across the state.

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Have You Heard About The Department of Crime Victim Compensation (DCVC)?

The South Carolina Crime Victim Compensation Fund is a financial assistance program designed to help victims with expenses directly resulting from a crime that are not covered by other payment sources. It is administered by the Department of Crime Victim Compensation (DCVC), and is governed by state and federal laws.

If victims qualify and meet the eligibility requirements for the program, certain costs for recovery treatment or burial arrangements up to the maximum allowed by law; which is \$15,000 (\$6,500 for Burial Only), may be considered with proper documents.

You may be wondering how the DCVC Outreach Program can assist you. If so, let's take a look.



How Can DCVC Outreach Services Help Your Organization At Your Next Event?

- Set up and monitor DCVC display booths/tables at training/special events such as career fairs, job fairs, back to school bashes, recruitment events etc.
- Provide program assistance to your organization by coordinating various victim related training/special events
- Be available to answer questions about DCVC benefits and services
- Provide information about the crime victims' compensation program
- Conduct training for your organization on the compensation program
- Provide agency publication material about the compensation program
- Share resources (clearinghouse for resources)
- Work in a collaborative effort to educate the community about the program
- Network
- Build strong long lasting partnerships
- Work together as a team
- Provide technical assistance

If you would like other assistance that is not listed above, please call DCVC and ask for the Outreach Coordinator.

BUILDING PARTNERSHIPS

The Department of Crime Victim Compensation would like you to share your thoughts and ideas with us so that we can work together in a collaborative effort to build strong long lasting partnerships to ensure that victims' needs are met as we reach out to various communities across the state.

DCVC is excited about working together in a joint effort to not only build strong long lasting partnerships but to sustain those partnerships over time to help those who are hurting.

COLLABORATION

By collaborating with one another as we work within the vast communities, it allows each organization to come together as one to assess, reassess, develop and implement new programs, services and benefits that may assist crime victims and their families.

NETWORKING

The agency serves as a clearing house as it relates to resources for crime victims, service providers and other community organizations in the victim field. Therefore, networking is vital to DCVC; thereby, ensuring that these resources and information are shared locally and nationally. Also, that the doors of communication are open to continue networking with agencies in which victims may come in contact with as it relates to their case (i.e. courts, solicitor's offices, law enforcement, shelters, rape crisis centers, hospitals, etc.).

TEAMWORK

The victim services field and criminal justice system can be very difficult to comprehend and navigate through for most crime victims. Victims will have needs that must be met as their case goes through the criminal justice system and they meet with various advocates. Therefore, DCVC realizes that it takes both internal and external teams to work together. So, our outreach efforts are to help bridge those gaps and to explore ways in which we can all work together to provide victims and families with the services they need.