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Attorney General LEE FISHER 30 East Broad Street Columbus, Ohio 43266-0410



September, 1992



Dear Fellow Ohioan:

Eight years ago, while serving in the Ohio Senate, it was my privilege to author Ohio's Crime Victims Assistance Act. Today, as your Attorney General, it is my pleasure to administer the Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program that was established by that Act. Under this program, grants are awarded to statewide and local agencies and organizations that provide services to victims of crime.

The funding of these grants is provided by the federal Victims of Crime Act and the State Victims Assistance Act. Under each plan, the federal and state governments work together with local government and the private sector in sharing the responsibility of providing crime victims assistance.

This report will inform you of the recipients of Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Grants, and detail the services that have been made possible by this partnership.

For additional information, please contact the staff of the Crime Victims Assistance Office. You can reach the office at 614/466-5610.

Sincerely

LEE FISHER

Attorney General

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INTRODUCTION

In 1984, two important steps were taken in an effort to make government and local communities more responsive to the needs of crime victims. First, the Ohio Legislature and the Governor enacted the State Victims Assistance Act (SVAA), and later in the year, the federal Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) was passed by Congress and signed into law by the President.

Together, these two Acts have established the Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program. Under this program, State and federal financial aid is awarded to qualified local offices and organizations that operate crime victims assistance programs in the state of Ohio.

This report provides a brief synopsis of each Act, details regarding the types of programs that have received support, and a summary of services and other interesting information pertaining to grant recipients. Your questions or comments regarding the Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program can be directed to:

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Crime Victims Assistance Office
30 East Broad Street, 26th Floor
Columbus, Ohio 43266-0410

THE STATE VICTIM ASSISTANCE ACT

During the 115th Ohio General Assembly, Substitute Senate Bill 195, now known as the State Victims Assistance Act, was passed by the legislature and signed into law by the Governor of Ohio. This Act established, within the Office of the Attorney General, the Crime Victims Assistance Office.

The Act charges the Crime Victims Assistance Office with two primary responsibilities:

- to determine crime victim service needs and policies for the state, and to improve and exercise leadership in the quality of programs for victims of crime; and
- 2) to determine which victims assistance programs will receive state financial assistance. The financial assistance has been provided through an appropriation by the state legislature from the Crime Victims Reparations Fund.

In addition, the State Victims Assistance Act established the State Victims Assistance Advisory Board. The Advisory Board consists of sixteen (16) members appointed by the Attorney General and four (4) ex-officio members. Each of the appointed members brings to the Advisory Board professional experience or interests in the concerns of victims of crime.

Under the State Victims Assistance Act, the Board serves in an advisory capacity to the Attorney General's Crime Victims Assistance Office in determining victim service needs and policies, and in improving the quality of victim service programs operated throughout the state. An additional responsibility of the Advisory Board is to review

local victim assistance programs and recommend to the Crime Victims Assistance Office which programs should be considered to receive financial aid that has been provided by the state and federal government.

Members of the State Victims Assistance Advisory Board are listed below and the text of Senate Bill 195 can be found at the end of the report.

STATE VICTIMS ASSISTANCE ADVISORY BOARD

Robert D. Horowitz, Chairman Stark County Prosecuting Attorney Canton

Judge Ronald B. Adrine Cleveland Municipal Court Cleveland

Rhonda Barner Ohio Victim Witness Association Dayton

Sheriff William K. Johnston Ashtabula County Jefferson

Lou Ryan Program Coordinator Talbert House Victim Center Cincinnati

Lois Dale
Past Director, Clermont Senior Services
Milford

Marsha Browning
Director
St. Anthony Medical Center
Rape Treatment Center
Columbus

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Portsmouth Police Department
Portsmouth

Michael Miller Franklin Co. Prosecuting Attorney Columbus

Andy Rocker, Jr. Director of Law Cambridge

Daryl Novak Director Victim/Witness Service Center Cuyahoga County Cleveland

Alice-Kay Hilderbrand Director, Turning Point Marion

EX OFFICIO MEMBERS

Attorney General Lee I. Fisher Chief Justice Thomas J. Moyer Senator Betty D. Montgomery, Ohio Senate Representative Katherine Walsh, Ohio House

THE VICTIMS OF CRIME ACT OF 1984

The Victims of Crime Act was passed by Congress and signed into law by the President on October 12, 1984, and amended by The Children's Justice and Assistance Act of 1986 and The Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988. The original Act was one of the results of recommendations made by the President's Task Force on Victims of Crime. The task force concluded that the needs of crime victims could be adequately met only by the federal, state and local governments, along with the private sector, sharing the responsibility of providing victim assistance. The Victims of Crime Act is a response to the call for action by victims and victims service providers who appealed to the task force for help.

To begin, the Act establishes within the U.S. Treasury a separate account known as the Crime Victim's Fund. The fund is similar to Ohio's Crime Victims Reparation Fund because it is not supported by tax dollars. The fund is generated entirely by fines, penalty assessments, and forfeited appearance and bail bonds collected by the federal government.

Through fiscal year 1994, the fund is permitted to reach a ceiling of \$150,000,000. Forty-nine and one-half percent (49.5%) of the first \$100,000,000 deposited in the fund is awarded to states with eligible crime victims compensation programs and 45% is awarded to states with eligible crime victims assistance programs. Any amounts deposited between \$100,000,000 and \$105,000,000 will be made available for Children's Justice Act purposes. Deposits in excess of \$105,500,000, but not in excess of \$110,000,000, will be made available for victim assistance program grants. Of deposits in excess of \$110,000,000 and up to the ceiling, 47.5% will be awarded for victim compensation grants, and 45.5% will be awarded for victim assistance program grants.

The state of Ohio is eligible for both the compensation grant and the assistance grant. The Court of Claims has been designated as the administrator of the Crime Victims Compensation Grant and the Attorney General has been designated as the administrator of the Crime Victims Assistance Grant.

The Crime Victims Assistance Program is supported by Grant No. 90-VA-GX-0039 awarded by the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs. Each year, through 1994, this agency will award VOCA funds to the state of Ohio based on the total in the Crime Victims Fund and the state's population. During 1994, Congress will review the VOCA Grant Program and determine whether or not funding will continue after 1994.

Eligible programs can be operated by either a public agency or a non-profit organization whose principal mission must be providing services to victims of crime.

Some services furnished by local victim assistance programs may include:

- Crisis intervention services
- Emergency temporary shelter
- 24-hour hotline services
- Justice and court-related services
- Support counseling and guidance
- Temporary day-care services
- Emergency medical services
- Social services and program referrals
- Crisis nursery care
- In-home counseling and homemaker services
- Victim compensation assistance

Applications and guidelines for VOCA Grants are available from the Crime Victims Assistance Office during the month of February each year. Funding determinations are usually made by the end of July; and the twelve (12) month funding period commences in the month of October.

Pertinent sections of the Victims of Crime Act of 1984, as amended, can be found at the end of this report.

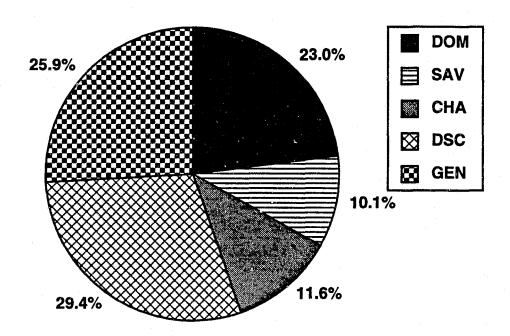
STATE GRANTS STATE VICTIMS ASSISTANCE ACT

FUNDS AWARDED - \$1,478,357

GRANT PERIOD - OCTOBER 1, 1991 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 1992

PRINCIPAL MISSION SERVICE CODE

- DOM Service to victims of spousal abuse
- SAV Service to victims of sexual assault
- CHA Service to victims of child abuse
- DSC Any combination of DOM, SAV, or CHA services which together will constitute a primary area of victim assistance
- GEN Services to victims of crime, in which there is not a primary area of victim assistance or in which the primary area is one other than DOM, SAV, CHA, or DSC



FUND DISTRIBUTION, BY PRINCIPAL MISSION

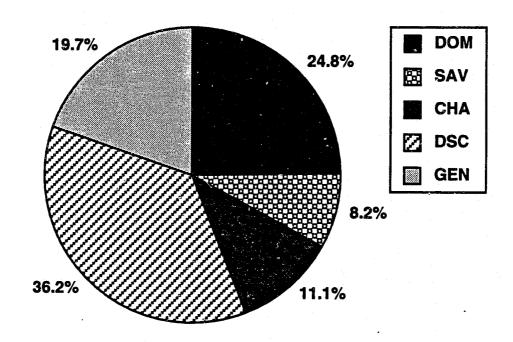
	PROGRAMS FUNDED	%	TOTAL FUNDS
DOM	31	$2\overline{3}.0$	\$340,175
SAV	13	10.1	148,135
CHA	14	11.6	172,152
DSC	34	29.4	434,344
GEN	24	25.9	383,551

FEDERAL GRANTS VICTIMS OF CRIME ACT

FUNDS AWARDED - \$2,600,826 GRAN T PERIOD - OCTOBER 1, 1991 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 1992

PRINCIPAL MISSION SERVICE CODE

- DOM Service to victims of spousal abuse
- SAV Service to victims of sexual assault
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FUND DISTRIBUTION, BY PRINCIPAL MISSION

	PROGRAMS FUNDED	%	TOTAL FUNDS
DOM	26	$2\overline{4}.8$	\$644,476
SAV	11	08.2	213,720
CHA	9	11.1	287,734
DSC	34	36.2	941,970
GEN	18	19.7	512,926

GRANT RECIPIENTS BASED UPON SERVICE AREA

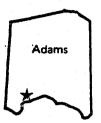
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GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: ADAMS COUNTY

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT: 6
OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT: 77
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REACH OUT, INC. DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SHELTER 314 EAST EIGHTH STREET MANCHESTER, OHIO 45144 (513) 549-3598

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Reach Out, Inc. through a \$22,050 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided by Reach Out, Inc. include: emergency shelter, transportation, food and clothing, crisis counseling, advocacy, referral services, assistance in finding permanent shelter, support groups and education to women and children who are victims of domestic violence.

Project Summary:

"With this funding we would develop a group support system by reimbursing the leader who would hold a group session every two weeks. These sessions would educate, build self-esteem, develop unused talents, and provide resources to victims of abuse."

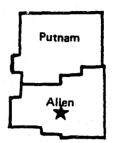


GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: ALLEN AND PUTNAM COUNTIES

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT
OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT
OHIO SENATE DISTRICT

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CRIME VICTIMS SERVICES, INC. P.O. BOX 962 LIMA, OHIO 45802 (419) 222-8666

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Crime Victims Services, Inc. through a \$15,750 grant from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$45,089 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided by the agency include: crisis intervention, victim impact statements, restitution information, transportation, creditor intervention, property return and court escort; paralegal assistance, child care, preparation for court appearance, accompaniment of victims to the hospital, clean-up services, mediation and alternatives to testifying are also included in services.

Project Summary:

"Crime Victim Service's continuation project is for two full-time VOCA subsidized Licensed Social Workers. These positions insure that all Allen County post-grand jury victims are provided information, involvement, and support in their case - through parole. The new project includes a full-time caseworker to assist victims of violent crimes in misdemeanor, juvenile, and unsolved crimes in Allen County. The new project also includes a half-time caseworker and contract secretarial services for Putnam County to complete a "one-stop" assistance program for domestic violence and other victims of crime."

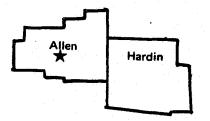


GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: ALLEN, HARDIN COUNTIES

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT	
OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT	
OHIO SENATE DISTRICT	

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CROSSROADS CRISIS CENTER, INC. P. O. BOX 643 LIMA, OHIO 45802 (216) 228-4357

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Crossroads Crisis Center, Inc. through a \$11,550 grant from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$27,903 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided by the agency includes: 24-hour telephone intervention, 24-hour shelter for victims of domestic violence, children's programming, parent education, support groups, court accompaniment, transportation, referral services, assistance in filing protection orders pro se, needs assessments, and other support services as needed.

Project Summary:

"Crossroads' proposal is ensuring the continuation and expansion of advocacy services to women and children. First is our on-going crisis intervention, resident and non-resident advocacy programs offering battering victims a safe setting where they can regain physical and emotional strength and analyze their situation and develop alternative plans for themselves and their children. Funding for the children's advocate (p/t) will provide services to those victims of domestic violence who are often least served and on whose future we all depend. In addition, Crossroads rape advocate (p/t) offers educational prevention, advocacy for rape victims, and crisis intervention and support."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: ASHTABULA COUNTY

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT OHIO SENATE DISTRICT 11 2 18



ASHTABULA COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT VICTIMS OF CRIME ASSISTANCE PROGRAM 25 WEST JEFFERSON STREET JEFFERSON, OHIO 44047 (216) 576-0055

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Ashtabula County Sheriff's Department through a \$21,049 grant from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided by the Victims of Crime Assistance Program include: crisis intervention, referral, transportation and babysitting for attendance of court hearings, and other informational/advocacy activities.

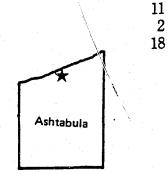
Project Summary:

"The Ashtabula County Sheriff's Victim of Crime Program is per se, a multi-jurisdictional program, encompassing our entire county. It is the only agency in our county that provides service and/or aid to victims of all types of crime. Beside the in-kind cash matching funds, the Sheriff provides our VOCA Program Coordinator with a vehicle, fuel, maintenance, office space, all office supplies, and a staff of 40 trained Sheriff's Patrol members that volunteer their service when needed. The 'walk through of the Criminal Justice System' by the Coordinator assures that victims are not revictimized by the system."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: ASHTABULA COUNTY

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT OHIO SENATE DISTRICT



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HOMESAFE, INC. P.O. BOX 702 ASHTABULA, OHIO 44004 (216) 992-2727

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Homesafe, Inc. through a \$12,000 grant from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$24,153 grant from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided by the agency include: shelter, crisis intervention, hotline, advocacy (both general and legal), prevention, supportive services, information and referral, and community education.

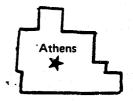
Project Summary:

"Homesafe is proposing to continue the existing Victim Advocacy Program that has been partially funded by VOCA for the past four years. The two staff positions, Volunteer Coordinator and Victim Advocate have allowed for significant changes in programming, improving and expanding our services to victims of violent crime. The addition of these staff positions has also resulted in more comprehensive legal advocacy and coordination of service with other legal/law enforcement agencies. The implementation of a mandatory arrest policy for domestic violence continues to be a priority activity. We have seen the development of a uniform policy for the entire county that is encouraging."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: ATHENS COUNTY

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT	6, 10
OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT	94
OHIO SENATE DISTRICT	17



ATHENS COUNTY PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE VICTIM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM ATHENS COUNTY COURTHOUSE ATHENS,OHIO 45701 (614) 592-3208

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Athens County Prosecutor's Office through a \$20,793 grant from the Victims of Crime Act. The Victims Assistance Program provides comprehensive services to victims of any crime; through referrals, support and court-related services, victim impact statements, and help with applications for victim's compensation. The program provides guidance for resolving the myriad of practical problems encountered by victims.

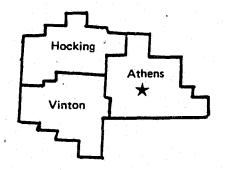
Project Summary:

"With continued funding, the Athens County Victim Assistance Program will persist in it's efforts to provide comprehensive and integrated services to victims of crime. Additionally, we will coordinate our efforts with newly formed MADD chapter to provide enhanced services to victims of DUI/DWI, and our local Senior Center and Adult Protective Services to assist elderly victims of crime."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: ATHENS, HOCKING, VINTON COUNTIES

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT	
OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT	
OHIO SENATE DISTRICT	



EDNA BROOKS FOUNDATION, INC. MY SISTER'S PLACE P.O. BOX 1158 ATHENS, OHIO 45701 (614) 594-8337

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Edna Brooks Foundation, Inc. through a \$9,000 grant from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$22,348 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided by the Edna Brooks Foundation, Inc. include: emergency shelter, toll-free hotline, access to emergency food, clothing and medical care, victim advocacy and referral to appropriate support services, individual counseling and outreach, support groups, children's programming, community education, and mental health consultation.

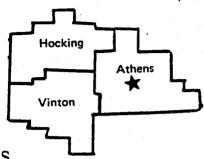
Project Summary:

"My Sister's Place is requesting funding for continuation and expansion of its present Children's Programming Project. The project will provide emergency shelter and support services to victims of family violence in Athens, Hocking and Vinton counties. This includes specific services needed by child victims, such as screening for sexual assault, developmental screening, referral to school and support services, structure activity programs and age-appropriate parenting education for shelter mothers. The project will incorporate stronger clinical supervision by a licensed psychologist for its case management and therapy program serving child victims of family violence."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: ATHENS, HOCKING, AND VINTON COUNTIES





TRI-COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH AND COUNSELING SERVICES CARELINE'S SEXUAL ASSAULT PROGRAM 28 WEST STIMSON AVENUE ATHENS, OHIO 45701 (614) 593-3346

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Tri-County Mental Health and Counseling Services through a \$6,220 grant from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$18,637 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: crisis intervention, support and advocacy services to sexual assault victims, counseling services, support groups for survivors of sexual assault, hotline service, community awareness program, as well as referral service to other victim assistance programs in the community.

Project Summary:

"This project proposal requests funding to maintain the necessary personnel positions required to provide 24-hour services to victims of sexual assault in Athens, Hocking, and Vinton Counties, through our trained teams of volunteer Survivor Advocates (S.A.) based in each county. Activities include on-going recruitment, training and supervision of the three volunteer S.A. Teams, the necessary networking and follow-up with direct service providers and community awareness efforts, all of which are required to maintain and increase the provision of quality direct victim assistance services to primary and secondary survivors of sexual assault through our Sexual Assault Survivor Advocacy Program."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: AUGLAIZE COUNTY

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT OHIO SENATE DISTRICT 4 81, 82 1, 12

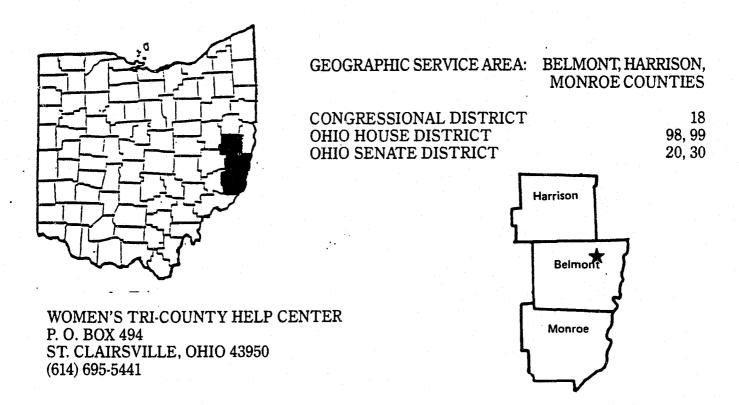


AUGLAIZE COUNTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEY P. O. BOX 1992 - COURTHOUSE BUILDING WAPAKONETA, OHIO 45895 (419) 738-9688

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Auglaize County Prosecuting Attorney through a \$35,000 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include: Victim impact statements, prosecutor/victim communication, referrals to social service agencies, follow-up on criminal cases as well as social service agencies, helping the victim apply for victims compensation, utilization of volunteers for clerical, crisis intervention, and transportation and support.

Project Summary:

"The function of the program is to act as a liaison between the Prosecutor, victims of crime, the Courts, law enforcement and all other local social service providers. The Victim Advocate makes contact with local law enforcement personnel on a daily basis to determine and locate all victims of crime whether a crime has been solved or remains unsolved. The Victim Advocate then makes contact with all victims and determines whether or not they are in need of any services. The Victim Advocate position also requires immediate crisis intervention for certain victims of violent crime, most particularly, rape and sex offenses against children."



The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Women's Tri-County Help Center through a \$4,020 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$37,868 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: 24-hour shelter availability, individual and group counseling (adults and children), full legal and transitional advocacy by trained volunteers, 24-hour hotline for emergency services, consultation and training services, and community education/prevention services.

Project Summary:

"The Women's Help Center proposes to provide direct shelter services to tri-county victims receiving continuation funding for the shelter manager position and the relief manager/victims advocate position. Additionally, we propose to continue our full range of outpatient victims services by acquiring an increase of VOCA funding for three counselor (from 50% to 75%). We also request continuation funding for our fourth counselor."

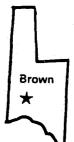


GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: BROWN COUNTY

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT: OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT: OHIO SENATE DISTRICT:

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BROWN COUNTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEY VICTIM ASSISTANCE UNIT 200 EAST CHERRY STREET GEORGETOWN, OHIO 45121 (513) 378-4151

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Brown County Prosecuting Attorney through a \$9,000 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include: The Victim Assistance Unit will provide crime victims with reassurance, guidance, intervention and referrals as appropriate, provide appropriate communications and services, including transportation and child care when necessary, and keep the victim informed of each critical event that occurs in the prosecution and adjudication of their case.

Project Summary:

"The Prosecutor's Victim Assistance Unit (P.V.A.U.) will communicate with crime victims to keep the victim informed of each critical event that occurs in the prosecution and adjudication of their case. The PVAU will arrange transportation and child care if necessary to give victims the opportunity to attend the court proceeding on their case. The PVAU will make staff available to give crime victims empathetic listening and reassurance and guidance and referrals to appropriate other agencies for counseling and social services. The PVAU will also intervene on behalf of the crime victim, inappropriate cases, with landlords, employers, social service agencies and other branches of the criminal justice system. The PVAU will aid in securing the swift return of property being held as evidence."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: BUTLER COUNTY

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT: OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT: OHIO SENATE DISTRICT:

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OXFORD CRISIS & REFERRAL CENTER 111 EAST WALNUT STREET OXFORD, OHIO 45056 (513) 523-4149

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Oxford Crisis & Referral Center through a \$6,300 grant awarded from the State Victim Assistance Act and a \$19,686 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: a county-wide 24-hour telephone hotline and walk-in service for victims of sexual assault and domestic violence, and psychotherapy for children, adults, families and couples.

Project Summary:

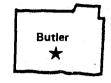
"The Rape Crisis Program of Butler County is respectfully requesting continued funding from VOCA for FY 92 and FY 93. The funds will be utilized to employ a fulltime Program Coordinator to oversee the operations of the program, to pay monthly rent costs and to pay for furnishings for new offices due to program expansion. The program will continue to provide the much needed, comprehensive crisis and support services to primary and secondary victims of sexual assault 24 hours a day, everyday throughout Butler County."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: BUTLER COUNTY

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT: OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT: OHIO SENATE DISTRICT: 8 56, 57, 73

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PARACHUTE: SPECIAL ADVOCATES FOR CHILDREN OF BUTLER COUNTY, INC. 141 COURT STREET, 4TH FLOOR P.O. BOX 22 HAMILTON, OHIO 45011 (513) 887-3520

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Parachute through a \$29,880 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided: The Program recruits, trains and supervises community volunteers to act as court-appointed special advocates (CASA) for abused children who are subjects of the juvenile court proceedings. CASA programs document the effectiveness of volunteers working as investigator, negotiator, monitor, reporter and advocate of the best interest of these children. Such intervention is designed to meet the overall purpose of facilitating safe, stable, and permanent placement of these children, breaking the cycle of abuse and neglect, and reducing the disruptions and amount of time in out-of-home placement.

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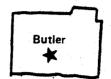
"PARACHUTE is a program governed by a non-profit, tax-exempt corporation which recruits, trains and supervises community volunteers to act as court-appointed special advocates (CASA) for abused children who are subjects of juvenile court proceedings. CASA programs document the effectiveness of volunteers working as an investigator, negotiator, monitor, reporter, and advocate of the best interest of these children. Such intervention is designed to meet the overall purpose of facilitating safe, stable, and permanent placement of these children, breaking the cycle of abuse and neglect, and reducing the disruptions and amount of time in out-of-home placement."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: BUTLER COUNTY

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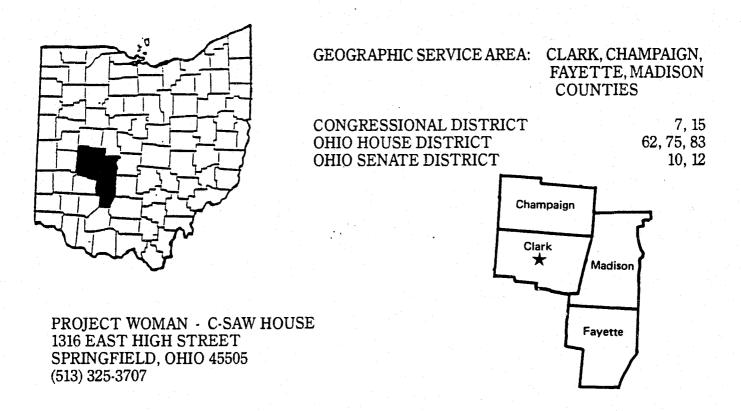


HAMILTON YWCA PROTECTIVE SHELTER 244 DAYTON STREET HAMILTON, OHIO 45011 (513) 863-7099

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Hamilton YWCA Protective Shelter through a \$7,925 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$18,876 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: protective shelter, 24-hour crisis intervention, counseling, case management and education to victims, follow-up program for former clients, and community education on domestic violence to schools, professionals and citizens.

Project Summary:

"The Victim Advocate program will provide one aspect of comprehensive services available to victims of domestic violence in Butler County. The victims will benefit from having a professional social worker, to assist and coordinate the police, prosecutor, and other court related services. Also, advocacy will be provided by giving information, referrals and other safety services will be available to victims as well. The Victim Advocate and Out-Reach Worker will work closely with the other shelter staff to coordinate all the victims needs and services."



The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Project Woman through a \$10,500 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$15,768 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: a 24-hour crisis line, shelter program, prevention and treatment, legal liaison program, and providing services to raped and battered women and their children.

Project Summary:

"Project Woman is requesting funding for the Children's Program at C-Saw House (Center for the Safety of Abused Women), Project Woman's Shelter Program. Approximately 175 children are sheltered each year. \$1,000 is also requested to purchase children's supplies; i.e. books, films and videos. Additionally, Project Woman is requesting funding for the Out-Reach in Champaign and Logan Counties, specifically requesting clerical support, office and travel expenses."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: CLARK COUNTY

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CLARK COUNTY JUVENILE COURT CASA PROGRAM 101 E. COLUMBIA STREET SPRINGFIELD, OHIO 45502 (513) 328-2626

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Clark County Juvenile Court CASA Program through a \$6,000 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include: appointment of a Guardian Ad Litem and advocates for the child-victim in the court proceeding; if a child-victim is placed in the custody of the Clark County Department of Human Services, Division of Family Services, the CASA will continue to monitor the child-victim's circumstances and welfare, be involved with case planning, through final disposition of the case. Investigating and monitoring a child-victim's placement includes in-home visits, meetings with professionals to discuss family/child condition, and attending court proceedings to advocate for child-victim.

Project Summary:

"The Clark County Juvenile Court CASA Program was created to investigate, report and monitor abused, neglected, and dependent child-victims involved in pending court matters."



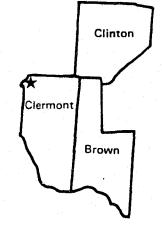
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CLERMONT, BROWN, CLINTON COUNTIES

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YWCA OF CINCINNATI - HOUSE OF PEACE 55 SOUTH 4TH STREET BATAVIA, OHIO 45103 (513) 241-7090

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the House of Peace through a \$15,800 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$15,508 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: crisis intervention, emergency protective shelter, support services of counseling and advocacy, and community outreach for victims of domestic violence.

Project Summary:

"The House of Peace is requesting continued development of a Legal Advocate/Community Outreach Coordinator who will provide supportive services, counseling, advocacy and referrals as needed to victims of domestic violence whether or not they choose shelter. The Legal Advocate and Community Outreach Coordinator will work directly with victims, as well as advocating for systemic change. She will assist criminal justice personnel in examining their policies and procedures in order to institute changes which are consistent with the needs of victims. In addition, she will provide training to criminal justice personnel and staff of community agencies."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: CLERMONT COUNTY

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CLERMONT COUNTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEY 123 NORTH THIRD STREET BATAVIA, OHIO 45103 (513) 732-7313

The Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Clermont County Prosecuting Attorney through a \$54,391 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. The various services provided, as determined by the type of case and the needs of the victim, are available from the time a crime is discovered until final disposition and, if applicable, post-sentencing. The most frequently used services are: information and referral, explanation of court procedures, court preparation and accompaniment, employer/school intervention, and assistance with insurance/compensation claims.

Project Summary:

"The Clermont County Prosecutor proposes to employ two advocates and a part-time secretary to perform various victim services and other services listed under the activities and time table for the project. This proposal includes servicing previously underserved victims of child abuse, sexual assault, homicide, DUI and the primary categories of child abuse, sexual assault, and domestic violence. Involvement with Clermont Counseling and Child Focus in support groups is also envisioned."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: COLUMBIANA COUNTY

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SANCTUARY & ADVOCACY FOR VIOLENCE ELIMINATION, INC. P.O. BOX 415 LISBON, OHIO 44432 (216) 424-7774

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Sanctuary & Advocacy For Violence Elimination, Inc. through a \$10,000 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$17,063 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. SAVE provides services to victims of domestic violence and sexual assault in the form of protective shelter, 24-hour crisis lines, support groups, victim counseling, information and referral, legal and hospital advocacy, a court-ordered and self-referred program for abusers, and court watch.

Project Summary:

"The Client Advocate Program will provide outreach, support and advocacy services to victims of domestic violence and sexual assault. This program enables us to reach victims who do not all need shelter and provides a vital link between service providers and the legal system. A portion of the program is devoted to facilitating the local legal system in order for a victim to obtain relief under the law. The project provides advocacy and follow-up throughout the area wherever it is needed, such as hospitals, courts, police departments, etc."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: CUYAHOGA

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BELLFLOWER CENTER FOR PREVENTION OF CHILD ABUSE 11701 SHAKER BLVD. CLEVELAND, OHIO 44120 (216) 229-2420

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Bellflower Center through a \$11,600 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$28,551 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. The program provides a range of prevention and treatment services through early intervention, self-help, counseling, educational and support services.

Project Summary:

"Bellflower Center is seeking funding to support two assistance programs offered to Cuyahoga County victims of child abuse. The first project, the Children's Program, offers programmatic intervention to a minimum of 400 children victims of abuse. Constructive activities address specific child abuse related problems within the structure of weekly group meetings. The second project, People Abused Surviving Together, offers educational and support group services to adult survivors of child abuse. This is an underserved population whose needs only recently have begun to be addressed. A minimum of 200 adults will be served by this service during the proposed project year."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: CUYAHOGA COUNTY

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CLEVELAND WOMEN, INC./TEMPLUM HOUSE P. O. BOX 5466 CLEVELAND, OHIO 44101 (216) 631-2275

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Cleveland Women, Inc. a \$10,800 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$44,677 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: 24-hour crisis phone line, housing, food, personal items, individual and group support counseling, children's group and individual counseling, a full-time accredited school teacher, and advocacy and referral. Community outreach programs include: four community-based support groups, individual counseling, community education, in-school programs, support and advocacy with the criminal justice system, and volunteer programs.

Project Summary:

"Templum's legal advocacy program provides court related and support services to victims of domestic violence in all 58 suburban communities in Cuyahoga County. Cuyahoga County has 11 separate court systems with 16 judges, 52 prosecutors and 58 police chiefs. With a full-time legal advocate, a full-time victim's advocate and volunteers, the project will provide accompaniment to court advocacy for 200 individual victims in the 1991-1992 grant year. In addition, 750 victims will receive crisis intervention services, information regarding options, laws and the criminal justice process to demystify the system, individual and group counseling, other supportive services, appropriate community referrals and information regarding the Ohio Victims of Crime Compensation Program. The project shall also provide training and technical assistance to criminal justice personnel to establish policies and procedures sensitive to the needs of victims and to ensure such policies and procedures are followed".



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: CUYAHOGA COUNTY

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CLEVELAND RAPE CRISIS CENTER 3101 EUCLID AVENUE, #711 CLEVELAND, OHIO 44115 (216) 391-3914

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Cleveland Rape Crisis Center through a \$18,200 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$43,274 grant from the Victims of Crime Act. The Justice System Coordinator serves victims of sexual abuse on a 24-hour, seven days a week schedule. A 24-hotline is available as are the following: counseling, hospital and legal advocacy, peer support groups, speakers bureau and self-defense classes.

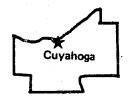
Project Summary:

"The Justice System Coordinator will be primarily responsible for planning, implementing and evaluating the training of law enforcement personnel and other community professionals and will also continue to provide court advocacy for those victims who choose to prosecute their offenders. In addition, the Coordinator will continue to provide trainings to new grand jurors in Cuyahoga County. All in-services are implemented for the purpose of providing education on the importance of sensitivity when working with victims of sexual assault and to raise awareness of issues each victim faces. The Coordinator will also continue to work as a liaison between victims and the Ohio Parole Board to prevent the release of violent offenders back into society. The Children's Services Coordinator will provide individual and group counseling for child victims of sexual assault. The Coordinator will also provide education. emotional support, resources and referrals to the victim's family members and significant others to ensure understanding of the surrounding issues to provide a supportive environment for the recovery process. A working agreement between Cleveland Rape Crisis Center, the Department of Human Services and Witness Victim Services will be drawn and evaluated to facilitate effective and efficient delivery of services. Public education and professional inservices on issues of child sexual assault will be provided by the Children's Services Coordinator."



GEOGRAPHIC DISTRICT: CUYAHOGA COUNTY

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CUYAHOGA COUNTY WITNESS/VICTIM SERVICE CENTER FAMILY VIOLENCE/LEGAL ADVOCACY PROGRAM 1215 WEST THIRD STREET CLEVELAND, OHIO 44113 (216) 443-7265

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Cuyahoga County Witness/Victim Service Center through a \$20,340 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$46,535 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. The Witness/Victim Service Center, Family Violence Program offers comprehensive services to both misdemeanor and felony crime victims, which include: criminal justice advocacy, counseling (crisis, individual and group), direct assistance in the completion of Victim Impact Statements and filing a claim under the Ohio Victim Compensation Program, information and direct court escort, child/juvenile advocate program, elder abuse counseling, public education, and public information.

Project Summary:

"The Felony Coordinator Program at the WVSCFVP provides comprehensive direct service to any victim of a felony crime in Cuyahoga County. Services offered are: counseling (crisis, individual, and group); criminal justice system advocacy/information including case disposition and sentencing procedures; direct assistance in the completion of Victim Impact Statements, and information and direct assistance in filing a claim under Ohio's Victim of Crime Compensation Program. The Child/Juvenile Advocate Program provides direct assistance to children who are victims of crime; elder abuse counseling, both short and long term counseling to persons age 60 and over who are victims of crime, as well as offering an extensive component of public information through publications, and an internship program for graduate and undergraduate students."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: CUYAHOGA COUNTY

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WOMEN TOGETHER, INC. CENTER FOR PREVENTION OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE P. O. BOX 603541 CLEVELAND, OHIO 44103 (216) 391-HELP

The Ohio Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Women Together, Inc. through a \$8,400 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$60,035 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Women Together programming includes: shelter, education, 24-hour hotline, advocacy, transportation, and transitional housing for women and children who are victims of domestic violence.

Project Summary:

"Victim Response is a program to directly assist women and children who are victims of domestic violence by providing a 24-hour Battered Women's hotline and two shelters. The goal of the project is to provide immediate access, safety and shelter to domestic violence victims. Once physical safety is ensured, the victims are offered psychological intervention to heal the wounds of trauma and victimization through counseling, advocacy and education. Funds are utilized to pay the personnel costs of four full-time advocates, three for adults and one child victim."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: CUYAHOGA (E-W)

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ST. CLAIR-SUPERIOR COALITION VICTIM ADVOCACY PROJECT 6408 ST. CLAIR AVENUE CLEVELAND, OHIO 44103 (216) 881-0644

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to St. Clair-Superior Coalition through a \$21,000 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include: services referral, intervention with employers and creditors, assistance with filing compensation applications, and orientation of and escort to court proceedings. Also, The St. Clair-Superior Coalition provides such practical services as referral to food and clothing programs, and emotional support in a convenient local office.

Project Summary:

"Our proposed project is to continue to provide 'neighborhood based' victims assistance service in the St. Clair-Superior community. We intend to continue to employ an attorney as per ORC Section 122.95 to assist victims in understanding and successfully navigating the criminal justice system and in applying for compensation if they have been injured or lost income as a result of a criminal act. Our program will also have a full-time staff person who will locate victims from police reports, make initial contact, recruit volunteers who will serve as 'court watcher', and escort victims to court proceedings."



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UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL OF CLEVELAND VICTIM ADVOCACY PROJECT 11400 EUCLID AVENUE, SUITE 200 CLEVELAND, OHIO 44106 (216) 844-3436

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the University Hospital of Cleveland through a \$22,050 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include: crisis intervention, group and individual therapy for child and adolescent victims, evaluations, and advocacy for victims and non-offending parents.

Project Summary:

"Since the passage of Senate Bill 89, the need to provide families with opportunities to assess the possibility of reunification has increased. The Incest Families Program attempts to assess the desire and potential of families affected by incest to reunify by advocating for the victim and siblings; by empowering the non-offending parent to make substantial changes in the structure of the family; and by working with the offender to take responsibility for the offense and to refrain from further offenses. The SVAA grant budget includes only services for victims, siblings, and the non-offending spouses."

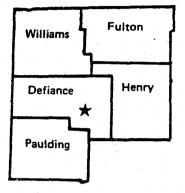


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NORTHWESTERN OHIO CRISIS LINE P. O. BOX 13 DEFIANCE, OHIO 43512 (419) 782-1314



The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Northwestern Ohio Crisis Line through a \$11,600 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$14,575 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: a 24-hour hotline, 24-hour advocacy, a confidential and staffed shelter location, case management, assistance with legal, law enforcement and social service processes, a support group, legal advocacy, community education, emergency transportation, and information and referral services.

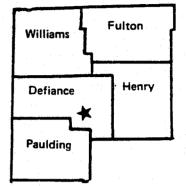
Project Summary:

"Northwestern Ohio Crisis Line proposes to continue to provide a legal advocacy program for victims of domestic violence. Direct services to and advocacy for victims will be provided in order to assist them in utilizing the law enforcement/legal/judicial available. Support costs for this position will also be included."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: DEFIANCE, FULTON, HENRY, PAULDING, WILLIAMS COUNTIES

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WOMEN AND FAMILY SERVICES, INC. NORTHWESTERN OHIO RAPE CRISIS INTERVENTION PROJECT 508 WAYNE AVENUE DEFIANCE, OHIO 43512 (419) 782-4906

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Women and Family Services, Inc. through a \$7,600 grant from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$18,851 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: a 24-hour hotline and advocacy, individual and group counseling, case management, a Speaker's Bureau, rape prevention education, a resource library, and a program of training for rape crisis intervention specialists which enables comprehensive, coordinated services for rape victims/survivors and their loved ones.

Project Summary:

"With funds provided by VOCA, the Northwestern Ohio Rape Crisis Intervention Project will continue to provide specialized rape crisis intervention counseling and advocacy services for all rape victims/survivors. These services will include multiple counseling, professional therapy, legal advocacy, medical advocacy, and personal advocacy. The twenty-four hour hotline is staffed under a contract with the Northwestern Ohio Crisis Line, Inc. by both paid and volunteer staff. This much needed service is not new to the project, yet funds are needed to help maintain the hotline in it's current efficient state."



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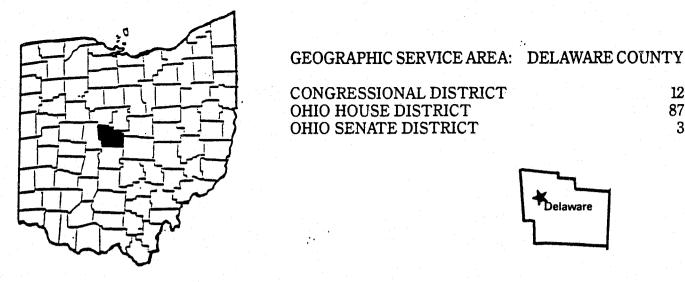
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DEFIANCE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT VICTIMS ASSISTANCE PROGRAM 113 BIEDE PLACE DEFIANCE, OHIO 43512 (419) 782-0911

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Defiance County Sheriff's Department through a \$17,073 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. The program provides 24-hour crisis intervention, medical and legal advocacy, transportation, case status notification, assisting in property return, victim impact statements, restitution, employer and creditor intercession, child care and assistance in filing for compensation.

Project Summary:

"It will be the goal of the Defiance County Victim Assistance Program to provide an extensive, service-oriented support system for victims of crime. Victims have a need for and an expectation to obtain a fair and humane treatment from justice system representatives. They desire to be considered as an important client and pertinent actor within the justice system rather than appendages or passive presenter of evidentially testimony. It is the objective of the Victim Assistance Program to meet those desires."



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DELAWARE COUNTY JUVENILE COURT DELAWARE COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 3RD FLOOR DELAWARE, OHIO 43015 (614) 369-8761

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Delaware County Juvenile Court through a \$6,300 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$16,144 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. The Delaware Juvenile Court provides programming for child victims of physical and sexual abuse. The program provides two types of intervention: a Family Advocate Program, providing in-home family therapy and intervention to abused children and their families, and the Abuse Survivor's Group, which provides weekly support and group treatment for female adolescent victims of physical and sexual abuse.

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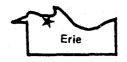
"The Delaware County Juvenile Court project proposal is designed to continue to provide intervention services to physically and sexually abused youth in Delaware County. For the past three years, the Court's Victim Assistance Programs have offered the only services in Delaware County specifically designed to provide treatment to victims of physical and sexual abuse. Our funding proposal includes expansion of the Family Advocate Program and maintenance of our Abuse Survivors Group. These services provide a continuum of community based care including individual, family and group interventions. VOCA, Delaware County and the Department of Youth Services monies provide the core funding of this project."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: ERIE COUNTY

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OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT
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SAFE HARBOUR DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SHELTER P.O. BOX 2616 SANDUSKY, OHIO 44870 (419) 626-8295

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Safe Harbour Domestic Violence Shelter through a \$6,300 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$36,573 grant award from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: 24-hour crisis line, residential shelter facility, counseling and referral, and interaction on behalf of victims with law enforcement, legal, educational, employment, medical and psychological services.

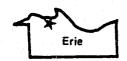
Project Summary:

"The funding sought in this proposal, both for a continuing project and for the new projects, will allow Safe Harbour Domestic Violence Shelter to continue to provide shelter, food, support, counseling, referrals to other community agencies, for the victims of domestic violence in the Erie County area and services to the previously underserved population of children residing in the Shelter. As evidenced by the letters of support included with this application, Safe Harbour fulfills a strong and necessary need in our community. Victims of domestic violence deserve the services Safe Harbour provides. The perpetuation of these services requires the continuation of funding by this proposed VOCA grant."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: ERIE COUNTY

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ERIE COUNTY PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE VICTIM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM 406 COLUMBUS AVENUE SANDUSKY, OHIO 44870 (419) 627-7679

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Erie County Prosecutor's Office through a \$22,050 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include: emotional support, advocacy, referral, assistance in property return, criminal justice advocacy, transportation and child care, assistance in completing victim impact statements, and assistance in applying for crime victim reparations.

Project Summary:

"The economic aid supplied by a SVAA grant will permit the Erie County Prosecutor's Office to expand its services to victims in a way which best serves the innocent individuals of personal crime."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: ERIE, OTTAWA COUNTIES

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NORTH COAST YOUTH SERVICES, INC. 1006 GRANT STREET SANDUSKY, OHIO 44870 (419) 626-9156

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to North Coast Youth Services, Inc. through a \$10,800 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$25,626 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. The Abused Child Treatment Project serves children who have been confirmed, or indicated as having been, abused either physically, sexually or emotionally. After referral, they are provided with comprehensive mental health services to mitigate the adverse effects of their victimization. The agency also provides consultation with area professionals and assists victims in completing applications for benefits under the Crime Victim Compensation Program.

Project Summary:

"The Abused Child Treatment Project of North Coast Youth Services provides mental health services including, diagnostic assessment, individual and group outpatient treatment, case management, and medication monitoring to children in Erie and Ottawa Counties who have been found to be abused, physically, sexually, or emotionally. In addition, the project provides case consultation services to area professionals on the mental health implications of abuse, and intervention strategies with abused children. The project is staffed with mental health professionals who provide these services at no cost to the victim."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: FAIRFIELD COUNTY

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NEW HORIZONS YOUTH & FAMILY CENTER 1592 GRANVILLE PIKE LANCASTER, OHIO 43130 (614) 687-0835

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the New Horizons Youth & Family Center through a \$8,152 grant from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$23,941 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: individual, group, and family therapy, psychological testing, psychiatric evaluation, crisis stabilization and case management services.

Project Summary:

"This is a continuation project which will provide individual, family and group psychotherapy services to child victims of physical and sexual abuse. These services will be provided by agency outpatient therapists who are licensed professionals and are under the supervision of licensed psychologists or psychiatrists. The grant has enabled New Horizons to provide an additional 936 hours per year of counseling services that are specifically for this victim population. Additionally, New Horizons will continue it's on-going linkage activities with Fairfield County Children's Services, Juvenile Court and all city and county school systems to assure appropriateness and continuity of care. A minimum of 60 child victims will be served."



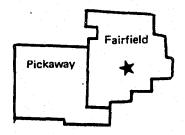
THE LIGHTHOUSE, INC. P. O. BOX 215 LANCASTER, OHIO 43130 (614) 687-4423

GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: FAIRFIELD, PICKAWAY COUNTIES

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The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to The Lighthouse Inc., through a \$8,400 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$38,158 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: crisis hotline services, individual and group counseling for victims of domestic violence, shelter, meals and transportation services and non-resident counseling services.

Project Summary:

"The Lighthouse wishes to increase our services to victims of domestic violence by establishing a court liaison/case manager position. This position would provide a means to assist victims of domestic violence in filing charges, seeing through prosecution, filing victim compensation claims and meeting the victims' social and economic needs. This position is full time and would work closely with other service providers to ensure the continued safety of victims of domestic violence. The Lighthouse provides shelter, counseling and other intervention to victims of domestic violence. This proposal requests funding for one vital position, that of House Manager. In addition, the Lighthouse is in need of assistance for the purchase of supplies. Funding for the House Manager's position will ensure continuous protection for those in residence. Funding for supplies line items will enable the Lighthouse to maintain a clean and adequate environment for those in residence."



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FAIRFIELD FAMILY COUNSELING CENTER ASSAULT TREATMENT SERVICES 1592 GRANVILLE PIKE LANCASTER, OHIO 43130 (614) 687-0606

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Fairfield Family Counseling Center through a \$8,900 grant from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$21,988 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: group and individual follow-up services, treatment groups for survivors of incest, adults abused as children in alcoholic homes, and women, who are victims of childhood and adult abusive relationships.

Project Summary:

"Assault Treatment Services, as presently funded, provides crisis intervention, follow-up treatment and coordination of inter-agency services. The Assault Treatment Specialist, a fulltime Masters-level Social Worker, employed by FFCS is responsible for both treatment and coordination. Additional workers to be added, contingent on grant funding, are a therapist in the Pickerington office for 20 hours per week and a Survivor Advocate Leader to be responsible for coordinating volunteers. This proposal requests an allowance for printed materials to educate the public about services, the additional expense of services in Pickerington, the hiring of a 4-hour per week position of a Volunteer Coordinator, and an allowance for attending professional development workshops. The proposal continues to be for provision of services specifically for victims of sexual abuse, although victims of physical abuse are also served as needed. The addition of volunteers continues a tradition of peer advocacy that enhances treatment and empowers both victim and volunteer. As a result of continuous services for six years, there are volunteers available that have had remarkable recoveries and have the desire to give something back. With a full-time therapist, a part-time therapist, and the support of volunteers, we believe we can serve at least 60 survivors of sexual assault with effective specialized services in 1991-92."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: STATE OF OHIO

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OHIO PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS ASSOCIATION 42 EAST GAY STREET, SUITE 802 COLUMBUS, OHIO 43215 (614) 221-1266

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Ohio Prosecuting Attorneys Association through a \$26,300 grant awarded from the State Victim Assistance Act. The purpose of this organization is to increase the efficiency of its members in the pursuit of their profession, to broaden their interest in government and to provide cooperation and concerted action on policies which affect the office of Prosecuting Attorney or aid in the furtherance of justice.

Project Summary:

"The on-going goals of OPAA in the victim-witness area are many, however the primary goal is to increase the number of prosecutor-based programs. Additional goals are to continue training at the Ohio Peace Officer Training Academy to sensitize law enforcement officers as to the plight of crime victims; conduct training in state-of-the-art technology for victim-witness providers; provide brochures for prosecutors and law enforcement officers to distribute to victims; periodically publish 'The Victim Assistance Update' newsletter; maintain a video library; track victim/witness legislation and promote statewide networking among victim/witness providers."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: FRANKLIN COUNTY

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FRANKLIN COUNTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEY 369 SOUTH HIGH STREET COLUMBUS, OHIO 43215 (614) 462-3555

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Franklin County Prosecuting Attorney through a \$18,642 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. The Victim-Assistant serves as a liaison between the child abuse victim and the Assistant Prosecuting Attorney providing counseling and information services to the victim and victim's family. Information is relayed between the Assistant Prosecuting Attorney and the victims. Additionally, the Victim-Witness Assistant provides direct services to the victims of child abuse through counseling and referral to appropriate social service programs.

Project Summary:

"The Prosecuting Attorney's Victim Witness Assistant seeks to take the emphasis within the juvenile justice system from the defendant and place it on the emotional and physical needs of the victims of child abuse and their families and to train and sensitize the justice system professionals to the special needs and concerns of victims of child abuse. The objective of this program is to minimize and attempt to eliminate the emotional trauma of the court experience for victims of child abuse and thereby encourage their willingness to testify and participate in a criminal and/or juvenile trial."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: CITY OF COLUMBUS,

FRANKLIN COUNTY

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ST. ANTHONY MEDICAL CENTER RAPE TREATMENT PROGRAM 1492 EAST BROAD STREET COLUMBUS, OHIO 43205 (614) 251-3000

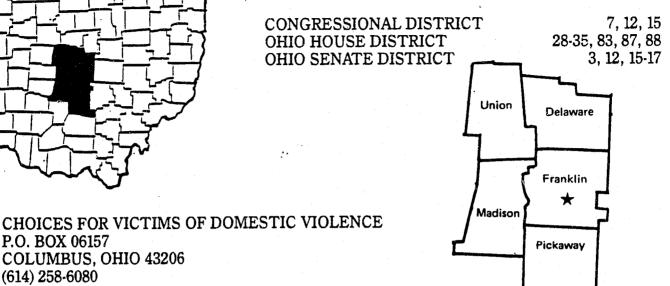
The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to St. Anthony's Rape Treatment Program through a \$8,597 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. The medical treatment is provided by medical and nursing staff in the emergency room who are experienced in the collection and documentation of medical evidence and are sensitive to the emotional needs of survivors of rape. Survivors are brought immediately to the designated treatment area and all information, including registration information, is obtained in the privacy of the examination room. Volunteer advocates are contacted immediately to come to the hospital to provide emotional support and give information regarding follow up support in the community.

Project Summary:

"St. Anthony Rape Treatment Center is the only program in Franklin County that provides comprehensive services by one agency to rape survivors and their families. The services include medical treatment, crisis intervention and information regarding legal procedure and victims compensation. The services are provided at no charge to the survivor. The Program Director is a full time employee working 40 hours per week, Monday through Friday. She provides crisis intervention during regular working hours in addition to the scheduled on-call availability after 5:00 p.m.."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: FRANKLIN, UNION, DELAWARE, MADISON & PICKAWAY COUNTIES



The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Choices through a \$27,700 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services include temporary shelter, education, advocacy, crisis telephone services, substance abuse services, legal advocacy, and case management to adult victims of domestic violence and their children.

Project Summary:

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(614) 258-6080

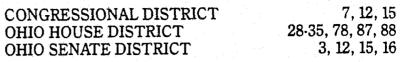
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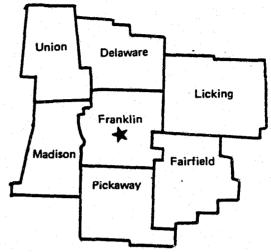
"We are requesting \$27,700 to continue the services being provided to women and their children served by CHOICES in Franklin, Delaware, Union, Madison and Pickaway counties."



CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL FAMILY SUPPORT PROGRAM 700 CHILDREN'S DRIVE COLUMBUS, OHIO 43205 (614) 461-2100

GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: FRANKLIN AND ADJACENT COUNTIES





The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Children's Hospital Family Support Program through a \$22,800 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$55,828 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: psychological and social assessment along with individual, family and group therapy and, support groups for pre-school aged children, school aged children, adolescent, parents, and siblings are offered on a weekly basis.

Project Summary:

"Family Support Program will continue treatment services to child sexual abuse victims and their families through the Support Group Component. Groups will be offered on a weekly basis to serve victims and their families. Support groups for victims will be divided into age categories according to developmental stages. Group programming will also be available for parents. Volunteers will be utilized as co-leaders for the support groups and child care will be provided for children of parents attending the Parents Group. Brochures will be disseminated throughout the community so that victims and service providers are aware of the availability of group treatment services through the Family Support Program."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: STATE OF OHIO

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT
OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT
OHIO SENATE DISTRICT

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MOTHERS AGAINST DRUNK DRIVING VICTIM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM 471 EAST BROAD STREET, SUITE 1304 COLUMBUS, OHIO 43215 (614) 461-MADD

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Mothers Against Drunk Driving through a \$12,000 grant from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$24,631 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services include: A toll-free victim hotline, crisis counseling, information and referral to local MADD chapters, and technical assistance to local MADD chapter victim advocates.

Project Summary:

"MADD Ohio proposes to expand its victim assistance services to more fully meet the needs of victims of drunk driving crashes. The part-time victim assistance coordinator will be expanded to full time to assist more victims and make MADD services more accessible through development of cooperative relationships which the victims face. Volunteer victim advocates will be recruited from the 44 counties not covered by a local chapter. A training kit will be developed for provision to these new victim advocates and a 40-hour Victim Institute will be implemented to train advocates from the local chapters."



WOMEN AGAINST RAPE P.O. BOX 02084 COLUMBUS, OHIO 43202 (614) 291-9751

GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: FRANKLIN COUNTY

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT OHIO SENATE DISTRICT 7, 12, 15 28-35, 78, 87, 88 3, 12, 15, 16



The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Women Against Rape through a \$13,965 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include: support groups for rape survivors, a confidential phone crisis line, information and emotional support, police, hospital and court advocacy, and follow-up/referral.

Project Summary:

"Presently, 70% of the RCC Coordinator's salary is from Direct Services, and 30% from Administrative expenses. SVAA grant money would be used to pay for the full amount of this position . . . the total amount requested for telephone expenses is \$1367 . . . WAR has quarterly training for new volunteers. The cost of printing manuals for new volunteers averages \$400 for each session. The SVAA money requested for this expense is \$1600. We are requesting \$400 to pay . . . Support Group Facilitators . . . \$400 for Support Group Training and Rental Space . . . and . . . \$480 to cover the costs of advertising."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: FRANKLIN COUNTY

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FRANKLIN COUNTY JUVENILE COURT COURT APPOINTED SPECIAL ADVOCATES OF FRANKLIN COUNTY 373 SOUTH HIGH STREET, 4TH FLOOR COLUMBUS, OHIO 43215 (614) 436-3443

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Franklin County Juvenile Court through a \$10,000 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include: CASA advocates for abused and neglected children, facilitates permanency planning for children, and provides support to Guardians ad Litem and caseworkers who make recommendations to the Court regarding the future of children who have been abused or neglected. CASA volunteers gather information, monitor court and protective service proceedings, and assist with the formulation of recommendations which would guarantee that the best interests of abused and neglected children are served.

Project Summary:

"The proposal submitted herewith requests \$20,000 from the State Victims Assistance Act to assist in establishing a Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA) Program in Franklin County. The victims of crime to receive assistance are children of all ages in Franklin County who have been abused and neglected."

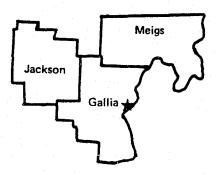


SERENITY HOUSE, INC. P.O. BOX 454 GALLIPOLIS, OHIO 45631 1-800-252-5554

GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: GALLIA, MEIGS JACKSON COUNTIES

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT
OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT
OHIO SENATE DISTRICT

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The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Serenity House, Inc. through a \$7,500 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$18,708 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Serenity House provides crisis intervention, goal planning, supportive services including child care, transportation, law enforcement, court and attorney advocacy, and referral.

Project Summary:

"In 1987 Serenity House accepted it's first clients. Thirteen women and 26 children received shelter, however, few other services were offered. Since then the number of clients served has risen steadily. Last year, 1990, Serenity House served 196 clients and offered shelter for approximately 18 nights per person. Serenity House also hired a victim/advocate/case manager. In addition to shelter, Serenity House offers transportation, advocacy, access to other service agencies, and support. Serenity House serves a three county area which includes Gallia, Jackson and Meigs Counties. These are primarily rural counties with high unemployment and low per capita income. 25% of the population live in poverty."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: GEAUGA COUNTY

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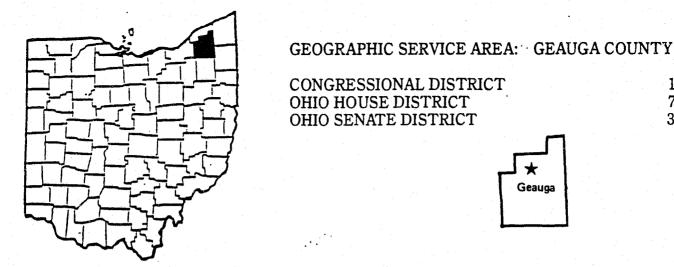
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WOMENSAFE, INC. P. O. BOX 656 CHARDON, OHIO 44024 (216) 564-9555

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to WomenSafe, Inc. through a \$19,100 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include: physically safe shelter for women and their children who are victims of family violence, counseling, emotional support, information and referral, advocacy, public speaking and in-service training.

Project Summary:

"We are requesting \$11,300 to fund a part-time, 20-hour per week position of Outreach Counselor/House Manager... We are proposing to continue the Weekend Manager position funded through 1990-91 SVAA funds at a cost of \$2,912... We are requesting \$30 per weekend coverage for WomenSafe employees for a total cost of \$1,044... We are requesting...\$1,378 to be used for extra staff coverage during peak occupancy periods at the shelter... We are requesting re-establishment money in the amount of \$1,000 to be used by victims for items such as minor car repairs, the repair of broken windows or doors, changing of locks... We are requesting \$1,000 to be used to enable victims to retain an attorney...."



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GEAUGA COUNTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEY'S OFFICE VICTIM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM 231 MAIN STREET, COURTHOUSE ANNEX CHARDON, OHIO 44024 (216) 285-2222

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Geauga County Prosecuting Attorney through a \$6,000 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$20,411 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: legal advocacy and support for all victims of crime, hospital advocacy for rape and sexual abuse victims. In addition, the program provides court escort and acts as a liaison between the victim, judicial system, county agencies and the Ohio Parole Board. Assistance is given to all victims in helping to obtain reimbursement from the Ohio Victims of Crime Program for allowable expenses.

Project Summary:

"This proposal is requesting funding for a portion of the Program Director's salary and for the pager unit to allow the director and volunteers to be available to law enforcement agencies, county agencies, and the victims of crime on a 24-hour basis. This projects main objective is to enhance the effectiveness of the criminal system and to do all that is possible to assist victims of crime."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: GREENE COUNTY

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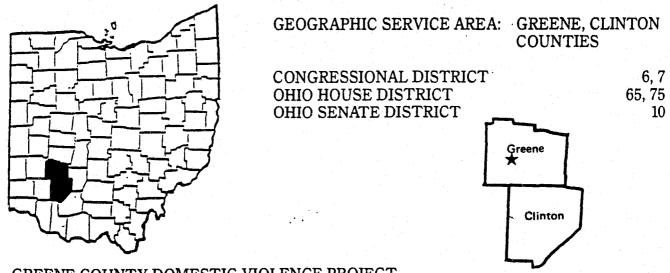


GREENE COUNTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEY VICTIM/WITNESS DIVISION 45 NORTH DETROIT STREET XENIA, OHIO 45385 (513) 376-5087

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Greene County Prosecuting Attorney through a \$16,065 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$38,205 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. The Victim/Witness Division provides services which include: crisis intervention counseling, court escort and advocacy, crime victims compensation assistance/referrals, and support and assistance on a 24-hour per day basis in order to assure continuity of service and recognition of victims' rights.

Project Summary:

"The Victim/Witness Division of the Greene County Prosecutor's Office is requesting VOCA funding in order to continue to provide 24-hour, direct services to victims of crime in Greene County. Victims and witnesses in cases involving adult felony crime and juvenile crime would be served. The proposal includes funds for two full-time victim advocates, with the objective of serving six hundred and fifty (650) crime victims during the project year. The total project budget is \$52,015.84. The requested VOCA funding amount is \$39,012.84, with a 25% cash match of \$13,003.00."



GREENE COUNTY DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROJECT P. O. BOX 271 XENIA, OHIO 45385 (513) 372-9983

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Greene County Domestic Violence Project through a \$11,000 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$27,442 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: emergency shelter, a 24-hour crisis line, intake assessment, information and referral, court and hospital advocacy services, non-sheltered transitional services, and school-based education prevention programming for youth.

Project Summary:

"The Greene County Domestic Violence Project, proposes to continue its services to provide 24-hour staff coverage for its shelter and crisis line. In addition, GCDVP proposes to continue its client support services which have been cut back because of loss of funding. The services would include immediate response to domestic violence victims, 24-hour availability of staff; and support, information/education and referral for both sheltered and non-sheltered clients."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA:

CITY OF CAMBRIDGE, GUERNSEY COUNTY

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CITY OF CAMBRIDGE VICTIM WITNESS SERVICES 827 STEUBENVILLE AVENUE P.O. BOX 567 CAMBRIDGE,OHIO 43725 (614) 439-4462

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the City of Cambridge through a \$22,050 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$8,995 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: assistance to victims of crime through referral, advocacy, support, and informational services. The program will assist in developing victim impact statements, and other court-related services.

Project Summary:

"This grant is needed to continue the Victims Witness Program and direct services in Cambridge and throughout Guernsey county. The program provides; ongoing information regarding the status of criminal cases, explanation of and orientation to the Criminal Justice System, referral services for social service needs, placement of civilian witnesses on telephone standby for court appearances when necessary or requested, assistance with victim compensation and restitution procedures, assistance with court appearance problems, and assistance with the return of property held in evidence by the police or the court."



HAVEN OF HOPE, INC. P.O. BOX 948 CAMBRIDGE, OHIO 43725 (614) 432-3542 GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: GUERNSEY AND NOBLE COUNTIES

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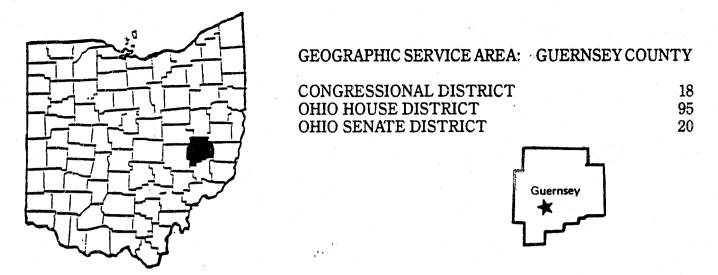
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The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Office provides financial support to Haven of Hope, Inc. through a \$15,800 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include: temporary emergency housing to female victims of domestic violence and their children in the shelter or safe home. Referral, counseling, support (food, clothing, housing), and legal advocacy is also provided.

Project Summary:

"We propose to increase the hours of the Executive Director by 10 hours a week and the Volunteer Coordinator by 10 hours as well . . . funds to . . . replace carpet in shelter first floor . . . secure upstairs . . . construct a privacy fence to allow children to go outside for playtime . . . develop a childcare area . . . and to convert part of large living room into an office . . ."



GUERNSEY COUNTY JUVENILE COURT GUERNSEY COUNTY JUVENILE COURT CASA/GAL GUERNSEY COUNTY COURTHOUSE CAMBRIDGE, OHIO 43725 (614) 432-9266

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Guernsey County Juvenile Court through a \$8,000 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include: providing a community volunteer for every victim of child abuse and/or neglect. CASA acts as a catalyst to facilitate support services and the achievement of permanent living situations for neglected, abused and dependent children who are the subject of Guernsey County Juvenile Court proceedings.

Project Summary:

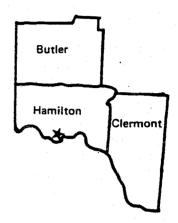
"The funds requested would allow us to begin our program and activate our corps. We believe our services are critically needed to help ensure that as many of these young victims as possible become stable, healthy, non-offending adults."



YWCA, CINCINNATI ALICE PAUL HOUSE 898 WALNUT STREET CINCINNATI, OHIO 45202 (513) 241-2757

GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: HAMILTON, CLERMONT, BUTLER COUNTIES

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT OHIO SENATE DISTRICT 1, 2, 8 20-27, 56, 57, 66 4, 7-9, 14



The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the YWCA of Cincinnati/Alice Paul House through a \$9,500 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$25,719 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: emergency shelter and security for battered women, food, clothing, transportation, advocacy, and counseling.

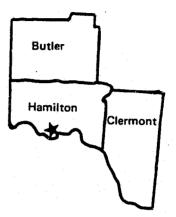
Project Summary:

"We hope to accomplish the following objectives with the 1991-1992 VOCA funds: To provide a safe, comfortable environment within the shelter, to provide crisis intervention through our helpline to 10,000 callers annually, and to provide comprehensive services to women and children at the shelter by using more volunteers and providing proper training for these volunteers."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: HAMILTON, CLERMONT, BUTLER COUNTIES

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WOMEN HELPING WOMEN, INC. 216 EAST NINTH STREET CINCINNATI, OHIO 45202 (513) 381-6003

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Women Helping Women, Inc. through a \$8,400 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$29,214 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: free counseling, court advocacy, hospital accompaniment and support/therapy group sessions to adult victims of sexual assault.

Project Summary:

"Since 1986, Women Helping Women, Inc. (WHW), has received VOCA funding for direct assistance to sexual assault victims. In 1989, our VOCA funding expanded to include services to domestic violence and child sexual abuse victims. In 1990, over 600 rape survivors received assistance in such areas as court advocacy, hospital accompaniment and individual and group counseling. Over 17,000 telephone contacts were provided. For the new grant year, WHW requests continued funding for crisis intervention and support services for sexual assault victims and telephone crisis intervention services. We also request monies to hire an additional advocate to work with sexual assault victims."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: CITY OF CINCINNATI HAMILTON COUNTY

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TALBERT HOUSE VICTIM SERVICE CENTER 308 READING ROAD, 2ND FLOOR CINCINNATI, OHIO 45202 (513) 241-4484

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Talbert House through a \$29,200 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$67,903 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. The following services are provided to assault, burglary, robbery victims and homicide survivors: in-person and phone crisis intervention and supportive counseling, support group, information, referral and outreach, court escort, community education and consultation, victim compensation assistance and volunteer opportunities.

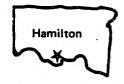
Project Summary:

"The Talbert House Victim Service Center is requesting \$69,655 in continuation of funds for services currently offered at our program. The VSC receives referrals daily from the Cincinnati Police Division, as well as, from agencies and citizens in Cincinnati and Hamilton County area. We provided services for 3,111 victims in 1990 and anticipate serving at least 3,267 in 1991/92 with the continuation of VOCA funds."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: HAMILTON COUNTY

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PROKIDS 917 MAIN STREET, 2ND FLOOR CINCINNATI, OHIO 45202 (513) 421-4080

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to ProKids through a \$8,400 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$24,038 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Serves children who have been brought to the attention of the court due to the severity of their abuse or neglect. Lay advocates are used to coordinate, monitor and report on services provided to the children and provide any necessary advocacy as follow-up to ensure all needs of the children are being met. ProKids also contracts with the county to provide the children with guardians ad litem.

Project Summary:

"VOCA funding will provide ProKids with a part-time Child Care Specialist who will supervise Court Appointed Special Advocates which would enable ProKids to maintain its corps of volunteer advocates and continue to serve abused children. The purpose of the volunteer advocates is to coordinate services on behalf of the abused and neglected children and serve as the child's voice in court custody proceedings. The Child Care Specialist recruits, trains, supervises and works to retain the volunteers."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: HAMILTON COUNTY

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AVOISE-ADOLESCENT VICTIMS OF INDECENT SEXUAL ENCOUNTERS 8075 READING ROAD, #307 CINCINNATI, OHIO 45237 (513) 821-2209

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to AVOISE through a \$6,300 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$15,889 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. AVOISE exclusively serves victims of sex abuse and their families. Services provided are as follows: adolescent groups, young children's group, male victim group, siblings of victim group, non-offending parent group, and individual and family therapy for victims and their parents.

Project Summary:

"AVOISE, INC. serves exclusively victims of sexual abuse and non-offending parents. Victim services are provided via group therapy. Groups will be facilitated by therapists. Sessions will be close ended, meaning all participants begin and end at the same time, for 10 consecutive weeks. Referrals are received predominantly from Women Helping Women, Department of Human Services and other local mental health agencies and private therapists as well as school officials. The primary goal of treatment is to help the family unit survive this traumatic event and emerge as survivors. VOCA's assistance makes it possible for indigent clientele to receive services. Without this grant they would virtually be without treatment."

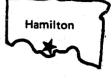


GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: GREATER CINCINNATI

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NEW LIFE YOUTH SERVICES, INC. **NEW BEGINNINGS** 6128 MADISON ROAD CINCINNATI. OHIO 45227 (513) 221-3350

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to New Life Youth Services, Inc. through a \$32,000 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include: case management, individual and group counseling, and advocacy with the court and community agencies involved with the child. Volunteers are utilized to provide transportation and individual attention to victims of sexual abuse. Emergency shelter and foster care are also available.

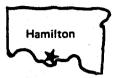
Project Summary:

"Through this proposal, we seek continued financial support for the efforts begun with the first VOCA Grant received by New Beginnings in 1989. We will continue to serve sexual abuse victims in the three New Life Youth Services shelters. Further, this grant will enable us to maintain services to non-offending family members and clients in Schott Group Home and the Independent Living Programs."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: CINCINNATI WEST END-QUEENSGATE

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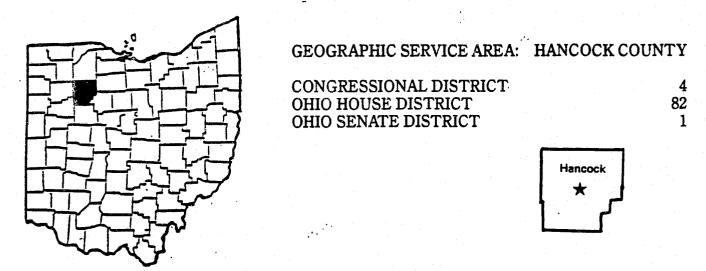


SEVEN HILLS NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSES 701 EZZARD CHARLES DRIVE CINCINNATI, OHIO 45203 (513) 632-7105

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Seven Hills Neighborhood Houses through a \$6,900 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$17,031 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. The Program offers assistance to every person that reports being victimized to the Seven Hills office or to the District 1 Police station; refers victims to appropriate social service agencies and victim compensation programs and assists in filling out necessary forms for compensation and assists victims that are elderly, handicapped or financially unable to arrange transportation to and from court.

Project Summary:

"The programs we plan to offer represent an expansion of existing services by having a 12-hour telephone hotline, making more referrals, filing compensation forms, providing emergency aid, educating each victim about the Criminal Justice System, assisting in prompt return of property, and giving elderly and handicap persons transportation. It is our intention within the next six to eight months to help 50-100 victims monthly with our program. Adequate records will be kept as to the type and description of all cases, financial reports and other issues will be submitted in a monthly report. The Project will be staffed by one full-time employee, one half-time employee, and volunteers who possess the specific expertise needed."



COUNCIL ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, INC. P. O. BOX 496 FINDLAY, OHIO 45839 (419) 422-4766

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Council on Domestic Violence, Inc. through a \$7,700 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$18,139 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: shelter, 24-hour crisis hotline, rape crisis services, support groups, legal and medical advocacy, information and referral and overall prevention efforts.

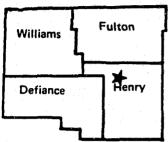
Project Summary:

"We are asking for continued funding for our Victims Services Manager position. This is a critical position to provide the quality services that victims of crime need. This position assists victims of crime in the following areas: writing temporary protection orders and impact statements, making police reports, advocacy with attorneys, welfare, and the court system are only part of the case management duties provided. She will also complete intake interviews, make referrals, compile statistics, facilitate support groups, offer crisis intervention therapy to clients. We need rent assistance in order to provide safe, confidential shelter to abused women and children in Hancock County."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: HENRY, FULTON
DEFIANCE, WILLIAMS
COUNTIES

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CENTER FOR ABUSE PREVENTION AND TREATMENT, INC. 104 EAST WASHINGTON STREET, SUITE 112 NAPOLEON, OHIO 43545 (419) 592-0540

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Center for Abuse Prevention and Treatment, Inc. through a \$8,400 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$12,285 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. The Center provides group therapy and support services to victims in the four-county area.

Project Summary:

"The Center for Abuse Prevention & Treatment is proposing to facilitate nine therapy groups (five children and four adult) for individuals where lives have been altered by child sexual abuse. Research has indicated that group therapy is the treatment of choice for this population. Weekly two-hour group sessions allow members to support and comfort each other in an atmosphere of acceptance and caring. Most importantly, it reduces the enormous feelings of aloneness that all victims share."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: HIGHLAND COUNTY

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HIGHLAND COUNTY DOMESTIC VIOLENCE TASK FORCE SAFE HOMES PROJECT P.O. BOX 527 HILLSBORO, OHIO 45133 (513) 393-9946

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Highland County Domestic Violence Task Force through a \$10,500 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$25,563 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: shelter, transportation, counseling, court advocacy, a support group, and information and referral services.

Project Summary:

"The Highland County Domestic Violence Task Force proposes with this VOCA award to maintain services within Highland County and increase services to Clinton County. Our proposal will encompass the salaries for our Director, Family Advocate and Secretary and Receptionist. We have shown in the preceding pages of our client case load, administrative duties and clerical duties that these positions are necessary as full time employees to help insure the effectiveness of our agency."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: HURON COUNTY

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HURON COUNTY PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE VICTIMS ASSISTANCE PROGRAM 85 BENEDICT AVENUE NORWALK, OHIO 44857 (419) 663-3839

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Huron County Prosecutor's Office through a \$7,100 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. The Victims Assistance Program provides services to victims of assault, sex offenses, child abuse, attempted murder, and burglary. Trained volunteers provide emotional support, advocacy, and court-related informational services to victims of crime.

Project Summary:

"To address these deficits and problems, the Huron County Prosecutor's office is requesting grant funds to continue the work it began. The continued training of program volunteers and area professionals, as well as, the emotional/financial support to crime victims will provide for quality, up-to-date services from caring, empathic individuals. This should lessen the possibility of re-traumatization to victims of crime."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: JEFFERSON COUNTY

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A.L.I.V.E., INC. P. O. BOX 866 STEUBENVILLE, OHIO 43952 (614) 283-3444

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to A.L.I.V.E., Inc. through a \$10,300 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$24,502 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: individual counseling, protected sheltering, group counseling, legal advocacy, a variety of referral capabilities, 24-hour hotline service and transportation.

Project Summary:

"Presently the clientele of ALIVE is increasing by 40%. Also we are beginning to establish a sense of unity and teamwork among out present staff. With a consistent staff, feelings of safety and competency are fostered among out clients. If we undergo more turn-over among the employees, our continuation of stability and quality services will be hindered. As we continually train and educate our present staff to improve the quality of our services, it is necessary to provide and increase wages to encourage continued employment and to compensate for the added responsibility of assisting an increasing number of clients."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: JEFFERSON COUNTY

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JEFFERSON COUNTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEY VICTIM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM SUITE 1200, BANK ONE BUILDING STEUBENVILLE, OHIO 43952 (614) 283-1966

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Jefferson County Prosecuting Attorney through a \$10,574 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: support services to victims of crime, necessary information regarding court dates and changes, referral to other service providers regarding economic assistance, emergency shelter, medical treatment, and assistance in filing compensation applications.

Project Summary:

"So as not to be repetitive concerning a project proposal for the Jefferson County Victims Assistance Program, please understand that with the cooperation of law enforcement, Children's Services, Department of Human Services, the Community Action Counsel, A.L.I.V.E., Inc., Common Please Court Judges, County Court Judges, local police agencies and local public officials, we should harmonize and try to protect our victims of crime from further victimization by an individual or even the system itself. With experienced staff, a caring prosecuting attorney, and funding, we should be able to maintain and expand our services to provide networking and cooperation."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: KNOX COUNTY

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NEW DIRECTIONS: THE DOMESTIC ABUSE SHELTER OF KNOX COUNTY P.O. BOX 453

MOUNT VERNON, OHIO 43050

(614) 397-4357

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to New Directions through a \$8,400 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$20,761 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. New Directions provides a 24-hour hotline, safe housing, child advocacy, legal advocacy, and rape crisis and prevention. Counseling includes individual and group counseling for survivors of domestic violence and rape, children and teens, and education/prevention in the shelter and community.

Project Summary:

"The victim advocate project would provide early intervention in the criminal justice system for victims of domestic violence. The victim advocate would pick up all domestic violence law enforcement reports daily on weekday mornings and contact all domestic violence victims by phone or letter within 48 hours. The victim advocate would offer information about legal remedies, protection orders, and education and counseling for both the offender and the victim. The victim advocate would coordinate the flow of information among the legal and counseling professionals and coordinate legal and educational services for victims of domestic violence and their offenders."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: LAKE COUNTY

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LAKE COUNTY COMMITTEE ON FAMILY VIOLENCE FORBES HOUSE P.O. BOX 702 PAINESVILLE, OHIO 44077 (216) 357-7321

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Forbes House through a \$10,000 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$19,651 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: safe shelter, counseling, advocacy, children's programming, outreach and support groups, and community education to victims of domestic violence.

Project Summary:

"Basically we are looking at continuing to provide services at least at our current level. With a 37% increase in residents and with a 22% increase on Helpline calls, the second full time advocate is vital to our program. In addition, we expect increases again in 1991 and a solid professional volunteer program will help us to meet these increased demands with minimal cost to our agency. Therefore, a Volunteer Coordinator is necessary to such a volunteer program. Maintaining our Helpline at its current level and monies for utilities will aid us in continuing operations."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA CITY OF EASTLAKE

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EASTLAKE POLICE DEPARTMENT VICTIM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM 35150 LAKESHORE BLVD. EASTLAKE, OHIO 44095 (216) 951-1400

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Eastlake Police Department through a \$6,300 grant awarded through the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$17,641 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. All citizens of the City of Eastlake are eligible for direct assistance. Direct services include: immediate crisis intervention, 24-hour hotline, crisis counseling, follow-up contact, information and referral, assistance in filing compensation claims, and education.

Project Summary:

"EVAP proposes to continue to serve as a police-based victim assistance program that offers crisis intervention at the time of the incident, or within 24 to 72 hours thereafter. We are concerned about person-to-person crimes and providing direct assistance to victims per their request. Two advocates will operate the program, working office hours between 9:00am and 4:00pm three days each, with a common day to coordinate activities. Advocates will alternate shifts so that each will work rotating weekends. Advocates are on call 24-hours a day, via the dispatcher. Advocates will continue to work from daily police incident reports to provide service to people of violent crimes and property crimes using the phone, letters, and in-person interviews. Advocates will continue to service people who have been referred, or to provide information to neighboring communities."



LAURELWOOD HOSPITAL VICTIM RESOURCE CENTER 8870 MENTOR AVENUE MENTOR, OHIO 44060 (216) 255-0511

GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: LAKE COUNTY

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The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Laurelwood Hospital through a \$6,700 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$16,711 grant awarded through the Victims of Crime Act. Direct services include: 24-hour hotline, 24-hour advocacy (direct assistance at the Emergency Centers, police departments, all court related meetings and hearings, and other prosecution related matters), psychotherapy, support groups for parents of children involved in prosecution, and therapy groups.

Project Summary:

"The Victim Advocacy Project proposes to provide immediate crisis intervention and advocacy services to 350 sexual assault victims and family members in the Lake County area. The primary purpose of this Project is encouraging and facilitating the victim's cooperation with the criminal justice system while decreasing the emotional trauma of that experience."



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LAKE COUNTY PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE VICTIM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM 47 N. PARK PLACE PAINESVILLE, OHIO 44077 (216) 357-2683

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Lake County Prosecutor's Office through a \$22,050 grant awarded through the State Victims Assistance Act. The services include: emergency services, advocacy and support services, assistance in filing compensation claims and court-related services.

Project Summary:

"The primary goal of the program is to ensure that all rights, benefits and mandates of law are being provided for victims. The advocate will act as a bridge between community resource agencies and the criminal justice system. Humanitarian concern for victims will benefit criminal justice goals."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: LAWRENCE COUNTY

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LAWRENCE COUNTY DOMESTIC VIOLENCE TASK FORCE P.O. BOX 311 IRONTON, OHIO 45638 (614) 532-7111

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Lawrence County Domestic Violence Task Force through a \$6,300 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$13,117 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: temporary shelter, individual and group counseling, legal advocacy, and case management for victims of domestic violence.

Project Summary:

"Helping Hands Haven's proposal is to provide safe housing and any other social service needs of victims of abuse and their families. We need increased staffing to appropriately provide our services. Also have needs to adequately pay staff for hours worked in supplying services. This proposal will pay the Director a full time salary to work with clients both within the shelter house and outreach in the community to provide direct services. We are relatively new and need funding desperately."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: LAWRENCE COUNTY

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LAWRENCE COUNTY MEDICAL CENTER DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES 2228 SOUTH NINTH STREET IRONTON, OHIO 45638 (614) 532-3232, EXT. 118

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Lawrence County Medical Center through a \$19,500 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include: 24-hour advocacy, crisis intervention, information and referral, and support services including filing for victims compensation to victims of domestic violence, sexual assault and child abuse.

Project Summary:

"It is estimated that between 155 and 165 cases of Domestic Violence, Sex Offenses, Child Abuse and Spouse Abuse annually are committed in Lawrence County, Ohio. As a new program, 130 primary victims and 61 secondary victims were served October 1, 1990 through July 31, 1991. Monthly increases in referrals has been seen as public awareness of the program grows."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: LICKING COUNTY

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FAMILY COUNSELING SERVICES NEW BEGINNINGS 68 WEST CHURCH STREET, SUITE 305 NEWARK, OHIO 43055 (614) 349-7066

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to New Beginnings through a \$11,300 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$28,217 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: safe shelter, education on domestic violence, advocacy, 24-hour crisis phone line, support services, referral, limited transportation, weekly support groups and emotional support.

Project Summary:

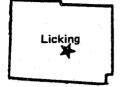
"This project has three main components: the volunteer program, a legal advocacy program and a 24 hour crisis phone line. Volunteers are recruited and trained throughout the year for a variety of responsibilities including legal advocacy. The Legal Advocate assists women needing to file charges, attend arraignments or to testify in court. Any woman in the community can request help. Volunteers help women obtain services, provide transportation and child care, provide emotional support, make repairs, secure in-kind donations, and make educational presentations in the community. Maintaining a 24 hour crisis line is a basic service for battered women."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: LICKING COUNTY

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PLANNED PARENTHOOD OF EAST CENTRAL OHIO LICKING COUNTY RAPE CRISIS CENTER 843 NORTH 21ST STREET NEWARK, OHIO 43055 (614) 366-3377

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Licking County Rape Crisis Center through a \$15,800 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include: education, community outreach, victim advocacy and counseling. Direct service to rape victims is provided on a 24-hour basis. Hospital accompaniment, legal advocacy and referral is provided as well.

Project Summary:

"Planned Parenthood of East Central Ohio plans to use funds received from the SVAA grant to continue to upgrade and expand our existing rape services. Our goals are the following: to re-establish group counseling for rape/sexual assault survivors; to create and distribute a handbook for rape survivors; and to provide more comprehensive victim advocacy for more women. We also intend to increase our efforts to make the community aware of the availability of our services."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: LOGAN COUNTY

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LOGAN COUNTY PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE VICTIM/WITNESS ASSISTANCE PROGRAM LOGAN COUNTY COURTHOUSE BELLEFONTAINE, OHIO 43311 (513) 593-3755

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Logan County Prosecutor's Office through a \$21,630 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. The Victim/Witness Program provides general support for victims, victim information pamphlet, emergency shelter expenses, referrals to social service agencies, court escort/transportation, court advocacy, trial notification, assistance in victim trial testimony, assistance in completing victim of crime compensation forms, preparation of victim impact statements, and temporary child care.

Project Summary:

"The goal of the Victim/Witness Program is to provide quality services to crime victims and witnesses, while encouraging interagency cooperation and coordination of services. We feel that by providing crime victims with continual notifications of all stages of their case, as well as information about the workshops of the judicial system we can help make the transition from crime victim, back to citizen, as smooth as possible."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: LORAIN COUNTY

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LORAIN COUNTY PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE VICTIM/WITNESS ASSISTANCE DIVISION 226 MIDDLE AVENUE ELYRIA, OHIO 44035 (216) 329-5376

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Lorain County Prosecuting Attorney through a \$17,155 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. The Victim/Witness Program provides letter notification, court escort services, informational and referral services, transportation, babysitting, court preparation, short term counseling and intervention, victim impact statement preparation, and assisting in the filing of victim compensation applications.

Project Summary:

"The Lorain County Prosecutor's Victim Witness Division announces that due to receiving the VOCA grant, the contract hiring of part-time Victim Advocates has enabled the Division to increase services to victims of crime in Lorain County. The Victim Advocates allow the Division to offer a more complete package of services and a greater flexibility of hours that the Division is available in order to better serve its clients. The Division has expanded coverage in areas which previously were not served."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: LORAIN COUNTY

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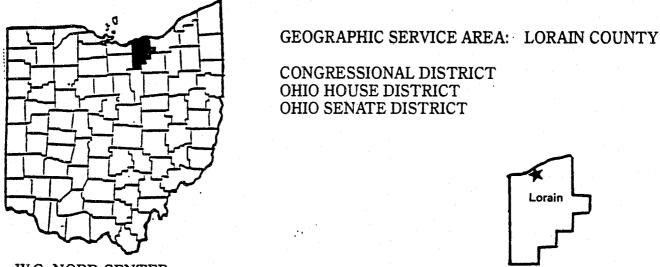


CENTER FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH SERVICES GENESIS BATTERED WOMEN SHELTER 42707 NORTH RIDGE ROAD ELYRIA, OHIO 44035 (216) 324-6113

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Center for Children and Youth Services through a \$11,600 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$26,360 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. The Genesis Battered Women Shelter provides 24-hour shelter, 24-hour hotline, transportation, individual counseling, legal advocacy, support groups and day care for children in shelter (provided by Oberlin Early Childhood Center).

Project Summary:

"Our proposal to the Crime Victims Assistance Office requests financial assistance to enable us to continue serving victims of domestic violence in Lorain County. Besides helping cover basic shelter costs, VOCA funds allow us to reach out into the community with support groups for victims who have or who are experiencing domestic violence in their lives. We are requesting VOCA funds so that we might better coordinate our services to victims when dealing with the legal system."



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W.G. NORD CENTER LORAIN COUNTY RAPE CRISIS SERVICE 6140 SOUTH BROADWAY LORAIN, OHIO 44053 (216) 233-7232

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Lorain County Rape Crisis Service through a \$18,000 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. The Lorain County Rape Crisis Service provides information, referral and consultation, legal and hospital advocacy, community education, support groups, counseling and support.

Project Summary:

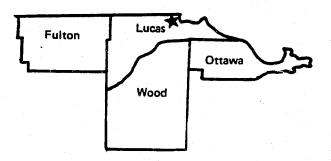
"Since October 1, 1989, the new Legal Advocacy Program has been added through funding from the Ohio Department of Health and matched with funds from our host agency, W.G. Nord Center for only one year. This past year was also our first year of funding from the Attorney General's Crime Victims Office through the SVAA Grant for the sum of \$18,000. We are requesting renewal of this funding for September 1991 through September 1992 for \$18,000 to continue this much needed service."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: LUCAS, WOOD, OTTAWA, FULTON COUNTIES

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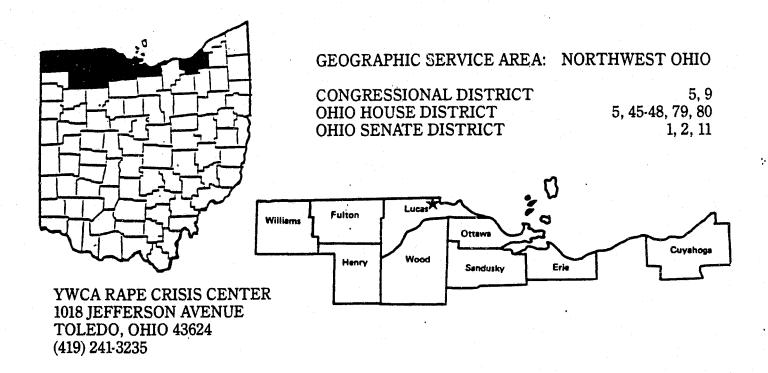


FAMILY AND CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION ADULT ADVOCATE PROGRAM ONE STRANAHAN SQUARE - SUITE 532 TOLEDO, OHIO 43604 (419) 244-3053

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Family and Child Abuse Prevention through a \$15,400 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. The program is available by telephone from 8:30a.m. to 5:00p.m. and will assist in the negotiation of the legal system through court accompaniment, and provide community referral/support to victims of domestic violence.

Project Summary:

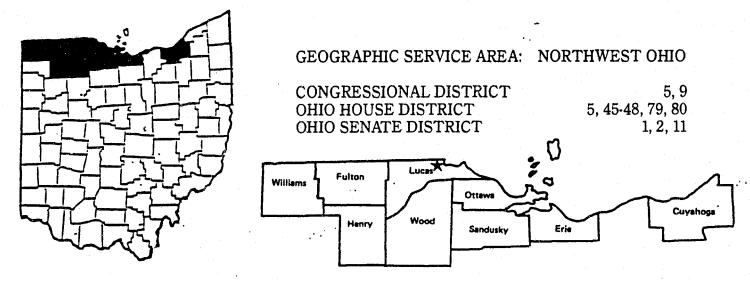
"An Adult Advocate establishes a one-on-one trusting relationship with a victim of domestic violence. The Adult Advocate assists the victim through the court system and provides support and understanding."



The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the YWCA Rape Crisis Center through a \$11,800 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$28,186 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: 24-hour, seven day a week crisis telephone and direct contact support for victims and families in hospitals, homes, police departments and court systems by staff and volunteers. Additional services include support groups and community education about sexual assault, and training for police, medical, legal and social services professionals.

Project Summary:

"This project will maintain current services of the Rape Crisis Center. In addition, the increase in client services and continuing supportive services to counties beyond our primary service area require that funding for 24-hour telephone service be increased to meet the needs of these clients and ensure quality services and continuity of care for existing and future clients."



YWCA BATTERED WOMEN'S SHELTER 1018 JEFFERSON AVENUE TOLEDO, OHIO 43624 (419) 241-3235

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the YWCA Battered Women's Center through a \$10,100 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include: crisis, individual and group counseling, emergency food and clothing, needs assessment and referral to appropriate resources for medical, legal, financial, education, social and vocational services.

Project Summary:

"The YWCA Battered Women's Shelter is requesting funds for three needs. Our first need is to bring our staffing pattern up to 24 hours per day for at least 5 days per week, and 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 a.m. two days a week . . . the second and third are equipment needs. We are requesting a computer and printer . . . We also are in need of two freezer units . . ."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: LUCAS COUNTY

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT OHIO SENATE DISTRICT 5, 9 5, 45-48, 79, 80 1, 2, 11



LUCAS COUNTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEY VICTIM/WITNESS ASSISTANCE PROJECT LUCAS COUNTY COURTHOUSE TOLEDO, OHIO 43624 (419) 245-4700

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Lucas County Prosecuting Attorney through a \$16,200 grant from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$41,579 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. The project staff/office will provide a central contact point for victims with the criminal justice system and help these persons to obtain medical assistance, counseling, emergency shelter, and information on case processing. Staff will also provide assistance in filing for compensation under the Ohio Victims of Crime Compensation Program.

Project Summary:

"Victim Assistance, with support of VOCA, was this past year, graduating its first class of victim assistance volunteers. Currently, VOCA supports 50% of the Program Director and Assistant Director. This project proposes that 75% of both positions be funded and an additional position of project specialist be added. The specialist will work with elderly crime victims and develop services for the Hispanic community."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: MAHONING COUNTY

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CHILDREN'S AND FAMILY SERVICE CRIME VICTIM SERVICE PROGRAM 535 MARMION AVENUE YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO 44502 (216) 782-5664

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Children's and Family Service through a \$8,400 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$29,670 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. The Crime Victim Service Program provides 24-hour crisis counseling including referral, follow up, support and short-term counseling for victims and families, and community education.

Project Summary:

"Family Service of Youngstown will provide comprehensive services to victims of past sexual assault and other victims of crime. The project goals will be to provide emotional assistance to victims and to support and accompany victims as they move through the medical and legal systems. We will provide 24-hour crisis intervention, follow-up, police and court-related service and victim assistance service. We will continue to coordinate activities with the Mahoning County Prosecutor, the Mahoning County Children's Services Board and Help Hotline in order to maintain consistent and integrated service to victims."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: MAHONING COUNTY

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MAHONING COUNTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEY VICTIM ASSISTANCE 120 MARKET STREET, 3RD FLOOR YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO 44503 (216) 740-2330

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Mahoning County Prosecuting Attorney through a \$6,300 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$42,156 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: Contacting the victim within one week of the victimization, at which time an explanation of services will be given by phone or letter; notification of case development will be made by letter or whenever possible by phone; court accompaniment to all hearings beginning at the Grand Jury level; explanation of reparation forms will be done as needed; and referrals to appropriate agencies will be made as necessary.

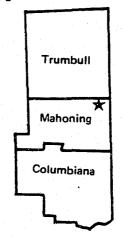
Project Summary:

"This proposal provides for general program continuation at an adequate level to compensate for increased crime, an additional county judgeship and the laws now affecting juvenile victims. It allows the retention of the current two member staff, at their current rate of pay, and includes a third position, a Juvenile Coordinator/Assistant, which will allow the program to continue, and to do so in an effective and professional manner."



HELP HOTLINE, INC. P. O. BOX 46 YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO 44501 (216) 747-5111 GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: MAHONING, COLUMBIANA, TRUMBULL COUNTIES

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The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Help Hotline, Inc. through a \$5,800 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$19,261 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: Hotline crisis intervention, suicide prevention/intervention, information on community resources, emergency assistance for food, temporary shelter, and transportation, reassurance and support, and follow up and advocacy with social services and/or the criminal justice system.

Project Summary:

"Help Hotline, Inc. will serve the population of victims of crime through the comprehensive 24 hour-a-day two county Victims Hotline. Underserved victims of crime, specifically victims of felonious assault and survivors of homicide, will be contacted by the outreach counselor for crisis intervention and linkage to community resources available to assist them. Trained crisis interventionists will respond to service requests from police departments, human services agencies, and victims of crime and their families. A trained 'on-call' outreach counselor is available to coordinate and advocate for community resources to assist victims of crime."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: MAHONING COUNTY VILLAGES OF STRUTHERS, POLAND, LOWELLVILLE, NEW MIDDLETOWN AND NEW SPRINGFIELD

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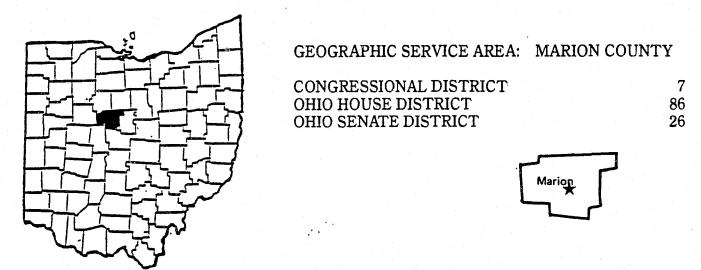


CITY OF STRUTHERS VICTIM/WITNESS PROGRAM 6 ELM STREET STRUTHERS, OHIO 44471 (216) 755-2181

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the City of Struthers through a \$18,888 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include: Information and referral, assistance with filing for compensation, assistance in completing victim impact statements, legal advocacy and property return.

Project Summary:

"To summarize, we feel it is most important that Struthers begin a Victim/Witness Program to provide the victim with the needs of victims that are not currently being met..."



MARION AREA COUNSELING CENTER, INC. 320 EXECUTIVE DRIVE MARION, OHIO 43302 (614) 387-5210

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Marion Area Counseling Center through a \$6,300 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$38,932 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Victim advocates provide emergency assistance, crisis intervention, counseling, advocacy and support, claims assistance, court orientation and advocacy, and community referral and education.

Project Summary:

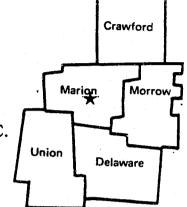
"The Marion Victim Assistance Program has three primary goals: to minimize the trauma and 'second injury' experienced by crime victims in Marion County; to coordinate and target educational efforts in the community to familiarize them with the program's services to crime victims as well as to promote sensitivity and awareness of victim's needs; to reduce the financial impact of crime on victims. This project proposal will employ three victim advocates and a part-time secretary to accomplish these goals. The advocates have and will continue to maintain a close working relationship with the court personnel, law enforcement, prosecutor's office, area hospitals, and community agencies. The advocates review police reports each morning for the identification of victims for follow up. The victim advocates act as a liaison for the victim between the law enforcement officers, prosecutors, court, children services, and/or probation department. The victim advocates escort the victim through the court process providing the emotional support, advocacy and assistance they may need, as well as, apply for any financial assistance that they may be eligible for."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: MARION, CRAWFORD.

MARION, CRAWFORD, DELAWARE, MORROW, UNION COUNTIES

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CONCERNED CITIZENS AGAINST VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN, INC. TURNING POINT

P. O. BOX 822 MARION, OHIO 43301 (614) 382-8988

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Concerned Citizens Against Violence Against Women, Inc. through a \$10,700 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$25,332 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Turning Point provides a comprehensive range of services for battered persons and their children including shelter, a 24-hour, toll-free crisis line, individual and group counseling, legal advocacy, education, and employment and housing assistance.

Project Summary:

"Project One: When a victim of the crime of domestic violence decides to request help to find the means to put an end to that violence, Turning Point can be called. This project seeks funding for a portion of the costs incurred to operate a toll-free crisis line 24 hours a day. For the violence directed at a victim to actually end, frequently a battered person will need to flee from their home. This project would assist with the provision of food and personal supplies to victims and their children while they live at Turning Point's shelter. Project Two: First established in October 1986, Turning Point proposes to continue providing a comprehensive Non-Resident Services Program to victims of domestic violence and their children. Although headquartered in Marion, this program would continue to be made available to persons at locations in all counties served by Turning Point: Crawford, Delaware, Marion, Morrow, Union and Wyandot. Coordinated by a Master's level staff member, the program will primarily use individual and group counseling to assist adults and children in finding the means to end violence being part of their lives, not only presently, but in the future as well."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: MEDINA COUNTY

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MEDINA COUNTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEY VICTIM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM 135 SOUTH JEFFERSON STREET MEDINA, OHIO 44256 (216) 723-9536

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Medina County Prosecuting Attorney through a \$6,225 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$21,420 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: 24-hour crisis intervention, referral, hospital and court advocacy, transportation, case status updates, and assistance with reparation application.

Project Summary:

"The Medina County Prosecuting Attorney's Office is applying for funding of the Medina County Victim Assistance Program. The Program Director will coordinate program activities and conduct a victim advocate volunteer training in order to offer services to a larger group of crime victims. Through the use of the pager system the 24-hour availability for victims of sexual assault and survivors of homicide may be maintained."



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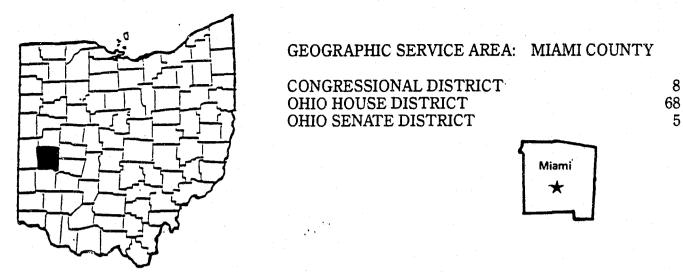


FAMILY CRISIS NETWORK P.O. BOX 632 CELINA, OHIO 45822 (419) 586-1133

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Family Crisis Network through a \$3,500 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include: 24-hour crisis intervention, information and referral, emergency shelter, support groups, and rent assistance and utility deposits.

Project Summary:

"Funds received from the State Victims Assistance Act would be used to keep services at their present level with the possible addition of a women's support group. This agency has been without a paid employee since October, 1990. We are presently seeking a part-time social worker to be the coordinator, as the need proves to be more than just the present group of volunteers can provide. Monies from this grant would also be used to recruit more volunteers and strengthen our volunteer program. We would also like to provide more public education/awareness."

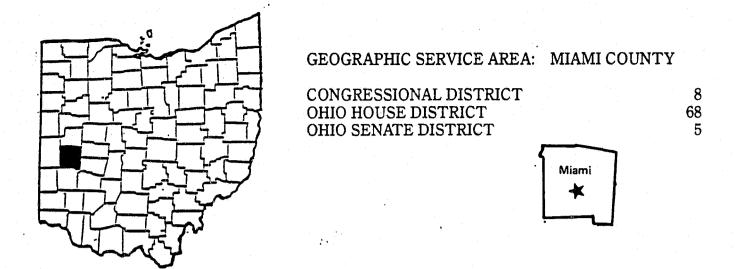


MIAMI COUNTY PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE VICTIM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM 210 WEST MAIN STREET - SAFETY BUILDING TROY, OHIO 45373 (513) 332-7005

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Miami County Prosecutor's Office through a \$20,127 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: emergency services, court related services, support groups, and assists with Victims Compensation.

Project Summary:

"The Miami County Victim Assistance Program proposes to support and advocate for victims of violent crimes. The program intends to accomplish this by continuing to offer emergency services, provide up-to-date case status information, court orientation and escort, offer support groups to victims of sexual assault and the family/friends of homicide and DWI crashes, and make appropriate referrals to other service providers in this county. The advocates will assist all Law Enforcement agents with crimes that are committed against people in order to attempt to develop a better understanding of the system for victims."



FAMILY ABUSE SHELTER OF MIAMI COUNTY 16 EAST FRANKLIN STREET TROY, OHIO 45373 (513) 339-6761

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Family Abuse Shelter of Miami County through a \$8,400 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$16,622 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: temporary emergency housing, crisis intervention, support group counseling, children's support groups, 24-hour crisis phone service, evidence photography, advocacy services with courts, police and social services, transportation assistance and community education for victims of domestic violence.

Project Summary:

"With the requested funds, the Family Abuse Shelter will continue to provide a safe and warm shelter facility with adequate utilities and a good, working phone system. Nutritious meals will be provided and special bland diets will be furnished when the need arises. Victims of violence will get professional advocacy services from the staff, and they will travel to and from appointments with gas provided from this agency for their vehicles. If they do not have a vehicle while staying at the Shelter, the agency staff will be able to transport clients to all necessary appointments with legal and social service providers. Adult males who batter and are referred through the Miami County Court System will participate in educational classes on rage and anger control."



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UPPER VALLEY MEDICAL CENTERS
MIAMI COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH CENTER
1059 NORTH MARKET STREET
TROY, OHIO 45373
(513) 335-7166

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Miami County Mental Health Center through a \$22,050 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include: on-site crisis intervention at the Family Abuse Shelter, crisis intervention for rape and domestic violence victims; offers groups for homicide and DUI survivors, a victims of violent crime group and a sexual abuse survivors group; and assertiveness training for children and adults and Good Touch/Bad Touch training for kids.

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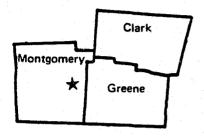
"In a unique and collaborative effort between the Miami County Family Abuse Shelter and the Miami County Victim/Witness Program, the Miami County Mental Health Center requests SVAA funds be used to provide a .5 fte (full-time equivalent) counselor position dedicated to working exclusively with crime victims. This twenty-hour position will provide direct counseling, support and educational services to children and adult crime victims and their families."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: MONTGOMERY,

MONTGOMERY, GREENE, CLARK COUNTIES

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ARTEMIS HOUSE 224 NORTH WILKINSON - SUITE 303 DAYTON, OHIO 45402 (513) 461-4357

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Artemis House through a \$8,400 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$34,332 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: legal assistance through free legal services and support services to victims of domestic violence who are prosecuting the offender, crisis intervention and counseling, general advocacy via case management, advocacy, transportation, outreach and coordination via court outreach projects and volunteer programs.

Project Summary:

"The proposed project includes a continuation of services previously funded by VOCA and court outreach services new to VOCA. All services proposed are geared to address the unique needs of unsheltered domestic violence victims with court outreach services focusing on crime victims who are prosecuting their assailant. Services are designed to assist victims during crisis and to enhance the safety of victims separating from or prosecuting their abuser, recognizing this period to have a high risk for homicide for these victims. Services include counseling/support, advocacy, court accompaniment, crisis intervention and case management."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: MONTGOMERY COUNTY

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YWCA BATTERED WOMAN PROJECT 141 WEST THIRD STREET DAYTON, OHIO 45402 (513) 222-0874

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the YWCA Battered Women Project through a \$18,900 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include: protective shelter for abused women and their children, crisis telephone hotline, case management, legal advocacy, referral, individual, group and family counseling, support groups, community education, and consultation.

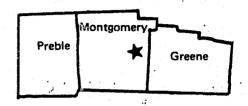
Project Summary:

"The funds requested through the SVAA grant program will be used to supplement the current Shelter Services budget to maintain the existing services as defined within the Services Description portion of this application."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: MONTGOMERY GREENE AND PREBLE COUNTIES

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FAMILY SERVICE ASSOCIATION STOP CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT (SCAN) 184 SALEM AVENUE DAYTON, OHIO 45406 (513) 222-9481

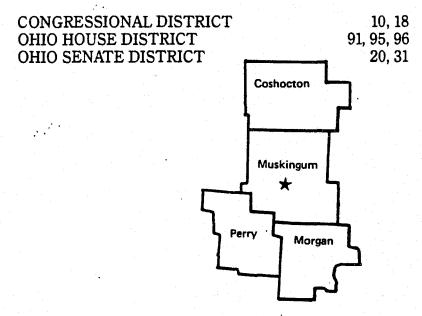
The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Family Service Association through a \$22,050 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include: individual, group and family counseling, a variety of specialized treatment groups in the area of sexual abuse and assault, including groups for pre-teen and teen female victims, adult survivors, non-offending parents of sexually abused children, and adult and adolescent sexual offenders.

Project Summary:

"SCAN is requesting funds to increase treatment services by adding a full-time MSW level social worker to provide counseling and support to victims of child abuse and sexual assault. This worker's duties would include providing individual, family, and group counseling to victims, providing case management services to help victims obtain needed services from an often overwhelming array of providers, assisting victims to prepare for court appearances, accompanying victims to court, and outreach to child victims identified by professionals in settings such as juvenile detention, inpatient adolescent psychiatric units, runaway youth shelters, and Community Connections school-based program for high-risk youth."



TRANSITIONS, INC. P. O. BOX 226 ZANESVILLE, OHIO 43702 (614) 454-3213 GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: MUSKINGUM, COSHOCTON, MORGAN, PERRY COUNTIES



The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Transitions, Inc. through a \$15,300 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$36,262 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: a crisis shelter, food, clothing, individual and group counseling, and referral services.

Project Summary:

"If our request for funds is approved, we will be able to provide comprehensive services for the victims of domestic violence in the communities we serve. We have requested a 5% increase in salary for the Executive Director position due to increased duties. We have requested a 5% increase in funds for ongoing operational needs, i.e. utilities and supplies. Our new requests are prioritized as follows: increase counselor position from part-time to full-time and funding our outpatient facility."



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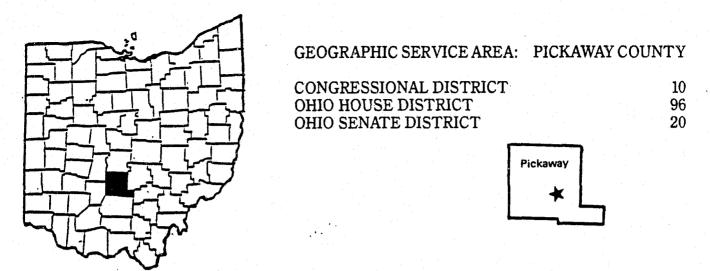


MUSKINGUM AREA COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH BOARD RESPONSE 38 NORTH 4TH STREET ZANESVILLE, OHIO 43701 (614) 454-6001

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Muskingum Area Community Mental Health Board through a \$8,400 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$21,054 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: emotional support, referral for appropriate professional assistance, and assistance through the legal process.

Project Summary:

"If the RESPONSE victim assistance program's request is approved, we will be able to not only continue to provide the much needed advocacy services to victims of domestic and sexual violence, but will be able to provide much more comprehensive services to these victims. Currently, the RESPONSE Director/Advocate contributes 13-15 hours of uncompensated overtime per week as well as the Municipal Advocate's 3-5 hours of uncompensated overtime per week. This is with the current caseload of Muskingum county alone, which is growing daily. With additional services to Perry and Guernsey counties, it is imperative that the additions herein be granted."

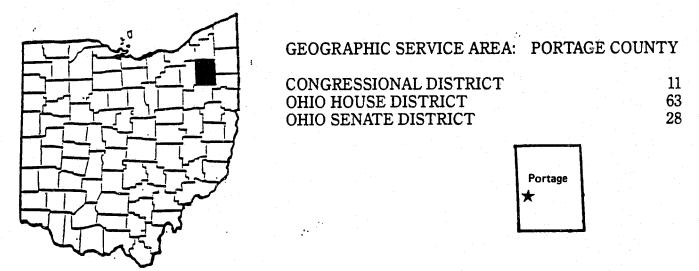


PICKAWAY COUNTY PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE VICTIM/WITNESS DIVISION 124 W. FRANKLIN STREET CIRCLEVILLE, OHIO 43113 (614) 474-6066

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Pickaway County Prosecutor's Office through a \$20,000 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include: twenty-four hour crisis intervention, court advocacy, child-sexual abuse advocacy and intervention, referral, child-care arrangements, court escort, employee intercession, compensation assistance through the Ohio Victims of Crime Program and general advocacy.

Project Summary:

"The Victim/Witness Program of the Pickaway County Prosecutor's Office is applying for SVAA funds in order to implement a full-time program. Currently funding for the program is limited and one-part time advocate started in February, 1991. Law enforcement agencies have been very supportive of the program. They realize that victims have a need and an expectation to obtain fair and humane treatment from the justice system representative. It is the objective of this program to meet the needs and desires of the victims and witnesses by expanding this program."

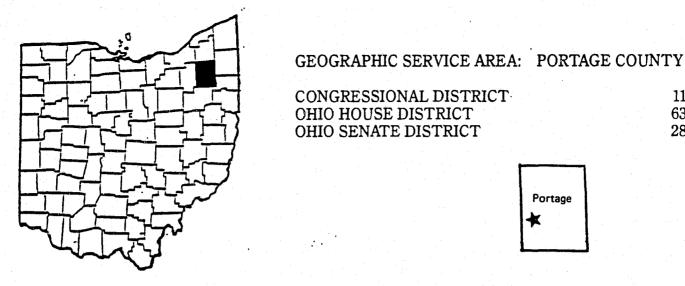


DRUG EDUCATION AND CRISIS INTERVENTION CENTER, INC. TOWNHALL II COUNSELING DEPARTMENT P.O. BOX 781 KENT, OHIO 44240 (216) 678-3006

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Drug Education and Crisis Intervention Center, Inc. through a \$8,800 grant from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$21,252 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Townhall II provides 24-hour crisis intervention services, both phone and walk-in, to victims of crime including child sexual abuse, sexual assault, and domestic violence. Individual and group counseling is available, as is advocacy in court related matters.

Project Summary:

"This project seeks to continue counseling services - both individual and group - to women who have survived rape, incest, and other forms of sexual assault. It seeks to preserve its role as an advocate for survivors, helping them access the services which they need. In addition, this proposal requests funding to continue the development of a special counseling program for male survivors. The proposal is soliciting monies sufficient to hire one part-time male therapist to work individually and in group with men and to work with female survivors and family members who express a strong need to talk to a male counselor."



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FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES OF CATHOLIC CHARITIES SAFER FUTURES 302 NORTH DEPEYSTER STREET KENT, OHIO 44240 (216) 678-3911

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Family and Community Services of Catholic Charities through a \$17,083 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Safer Futures provides a shelter with around-the-clock intake and crisis intervention, legal and personal advocacy services, ongoing support and counseling, a support group, information and referral, financial assistance, and out-of-shelter follow-up.

Project Summary:

"The Women's Advocate Project is designed to ensure that women who reside at SAFER FUTURES receive information, assurance and support as victims of domestic violence. The Women's Advocate accompanies victims through the legal, social and human services channels in order to access all necessary services and assistance available. The Advocate acts as a liaison between the prosecutor's office and victims, aiding in the expedient processing of criminal cases involving domestic violence. The Advocate maintains strong relations with the network of community service providers, in order to assure and better advocate for victims' rights."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: PORTAGE COUNTY

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PORTAGE COUNTY PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE PORTAGE VICTIM ASSISTANCE 466 SOUTH CHESTNUT STREET RAVENNA, OHIO 44266 (216) 297-3850

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Portage County Prosecutor's Office through a \$22,050 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. The program will ensure that the following services are available: crisis intervention, 24-hour counseling and referral, emergency shelter, food, and immediate needs, medical advocacy, legal advocacy, and assistance in filing reparations applications.

Project Summary:

"Through the county's existing victim witness program there is a growing awareness throughout the community of the services available. During the first year of the existing program, over 500 victims were assisted in some way. However, the current project does not provide for immediate on site care."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: PREBLE COUNTY

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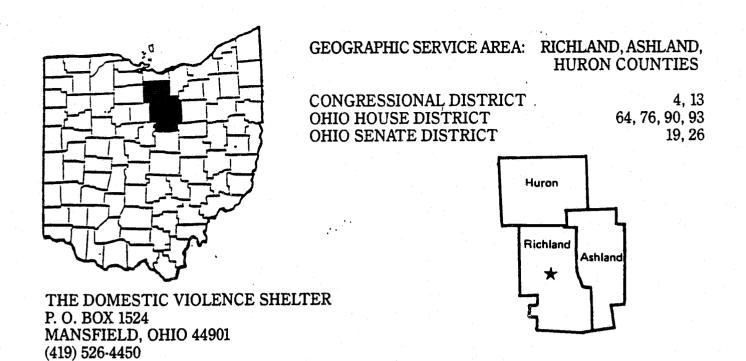


PREBLE COUNTY COUNSELING CENTER VOCA/BATTERED WOMEN'S COUNSELING PROGRAM 225 NORTH BARRON STREET EATON, OHIO 45320 (513) 456-6201

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Preble County Counseling Center through a \$37,016 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: safe temporary shelter, group counseling, case management, food and clothing, transportation, legal advocacy, and networking services with other community service providers.

Project Summary:

"The project is to provide counseling, case management, and sheltering services for victims in Preble county. Through the counseling and case management services clients receive therapeutic intervention, support, advocacy and other types of assistance. Through the shelter we provide an emergent, temporary housing option for victims in need. We have consistently been awarded funding from VOCA and the United Way to provide these services. We have also received funding from marriage license fees and a grant from Prudential Insurance Company."



The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Domestic Violence Shelter through a \$8,400 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$15,362 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: protection, emergency housing, food and clothing, crisis intervention, emotional support, and referrals for women and children who are victims of domestic violence. The agency also provides peer support groups, advocacy, a 24-hour crisis line, community linkage, prevention and referral for alcohol/drug abuse problems, and on-going public education and awareness activities.

Project Summary:

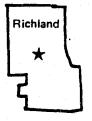
"Project One: The volunteer program consists of careful screening for appropriate volunteers; 10-24 hour training (depending on job position); 8 hour on-the-job training; and on-going evaluations every 6 months. Currently we have the following job positions available to applicants; Client Advocate, Child-Care Aide, Crisis Call Intake, and Facility Support, (i.e. Maintenance, grocery shopping, donation, transportation). Our training is specialized for each job position, in addition to a brief general orientation on the Shelter's philosophies. If volunteers would like to move into another job area besides the one they have been trained in they would need approval of the Volunteer Coordinator and the Executive Director and they would need to complete the appropriate additional training. Project Two: The Client Advocate Program will consist of providing direct service to victims of domestic violence, their families and significant others. The Advocate will provide outreach support-advocacy in all three counties served, assistance in filing victims compensation, as well as case management services and individual counseling. The Client Advocate will also begin a survivors of homicide support group, for those who have lost a family member through domestic violence."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: RICHLAND COUNTY

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CENTER FOR INDIVIDUAL AND FAMILY SERVICES, A.S.A.P. 741 SCHOLL ROAD MANSFIELD, OHIO 44907 (419) 756-1717

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Center for Individual and Family Services through a \$13,040 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services are provided to anyone who has experienced the realities of sexual assault. These services include a telephone crisis line, short-term counseling for survivors, their families and significant others, advocacy for survivors wanting support through police investigation and the medical/judicial systems, and assistance in obtaining victim's compensation.

Project Summary:

"The purpose for this proposal is to provide services to survivors of sexual assault. It is imperative that survivors, their families, and significant others of this violent crime receive emotional support and advocacy throughout the complex medical/legal, judicial process, and assistance with victim's compensation. Our goal is to have trained staff that are well equipped to empower survivors in the aforementioned areas. This will, in turn, decrease the survivors apprehension in prosecuting their cases. We recognize that the victimization will affect their life, but with the services provided by A.S.A.P., they can begin working on putting the experience into a manageable light and then go on."



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RICHLAND COUNTY PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE VICTIM ASSISTANCE DIVISION 38 SOUTH PARK STREET MANSFIELD, OHIO 44902 (419) 522-1151

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Richland County Prosecutor's Office through a \$10,000 grant from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$27,581 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. The Victim Assistance Program provides felony crime victims with victim notification on all case proceedings, assistance with completing a victim impact statement, assistance in applying for Crime Victims Compensation, supportive counseling for victims, referrals to local cooperative community agencies, and court accompaniment.

Project Summary:

"The Victims Assistance Program will continue to serve as a central contact for felony crime victims in Richland County. We will continue to contact the victims to keep them informed about their case, refer victims to community agencies that can provide assistance to them, and make victims of violent crimes aware that they can apply for Crime Victim's Compensation. Victims Assistance will continue to advocate on behalf of victims served, and bring victim's problems, concerns, or fears related to the case to the attention of the Prosecutor, Judge, Probation Dept., or law enforcement. We will also continue to assist with restitution and the return of property held as evidence."



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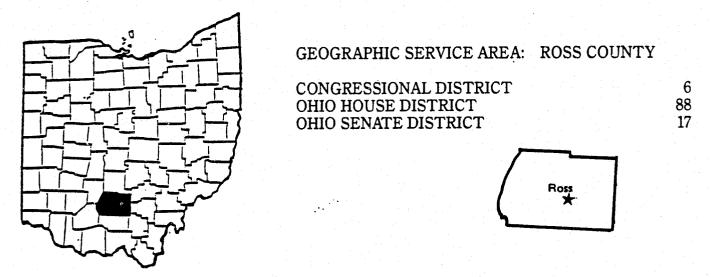
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MANSFIELD MUNICIPAL COURT VICTIM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM 30 NORTH DIAMOND STREET MANSFIELD, OHIO 44902 (419) 755-9667

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Mansfield Municipal Court through a \$20,404 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. The Victim Assistance Program provides supportive counseling, assistance in filing charges, information regarding the status of their cases, direction on how and where to seek additional counseling and/or help as needed, financial assistance, and recovery for damages, if requested.

Project Summary:

"The Mansfield Municipal Court's Victim's Assistance Program is designed to provide both supportive counseling as well as serving as a liaison between the Court, other service agencies, law enforcement and the legal community, and the victim. It is providing greater access to the justice system for victims of crime, keeping them more informed about the processes along with where their individual cases stand in the system. The director is able to direct a victim of a crime to any necessary special counseling which may be warranted, by keeping close working relationships with the community agencies. Crime impact statements along with other records of each case are maintained and made available to the judges when a case is under consideration for disposal. The director also helps law enforcement officers when requests for assistance are made, resulting in those officers becoming more willing to refer victims of a crime to the program. Finally, the program director has been working actively throughout the public and private sectors to inform the public about the rights of victims of a crime and what help is available."



ROSS COUNTY COALITION AGAINST DOMESTIC VIOLENCE P.O. BOX 1727 CHILLICOTHE, OHIO 45601 (614) 775-5396

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Ross County Coalition Against Domestic Violence through a \$11,600 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Victims of domestic violence are provided with temporary shelter, legal aid, transportation, food, referrals, supportive counseling, and accompaniment to Court, to meet with attorneys and when making contacts with law enforcement personnel.

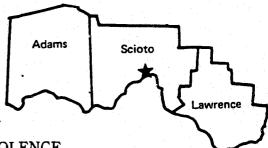
Project Summary:

"The Coalition Against Domestic Violence has two major focuses in its program to aid victims/ survivors of domestic violence. One focus is providing emergency assistance through referrals from the Crisis Center, other agencies or self, and the second is providing assistance with criminal justice actions. Victims/survivors are provided with temporary shelter, legal aid, transportation, food, and a variety of services as needed."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: SCIOTO, ADAMS, LAWRENCE COUNTIES





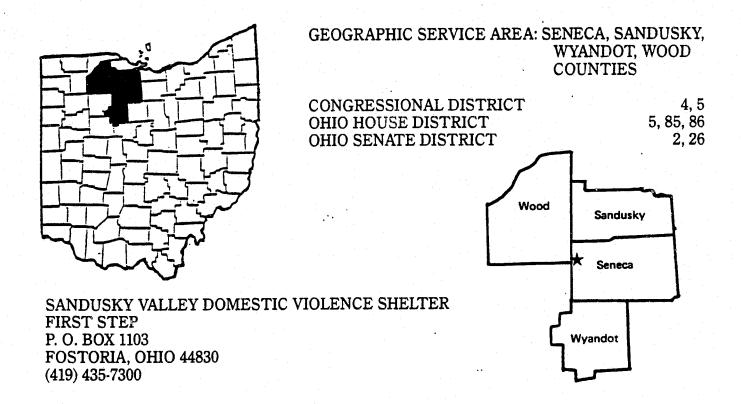
SOUTHERN OHIO TASK FORCE ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

P. O. BOX 754 PORTSMOUTH, OHIO 45662 (614) 456-8217

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Southern Ohio Task Force on Domestic Violence through a \$8,625 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$29,227 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: emergency shelter, crisis counseling and intervention, a support group and children's program, transportation, and legal advocacy to victims of domestic violence along with their children. The Task Force is accessible by a 24-hour hotline and provides referrals to medical, legal and counseling services.

Project Summary:

"The Southern Ohio Task Force on Domestic Violence requests the existing three positions plus 1 contract worker be re-funded with 5% increases for our full-time position. Our secondary priority is to obtain funding for a third Residential Supervisor position to enable us to put our Residential Supervisors on 8 hour shifts. Our third priority is to obtain funding for health insurance for our second Residential Supervisor. We realize we must put up a 25% cash match in the amount of \$13,008 to obtain the necessary VOCA funding for these projects."



The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Sandusky Valley Domestic Violence Shelter through a \$8,551 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$18,200 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. First Step services include a 24-hour crisis line, legal advocacy, children programs/advocacy, prevention programs, transportation, outreach services, shelter, encounter groups, and parenting programs.

Project Summary:

"The 1990-1992 grant proposal's primary goal is to continue VOCA funding 2,080 hours of the Children's Program Director's salary, enabling First Step to keep the position at full-time. Thus, enabling the children's program to continue as it has evolved to date and allow for the enhancement of the delivery of services to the children and continue interagency networking."

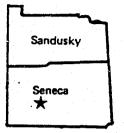


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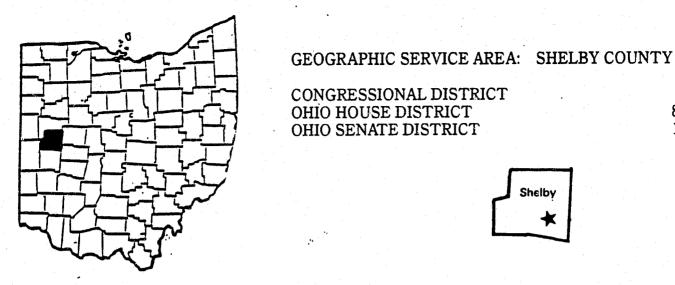


SENECA COUNTY COURT APPOINTED SPECIAL ADVOCATES 174 JEFFERSON STREET, P.O. BOX 623 TIFFIN, OHIO 44883 (419) 448-1442

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Seneca County Court Appointed Special Advocates through a \$10,000 grant awarded from the State Victims of Crime Act. The program screens, trains, and supervises volunteer Guardians Ad Litem appointed by a judge to speak up for abused and neglected children in Juvenile Court. The CASA investigates the circumstances surrounding the child by interviewing the child, parents, other relatives, school personnel, social worker, foster parent, counselor, etc; reviews records; attends court hearings; and observes the child with family members. The CASA makes an unbiased, objective recommendation to the court as to what the CASA believes is in the best interest of the child.

Project Summary:

"In order that we can properly train and supervise individuals who are selected to be CASA volunteer Guardian Ad Litem and to ensure that our existing program continues to grow we are requesting funding of \$25,200 which represents four segments of our program."



SHELBY COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE 203 EAST COURT STREET SIDNEY, OHIO 45365-3085 (513) 498-1111

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Shelby County Sheriff's Office through a \$22,050 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include: information about the criminal justice process, victim impact statements, emergency assistance at the scene of a crime, transportation, 24-hour hotline, court escort services, referral of cases to community based organizations, and community education program.

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Project Summary:

"Intend to operate our Victims Assistance Unit to 40 hours per week instead of 20 hours per week as done in previous years."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: STARK COUNTY

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CHILD AND ADOLESCENT SERVICE CENTER 1226 MARKET AVENUE, NORTH CANTON, OHIO 44714 (216) 454-3840

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Child and Adolescent Service Center through a \$10,500 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$63,118 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. This program provides a comprehensive and professionally staffed treatment center for sexually abused children. These services include crisis counseling, diagnostic assessment, individual psychotherapy, expert court testimony, mother's support group, teen support group, and community consultation. Also provides information to victims on monies available to them from the Ohio Court of Claims.

Project Summary:

"The Child and Family Advocacy Program supports the multidisciplinary approach to the investigation of sexual abuse of children by providing a neutral, non-institutional, home-like setting in which professionals having the legal responsibility to intervene in such cases can meet with child victims and one another. The goals of the Program are to prevent the trauma often experienced by the child from multiple contacts with responding professionals; enhance interagency coordination, communication, and cooperation; provide the family with needed services and assist them in regaining maximum functioning; and hold more offenders accountable through improved prosecution of the child abuse cases. Child and Adolescent Center (CASC) is seeking funds in order to maintain the current level of funding for the Child and Family Advocacy Program . . . Prior to VOCA Grant funding, clients waited weeks and months for services . . ."



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AMERICAN RED CROSS OF STARK COUNTY RAPE CRISIS CENTER 618 SECOND STREET, N.W. CANTON, OHIO 44703 (216) 453-0146

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the American Red Cross of Stark County through a \$22,050 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include: crisis intervention, supportive services such as follow-up counseling and prosecutorial and professional advocacy services.

Project Summary:

"We respectfully submit this proposal to your agency seeking funds in the amount of \$25,740 to help us continue to provide direct services to Stark County's ever increasing targeted populace."



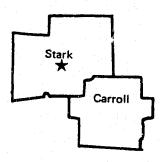
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROJECT BATTERED WOMEN'S SHELTER P.O. BOX 9432 CANTON, OHIO 44711 (216) 452-6000

GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: STARK/CARROLL

COUNTIES

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT OHIO SENATE DISTRICT

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The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Battered Women's Shelter through a \$5,513 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$15,116 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include a temporary emergency shelter, re-education programs, group therapy, and one-on-one counseling.

Project Summary:

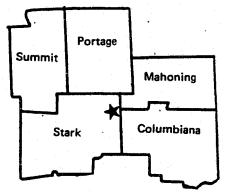
"The Child Counselor program began August 1, 1989. In 1990, a total of 277 children resided at the shelter, and the benefit and advantage of having this program is immeasurable. The shelter serves Stark and Carroll Counties and is open to all women and their children who are experiencing domestic violence."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: STARK, PORTAGE,
MAHONING, COLUMBIANA
AND SUMMIT COUNTIES

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT OHIO SENATE DISTRICT

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P.A.C.E., INC. ALLIANCE AREA DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SHELTER P.O. BOX 3622 ALLIANCE, OHIO 44601 (216) 823-7223

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to P.A.C.E., Inc. through a \$21,945 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include: 24-hour, seven day a week crisis hotline, temporary emergency shelter, food, personal care items, laundry facilities, transportation, telephone services, counseling, case work, referral and follow-up, support groups, financial planning, supervised child care, volunteer programming, and community education.

Project Summary:

"The Alliance Area Domestic Violence Shelter is requesting \$18,720 for salary increases. The extra \$3,800 is to keep the Assistant Director/Volunteer Coordinator full-time. The shelter is beginning to show wear. The roof has deteriorated with age and needs to be replaced. Cost is \$3,225."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: STARK COUNTY

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT
OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT
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STARK COUNTY PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE VICTIM/WITNESS DIVISION P. O. BOX 20049 - COURTHOUSE ANNEX CANTON, OHIO 44701-0049 (216) 438-0946

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Stark County Prosecutor's Office through a \$15,200 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$36,000 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include contacting victims of all serious crime based on police reports that the Victim/Witness Division receives from Stark County law enforcement agencies. The program offers crisis intervention, counseling, information and referral, and court advocacy.

Project Summary:

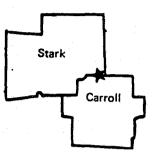
"The proposal will allow the Stark County Prosecutor's Victim Assistance Program to continue to employ staff and volunteers to provide crisis intervention, social service agency referral, and court advocacy to victims of specialized crime areas such as rape, domestic violence and child abuse. In addition, we will be able to continue providing service to victims of traumatic misdemeanor offenses and to give additional services to elderly victims of crime. We were unable to serve many of these categories prior to receiving VOCA and SVAA funding in 1986, and our ability to continue serving these victims depends on approval of this proposal."



MINERVA POLICE DEPARTMENT 209 N. MARKET STREET MINERVA, OHIO 44657 (216) 468-4177 GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: MINERVA VILLAGE IN STARK AND CARROLL COUNTIES

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT OHIO SENATE DISTRICT 16, 18 97

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The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Minerva Police Department through a \$8,000 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include a crisis line, court advocacy, transportation, referrals and support services.

Project Summary:

"The proposed budget for 1991-92 State Victim Assistance Grant includes salaries and benefits, training, telephone, supplies/groceries, travel, printing and emergency funds for victims."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: SUMMIT COUNTY

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT OHIO SENATE DISTRICT 13, 14 41-44, 69 27, 28



FURNACE STREET MISSION, INC. VICTIM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM P. O. BOX 444 AKRON, OHIO 44309 (216) 376-0040

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Furnace Street Mission, Inc. through a \$20,000 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$49,967 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: crisis intervention for all victims of crime, information about procedures, location of various offices, notification of various dates, referral to other pertinent agencies, accompaniment and support. Temporary shelter is also provided.

Project Summary:

"VAP has had to operate over the years, below standard equivalent salaries. As such it has provided considerable and worthy service at a remarkably low cost. As victim programs have proliferated, it has been observed that comparable positions are generally \$3,000.00 higher. In some cases, positions with considerably less responsibility and activity are significantly higher. The 1990 grant approved salary changes raising the Victim-Witness position to \$18,000 from \$15,000 and the Supervisor's salary to \$20,000 annually. This has been of considerable help in attracting and keeping solid staff. It is vitally important that we maintain these three positions. In light of the sheer activity across the criminal justice system they are the front line of assistance for all crime victims. VAP is requesting only a cost of living adjustment of 5% as has been granted in the past."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: SUMMIT COUNTY

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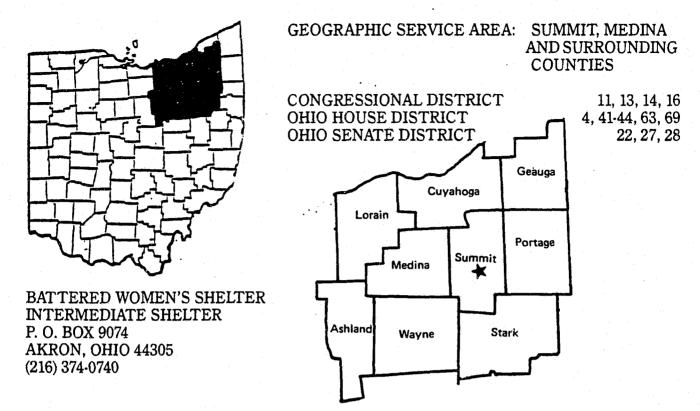


BATTERED WOMENS SHELTER LEGAL ADVOCACY PROGRAM P.O. BOX 9074 AKRON, OHIO 44305 (216) 374-0740

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Battered Womens Shelter through a \$18,955 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. The Legal Advocacy Program assists battered women in obtaining legal assistance and accessing other community services.

Project Summary:

"The goal of the Battered Women's Shelter Legal Advocacy Program is to assist domestic violence victims in accessing appropriate legal and community services. Two Legal Advocate staff and four volunteers interview and counsel victims who file domestic violence complaints. These advocates are trained to explain the legal remedies available to victims and make referrals to other appropriate community services which can assist with the victim's safety and well-being."



The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Battered Women's Shelter through a \$22,778 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: a 24-hour crisis helpline, emergency shelter for victims of abuse, counseling, referrals, advocacy, emergency food, clothing, transportation, and general assistance. The agency also offers a community support group and a speakers bureau.

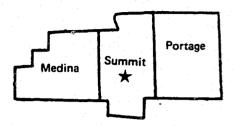
Project Summary:

"The shelter facilities and related programs are the central focus of the services offered by Battered Women's Shelter. Victims contact the agency through the 24 hour crisis helpline which is manned by volunteers specially trained through a Crisis Intervention Training Program. Women requesting shelter are transported to the Crisis Center where they can stay for 7-10 days while they review alternatives to their abusive home lives. If a woman decides to leave an abusive relationship to start an independent life, she is offered the option of staying in the Intermediate Shelter for a period of 30 days. Funding from Victims of Crime Assistance is requested to maintain adequate staffing of the Intermediate Shelter."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: SUMMIT, MEDINA, PORTAGE COUNTIES

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT OHIO SENATE DISTRICT 11, 13, 14 4, 41-44, 63, 69, 93 19, 22, 27, 28



AKRON AREA YWCA RAPE CRISIS CENTER 670 WEST EXCHANGE AKRON, OHIO 44302 (216) 253-6131

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Akron Area YWCA Rape Crisis Center through a \$9,000 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$19,427 from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include a 24-hour crisis hotline, hospital/courtroom advocacy to offer support throughout medical and legal procedures, and in-office crisis counseling for victims of rape/sexual assault.

Project Summary:

"The entire YWCA's 1991-92 VOCA request is for continuation of our presently supported victim/survivor services. VOCA funding will support a portion of the expenses for two staff positions, both currently in existence within the Rape Crisis Program. We request the funding of these two positions due to the fact that these are the employees who reach and help victims directly in their on-going duties and responsibilities. The remainder of the request will support on-going operations of the Rape Crisis Hotline, including the state-wide toll-free crisis hotline. These VOCA grant monies support our on-going and growing efforts to serve the needs of rape and sexual assault survivors within our community and around the state."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: SUMMIT COUNTY

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OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT
OHIO SENATE DISTRICT

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SUMMIT COUNTY PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE VICTIM SERVICES DIVISION 53 EAST CENTER STREET - 7TH FLOOR AKRON, OHIO 44308 (216) 379-2788

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Summit County Prosecutor's Office through a \$25,364 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. The Victims Services Division provides assistance in completing victim impact statements, referral, and court related information to victims of crime.

Project Summary:

"VOCA funding will allow the Victim Services Division of the Summit County Prosecutor's office to continue coordinating local services to victims of crime. The Victim Services Coordinator will quickly identify victims and refer them to the agency best staffed to meet specific needs. Our Coordinator will oversee the completion of victim impact statements and accompany victims to court proceedings. We will train volunteers from victim-oriented agencies to assist victims through the judicial process and publish pamphlets which explain the structure of the Common Pleas Court. The Coordinator will act as a liaison between victims, victim advocates, and prosecuting attorneys, and maintain a statistical data base on victim-related crimes."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: SUMMIT COUNTY

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT OHIO SENATE DISTRICT 13, 14 41-44, 69 27, 28



CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL MEDICAL CENTER OF AKRON FAMILY RECOVERY CENTER 281 LOCUST STREET AKRON, OHIO 44308 (216) 379-8984

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Act provides financial support to Children's Hospital Medical Center of Akron through a \$34,280 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services include individual, group and family treatment modes, and professional and community education and training in the treatment of child sexual abuse.

Project Summary:

"With the support of a VOCA grant the Family Recovery Center has been able to fund the position of Coordinator of Victim Services. This individual provides court-ready psychological assessments of victims and expert testimony during legal proceedings, and additionally coordinates all victim psychotherapeutic services offered at the Center and trains community professionals in diagnosis and treatment of child victims, creating a pool of trained professionals in the area. We also hope to increase the availability of child psychotherapeutic services by contracting with additional agencies to provide child therapists to the Center."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: NORTHERN SUMMIT COUNTY

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT OHIO SENATE DISTRICT 13, 14 41-44, 69 27, 28



TWINSBURG COMMUNITY CENTER VICTIMS/CRISIS INTERVENTION PROGRAM 8776 HARVARD ROAD TWINSBURG, OHIO 44087 (216) 425-4432

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Twinsburg Community Center through a \$22,050 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. The Victims/Crisis Intervention Program offers a 24-hour hotline, short and long term counseling, support for children and families of abuse and/or kidnapping, rape crisis support, spousal abuse support, and support for families of murder victims. Referrals are made to free legal counselors and also to various other agencies. The program also provides emergency housing, food, clothing, help for victims of arson and robbery, and assistance with filing victims compensation reparation forms. The victim also has access for transportation and court escort.

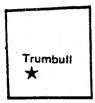
Project Summary:

"Victims/Crisis Intervention is a victim service provider. Our plans are to continue to be of assistance to victims of crime and people in crisis. We will do this by continuing our increased availability of court appearances, doctor, police, attorney and social service appointments for our clients. We plan to hold work shops as well as to attend workshops and network. We will continue to work with the police departments and to teach adults and children to identify and how to handle themselves in abusive situations. We use the media to inform the communities of our services. We use posters and brochures and business cards for distribution to public buildings for awareness. We are always recruiting and training new volunteers for our 24-hour hotline. We will continue our public service announcements and to coordinate with other service providers for victims of crime. We will continue to meet monthly with volunteer and advisory board members to keep the lines of communication open and to do problem solving together."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: TRUMBULL COUNTY

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TRUMBULL COUNTY PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE VICTIM/WITNESS DIVISION 160 HIGH STREET, N.W. WARREN, OHIO 44481 (216) 841-0551

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Trumbull County Prosecutor's Office through a \$36,541 from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: assistance with filing reparation applications, victim impact statements, case status updates, parole follow-ups, courtroom advocacy, property recovery, and transportation to court.

Project Summary:

"Our project will continue to employ a full-time Coordinator a part-time Administrative Assistant and a part-time Courtroom Advocate to provide 93 hours of victim assistance per week at a total cost of \$50,507 for the 12 month grant period. Of that amount, we request \$36,576 in VOCA funds to be matched with \$13,931 in county funds. The project also seeks \$500 for general office supplies. This program will utilize interns/volunteers as available."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: TRUMBULL COUNTY

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT OHIO SENATE DISTRICT

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SOMEPLACE SAFE, INC. P. O. BOX 282 WARREN, OHIO 44482 (216) 393-3003

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Someplace Safe, Inc. through a \$6,800 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$28,685 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Someplace Safe, Inc. offers shelter, crisis intervention, transportation, client follow-up, court accompaniment, police escort, legal advocacy, and social agency advocacy/referral.

Project Summary:

"All full-time employees are involved in crisis intervention counseling, community education, case management and individual counseling. The Victim Advocate serves as liaison for the clients and the agency. The Advocate provides information and emotional support during court hearings, police escorts, etc. and offers guidance in ways to speak and act during court proceedings. Transportation is provided by the Advocate since public transportation is limited in the county. Lastly, follow-up visits or phone calls are made after they leave the shelter. The Coordinator of Volunteer Services recruits, interviews, trains, and schedules volunteers. Through the distribution of the newsletter, 'Stepping Stone', and the use of the Speakers Bureau, the needs of the shelter are communicated as well as increasing the community's awareness of domestic violence. The Coordinator supervises the self esteem sessions and provides case management. She records, acknowledges, and distributes all donations made to the shelter."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: TUSCARAWAS COUNTY

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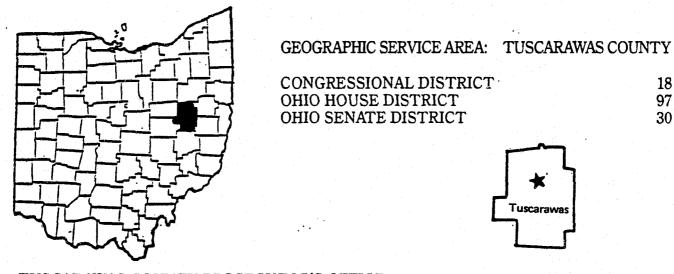
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HARBOR HOUSE, INC. P.O.BOX 435 NEW PHILADELPHIA, OHIO 44663 (216) 343-2778

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Harbor House, Inc. through a \$13,200 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$31,186 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: a 24-hour crisis line, a safe temporary emergency shelter and transitional shelter, advocacy, information and referral, crisis intervention counseling, weekly treatment groups, transportation, and childcare.

Project Summary:

"Harbor House, Inc. proposes to provide quality services to victims of domestic violence. Services will include, but not limited to: 24 hour crisis line, temporary safe shelter, treatment for domestic violence issues, both individual and group; advocacy and support; transportation; volunteer training, and child care. Services will be timely, professional and cost effective."



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TUSCARAWAS COUNTY PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE VICTIM/WITNESS ASSISTANCE PROGRAM COURTHOUSE NEW PHILADELPHIA, OHIO 44663 (216) 364-8811

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Tuscarawas County Prosecutor's Office through a \$15,650 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act. Services provided include: notification of court proceedings, referral, advocacy, assistance in preparing victim impact statements and in filing for crime victim reparations.

Project Summary:

"The Tuscarawas County Prosecutor's Office has operated a limited victim assistance program over the past few years to the extent that allocated county funds were available."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: UNION COUNTY

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT OHIO SENATE DISTRICT 7 87 3



CHARLES B. MILLS CENTER, INC. 715 SOUTH PLUM STREET MARYSVILLE, OHIO 43040 (513) 644-9192

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Charles B. Mills Center, Inc. through a \$8,400 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$19,844 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. The Center provides immediate crisis intervention which includes telephone and face-to-face counseling, physical needs such as temporary lodging, food, clothing, and emotional support and encouragement to victims as they proceed in the criminal justice system. Transportation to court, legal referral, arrangements for childcare, on-going counseling services, and emotional support and guidance are also offered.

Project Summary:

"The VOCA project of the Mills Center is a comprehensive crisis program. It entails coordinated effort with law enforcement in the area of general crime with the targeted aspect of domestic violence. A crisis worker is available 24-hours a day, 7-days a week for crisis intervention with victims. Most victims are referred by law enforcement through emergency paging of the VOCA on-call therapist. The VOCA project is also providing initial assessment/treatment of all sexually abused children and adult survivors of incest. The Mills Center VOCA program is dedicated to victim's rights and dignity. We accept the responsibility to assist victims through the stages of victimization from the initial impact to reorganization, regardless of the type of crime."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: WARREN COUNTY

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT OHIO SENATE DISTRICT 6 84



WARREN COUNTY FAMILY ABUSE SHELTER 570 NORTH STATE ROUTE 741 LEBANON, OHIO 45036 (513) 933-1107

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Warren County Family Abuse Shelter through a \$11,600 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$22,019 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include emergency crisis shelter, a 24-hour crisis hotline response, client advocacy (legal and social service), a children's therapeutic program, parenting skills training, community education, and support group counseling.

Project Summary:

"Project proposes the continued provisions of adequate and reliable staffing of the Warren County Family Abuse Shelter during evening and weekend hours, as provided by the existing House Manager and House Monitors. In addition, project proposes continued assistance with operational expenses of telephone and shelter travel. A new part-time position is also proposed for FY 92 of Victim Advocate. Advocate would provide legal and related advocacy for victims with the criminal justice system. This would provide for more effective interactions with the court and provide better service to the client."



EVE, INC. P. O. BOX 122 MARIETTA, OHIO 45750 (614) 374-5819

GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: WASHINGTON, NOBLE COUNTIES

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT OHIO HOUSE DISTRICT OHIO SENATE DISTRICT 10, 18 96, 99

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The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Eve, Inc. through a \$10,500 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$20,472 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: telephone hotline support, shelter, legal advocacy, support groups, rural outreach, children's programming, community education, school prevention programs, counseling, and information and referral.

Project Summary:

"Project One: The Advocate Team described in this proposal retains, with some modification, a very effective victim advocacy project that has been in existence for eighteen months. This project has significantly increased victim use of and satisfaction with legal remedies of domestic violence. In the next year the project will continue to build on cooperative relationships with the court, law enforcement and other social service providers by increasing interaction with rural law enforcement agencies and by developing comprehensive follow up services to all victims of family violence that we serve in order to insure continued acess to existing remedies and to foster the improved delivery of service. Project Two: The transitional housing project will provide sheltered clients an extended period in which to acquire or refine independent living skills, acquire or enhance job skills, seek affordable housing and continue to receive a wide range of personal support services. With the assistance of the Transitional House Coordinator and a stable living situation the likelihood of clients being able to effect permanent long term changes to peaceful, healthy, productive families will be greatly enhanced. Transitional housing will provide a genuine alternative to the violence battered women and children must often return to for lack of a choice."

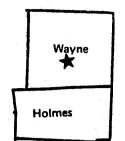


EVERY WOMAN'S HOUSE 237 NORTH WALNUT WOOSTER, OHIO 44691 (216) 263-6021

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WAYNE AND HOLMES COUNTIES

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The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to Every Woman's House through a \$8,400 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$23,199 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: telephone hotline, support, shelter, advocacy/victims assistance, children's programming, community/school education, individual and group counseling, and information and referral.

Project Summary:

"The projected proposal is to fund a Victims Assistance Program. Incorporated into the program are a Victim's Advocate, a Group Facilitator, and a Night Manager. Essential assistance is provided to victims of domestic violence. Advocacy, court escorts, testimonies, and assistance with completing forms are a few of the activities that the Advocate will offer to victims. The Group Facilitator will provide treatment services concerning issues of self-esteem, assertiveness, and decision-making. The Night Manager allows for staff coverage of the shelter providing a necessary link with the victims. The Program is an effort to provide a smooth delivery of services to victims of domestic violence."



GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA: WILLIAMS COUNTY

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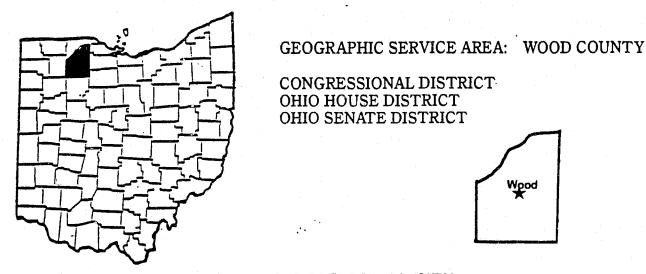


WILLIAMS COUNTY PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE VICTIM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM 1210 WEST HIGH STREET BRYAN, OHIO 43506 (419) 636-3151

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Williams County Prosecutor's Office through a \$14,700 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$37,479 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. The purpose of the program is to reach the victim of crime as soon as possible after the crime occurs in order to help the victim overcome the effects of the crime. This includes crisis intervention on an on-call basis, information and support with court proceedings, victim transportation, referral to other service agencies (both public and private), and assistance in filing for reimbursement for medical expenses and lost wages with the Ohio Court of Claims.

Project Summary:

"This proposal seeks to continue funding the current victim assistance program in Wiliams County. The VOCA grant provides for crisis intervention on a 24 hour basis, assistance in obtaining medical attention, accompanying and transporting the victim to legal proceedings and social service agencies, assistance in filing compensation forms, and other miscellaneous acts."



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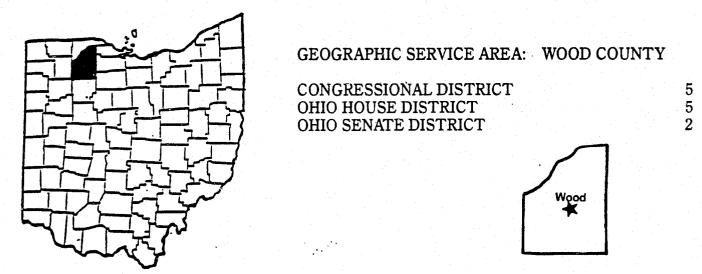
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THE CENTER FOR HUMAN SERVICES OF WOOD COUNTY VICTIMS ADVOCACY PROGRAM 315 THURSTON AVENUE BOWLING GREEN, OHIO 43402 (419) 352-1545

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Center for Human Services of Wood County through a \$12,600 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$17,348 grant awarded from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include: 24-hour crisis intervention, victim accompaniment to hospitals, police station, and to court, information and referral, assistance in filing for victim compensation, and support groups for rape survivors and for secondary victims of sexual assault.

Project Summary:

"The Victims Advocacy Program provides services to survivors of felonious assault, robbery, sexual assault, and other violent crime, as well as, the survivors of the victims of homicide. The program is giving priority to rape survivors."



WOOD COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH CLINIC, INC. 1010 NORTH PROSPECT STREET BOWLING GREEN, OHIO 43402 (419) 352-5249

The Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Program provides financial support to the Wood County Mental Health Clinic, Inc. through a \$5,100 grant awarded from the State Victims Assistance Act and a \$23,451 from the Victims of Crime Act. Services provided include victim advocacy, case management, child care, children's groups and different types of group and individual support for victims of domestic violence.

Project Summary:

"The Wood County Mental Health Clinic, Inc. seeks to continue its service to victims of domestic violence in Wood County. There are no other services for victims of domestic violence in Wood County other than for residents of the shelter located in Fostoria which serves four counties. The Domestic Violence Offenders Program provides referrals to the Victims Program as well as other referral sources. These services are provided by staff personnel, volunteers and college student internships. Limited transportation and childcare is provided to victims on a demand-responsive basis for them to attend the counseling and support groups. Without this program victims of domestic violence and children who witness the violence in their homes will not have the necessary services to decrease the victimization of violence against them by their spouse/partners."

THE STATE VICTIMS ASSISTANCE ACT

(Substitute Senate Bill No. 195) 115th General Assembly

Sec. 109.91. (A) THERE IS HEREBY ESTABLISHED WITHIN THE OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL THE CRIME VICTIMS ASSISTANCE OFFICE.

(B) THERE IS HEREBY ESTABLISHED THE STATE VICTIMS ASSISTANCE ADVISORY BOARD, THE BOARD SHALL CONSIST OF A CHAIRMAN, TO BE APPOINTED BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, FOUR EX OFFICIO MEMBERS, AND FIFTEEN MEMBERS TO BE APPOINTED BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL AS FOLLOWS: ONE MEMBER WHO REPRESENTS THE OHIO VICTIM WITNESS ASSOCIATION: THREE MEMBERS WHO REPRESENT LOCAL VICTIM ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS, INCLUDING ONE FROM A MUNICIPALLY OPERATED PROGRAM AND ONE FROM A COUNTY OPERATED PROGRAM; ONE MEMBER WHO REPRESENTS THE INTERESTS OF ELDERLY VICTIMS: ONE MEMBER WHO IS A BOARD MEMBER OF ANY STATEWIDE OR LOCAL ORGANIZATION THAT EXISTS PRIMARILY TO AID VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE. OR WHO IS AN EMPLOYEE OF, OR COUNSELOR FOR, SUCH AN ORGANIZATION: ONE MEMBER WHO IS AN EMPLOYEE OR OFFICER OF A COUNTY PROBATION DEPARTMENT OR A PROBATION DEPARTMENT OPERATED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF REHABILITATION AND CORRECTION: ONE MEMBER WHO IS A COUNTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEY: ONE MEMBER WHO IS A CITY LAW DIRECTOR; ONE MEMBER WHO IS A COUNTY SHERIFF; ONE MEMBER WHO IS A MEMBER OR OFFICER OF A TOWNSHIP OR MUNICIPAL POLICE DEPARTMENT; ONE MEMBER WHO IS A COURT OF COMMON PLEAS JUDGE; ONE MEMBER WHO IS A MUNICIPAL COURT JUDGE OR COUNTY COURT JUDGE; AND TWO MEMBERS WHO ARE PRIVATE CITIZENS AND ARE NOT GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES.

THE BOARD SHALL INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING EX OFFICIO, NONVOTING MEMBERS: THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT, THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, ONE MEMBER OF THE SENATE TO BE DESIGNATED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE, AND ONE MEMBER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO BE DESIGNATED BY THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE.

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD SHALL SERVE WITHOUT COMPENSATION, BUT SHALL BE REIMBURSED FOR TRAVEL AND OTHER NECESSARY EXPENSES THAT ARE INCURRED IN THE CONDUCT OF THEIR OFFICIAL DUTIES AS MEMBERS OF THE BOARD. THE CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE BOARD APPOINTED BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL SHALL SERVE AT THE PLEASURE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL. THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT AND THE ATTORNEY GENERAL SHALL SERVE ON THE BOARD UNTIL THE END OF THE TERM OF OFFICE THAT QUALIFIED THEM FOR MEMBERSHIP ON THE BOARD. THE MEMBER OF THE SENATE AND THE MEMBER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SHALL SERVE AT THE PLEASURE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, RESPECTIVELY.

(C) THE VICTIMS ASSISTANCE ADVISORY BOARD SHALL PERFORM BOTH OF THE

FOLLOWING DUTIES:

- (1) ADVISE THE CRIME VICTIMS ASSISTANCE OFFICE IN DETERMINING CRIME AND DELINQUENCY VICTIM SERVICE NEEDS, DETERMINING CRIME AND DELINQUENCY VICTIM POLICIES FOR THE STATE, AND IMPROVING AND EXERCISING LEADERSHIP IN THE QUALITY OF CRIME AND DELINQUENCY VICTIM PROGRAMS IN THE STATE:
- (2) REVIEW AND RECOMMEND TO THE CRIME VICTIMS ASSISTANCE OFFICE THE VICTIM ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS THAT SHOULD BE CONSIDERED FOR THE RECEIPT OF STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PURSUANT TO SECTION 109.92 OF THE REVISED CODE. THE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE ALLOCATION RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE BOARD SHALL BE BASED ON THE FOLLOWING PRIORITIES:
- (a) PROGRAMS IN EXISTENCE ON THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS SECTION SHALL BE GIVEN FIRST PRIORITY;
- (b) PROGRAMS OFFERING OR PROPOSING TO OFFER THE BROADEST RANGE OF SERVICES AND REFERRALS TO THE COMMUNITY SERVED, INCLUDING MEDICAL, PSYCHOLOGICAL, FINANCIAL, EDUCATIONAL, VOCATIONAL, AND LEGAL SERVICES THAT WERE NOT IN EXISTENCE ON THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS SECTION SHALL BE GIVEN SECOND PRIORITY; (c) OTHER QUALIFIED PROGRAMS SHALL BE GIVEN LAST PRIORITY.
- (D) AS USED IN THIS SECTION AND SECTION 109.92 OF THE REVISED CODE, "VICTIM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM" INCLUDES, BUT IS NOT LIMITED TO A PROGRAM THAT PROVIDES AT LEAST ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:
- (1) SERVICES TO VICTIMS OF ANY OFFENSE OF VIOLENCE OR DELINQUENT ACT THAT WOULD BE AN OFFENSE OF VIOLENCE IF COMMITTED BY AN ADULT;
- (2) FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE OR PROPERTY REPAIR SERVICES TO VICTIMS OF CRIME OR DELINQUENT ACTS:
- (3) ASSISTANCE TO VICTIMS OF CRIME OR DELINQUENT ACTS IN JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS;
- (4) ASSISTANCE TO VICTIMS OF CRIME OR DELINQUENT ACTS UNDER THE OPERATION OF ANY POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF THE STATE OR A BRANCH OF THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM SET FORTH IN DIVISION (B)(1), (2), OR (3) OF SECTION 122.21 OF THE REVISED CODE;
- (5) TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TO PERSONS OR ORGANIZATIONS THAT PROVIDE SERVICES TO VICTIMS OF CRIME OR DELINQUENT ACTS UNDER THE OPERATION OF A BRANCH OF THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM SET FORTH IN DIVISIONS (B)(1), (2), AND (3) OF SECTION 122.21 OF THE REVISED CODE.

A VICTIM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM DOES NOT INCLUDE THE PROGRAM FOR THE REPARATION OF CRIME VICTIMS ESTABLISHED PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 2743. OF THE REVISED CODE.

Sec. 109.92. (A) FUNDS MAY BE APPROPRIATED TO THE OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO VICTIM ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS THAT OPERATE IN THE STATE. ANY FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR

THAT PURPOSE BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL BE USED TO PROVIDE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO VICTIM ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 109.91 OF THE REVISED CODE AND THIS SECTION. THE PROGRAM FOR THE PROVISION OF SUCH FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE SHALL BE ADMINISTERED BY THE CRIME VICTIMS ASSISTANCE OFFICE ESTABLISHED PURSUANT TO SECTION 109.91 OF THE REVISED CODE.

- (B) A VICTIM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM MAY APPLY TO THE CRIME VICTIMS ASSISTANCE OFFICE FOR STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE OUT OF FUNDS APPROPRIATED TO THE OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR THAT PURPOSE BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY. EACH APPLICATION FOR SUCH FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE SHALL INCLUDE ALL OF THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:
- (1) EVIDENCE THAT THE PROGRAM IS INCORPORATED IN THIS STATE AS A NONPROFIT CORPORATION OR IS A PROGRAM ESTABLISHED BY A UNIT OF STATE OR LOCAL GOVERNMENT:
- (2) THE PROPOSED BUDGET OF THE PROGRAM FOR THE PERIOD DURING WHICH THE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE IS SOUGHT;
 - (3) A SUMMARY OF SERVICES OFFERED BY THE PROGRAM;
 - (4) AN ESTIMATE OF THE NUMBER OF PERSONS SERVED BY THE PROGRAM.
- (C) WITHIN THIRTY DAYS OF RECEIPT OF AN APPLICATION FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FROM A VICTIM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM IN ACCORDANCE WITH DIVISION (B) OF THIS SECTION, THE CRIME VICTIMS ASSISTANCE OFFICE, BASED IN PART ON THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE VICTIM ASSISTANCE ADVISORY BOARD MADE PURSUANT TO SECTION 109.91 OF THE REVISED CODE, SHALL NOTIFY THE PROGRAM IN WRITING WHETHER IT IS ELIGIBLE FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AND, IF ELIGIBLE, ESTIMATE THE AMOUNT THAT WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE TO THE PROGRAM AND THE TIME WHEN THE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE.
- (D) EACH VICTIM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM THAT RECEIVES ANY FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION SHALL USE THE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE ONLY TO PROVIDE THE SERVICES IDENTIFIED IN ITS APPLICATION FOR SUCH ASSISTANCE AS BEING SERVICES IT OFFERED AND TO COVER A REASONABLE COST OF ADMINISTRATION OF THE PROGRAM. EACH VICTIM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM THAT RECEIVES ANY SUCH FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE SHALL MAKE A GOOD FAITH EFFORT TO MINIMIZE ITS COSTS OF ADMINISTRATION.

VICTIMS OF CRIME ACT

Pub. L. 98-473 Title II Chap. XIV
As Amended By:
The Children's Justice and Assistance Act of 1986
And
The Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988

CRIME VICTIMS FUND

SEC. 1402. (a) There is created in the Treasury a separate account to be known as the Crime Victims Fund (hereinafter in this chapter referred to as the "Fund").

- (b) Except as limited by subsection (c), there shall be deposited in the Fund—
 - (1) all fines that are collected from persons convicted of offenses against the United States except—
 - (A) fines available for use by the Secretary of the Treasury pursuant to-
 - (i) section 11(d) of the Endangered Species Act (16 U.S.C. 1540(d); and
 - (ii) section 6(d) of the Lacey Act Amendments of 1981 (16 U.S.C. 3375(d); and
 - (B) fines to be paid into-
 - (i) the railroad unemployment insurance account pursuant to the Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act (45 U.S.C. 351 et seq.);
 - (ii) the Postal Service Fund pursuant to sections 2601(a)(2) and 2003 of title 39 of the United States Code and for the purposes set forth in section 404(a)(8) of such title 39:
 - (iii) the navigable waters revolving fund pursuant to section 311 of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C. 1321); and
 - (iv) county public school funds pursuant to section 3613 of title 18 of the United States Code;
 - (2) penalty assessments collected under section 3013 of title 18 of the United States Code:
 - (3) the proceeds of forfeited appearance bonds, bail bonds, and collateral collected under section 3146 of title 18 of the United States Code; and
 - (4) any money ordered to be paid into the Fund under section 3671(c)(2) of title 18 of the United States Code.
- (c)(1) (A) If the total deposited in the Fund during a particular fiscal year reaches the ceiling sum described in subparagraph (B), the excess over the ceiling sum shall not be part of the Fund. The first \$2,200,000 of such excess shall be available to the judicial branch for administrative costs to carry out the functions of the judicial branch under sections 3611 and 3612 of title 18, United States Code, and the remaining excess shall be deposited in the general fund of the Treasury.
 - (B) The ceiling sum referred to in subparagraph (A) is
 - (i) \$125,000,000 through fiscal year 1991; and
 - (ii) \$150,000,000 thereafter through fiscal year 1994.
 - (2) No deposits shall be made in the Fund after September 30, 1994
 - (d)(1) Sums deposited in the Fund shall remain in the Fund and be available for expenditure under this subsection for grants under this title without fiscal year limitation.
 - (2) The Fund shall be available as follows:
 - (A) Of the first \$100,000,000 deposited in the Fund in a particular fiscal

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- (i) 49.5% shall be available for grants under Sec. 1403;
- (ii) 45% shall be available for grants under Sec. 1404 (a);
- (iii) 1% shall be available for grants under Sec. 1404 (c); and
- (iv) 4.5% shall be available for grants as provided in Sec. 1404A.
- (B) The next \$5,500,000 deposited in the Fund in a particular fiscal year shall be available for grants as provided in Sec. 1404A
- (C) Any deposits in the Fund in a particular fiscal year inexcess of \$105,500,000 but not in excess of \$110,000,000, shall be available for grants under section 1404 (a).
- (D) Any deposits in the Fund in a particular fiscal year in excess of \$110,000,000 shall be available as follows:
 - (i) 47.5 percent shall be available for grants under section 1403;
- (ii) 47.5 percent shall be available for grants under section 1404 (a); and
 - (iii) 5 percent shall be available for grants under section 1404 (c)

(1) (B).

- (e) (1) Except as provided in paragraph (2), any sums awarded as part of a grant under this chapter that remain unspent at the end of a fiscal year in which such grant is made may be expended for the purpose for which such grant is made at any time during the next succeeding fiscal year, at the end of which year any remaining unobligated sums shall be returned to the general fund of the Treasury.
- (2) For the purposes of the application of paragraph (1) to any grant under this chapter with respect to fiscal year 1985, there shall be substituted in such paragraph "two succeeding fiscal years" for "succeeding fiscal year" and "which period" for "which year".
 - (f) As used in this section, the term "offenses against the United States" does not include—
 - (1) a criminal violation of the Uniform Code of Military Justice (10 U.S.C.

801 et sea.);

- (2) an offense against the laws of the District of Columbia; and
- (3) an offense triable by an Indian tribal court or Court of Indian Offenses.
- (g) (1) The Attorney General, acting through the Director, shall use 15 percent of the funds available under subsection (d) (2) (A) (iv) to make grants for the purpose of assisting Native American Indian tribes in developing, establishing, and operating programs designed to improve—
 - (A) the handling of child abuse cases, particularly cases of child sexual abuse, in a manner which limits additional trauma to the child victim; and
 - (B) the investigati on and prosecution of cases of child abuse, particularly child sexual abuse.
 - (2) As used in this subsection, the term "tribe" has the meaning given that term in section 4(b) of the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act.

(CRIME VICTIM COMPENSATION, SEC. 1403 IS NOT REPRINTED IN THIS REPORT)

CRIME VICTIM ASSISTANCE

- SEC. 1404. (a)(1) Subject to the availability of money in the Fund, the Director shall make an annual grant from any portion of the Fund not used for grants under section 1403 with respect to a particular fiscal year, and after any deduction under subsection (c), to the chief executive of each State for the financial support of eligible crime victim assistance programs.
 - (2) Such chief executive shall—
 - (A) certify that priority shall be given to eligible crime victim assistance programs providing assistance to victims of sexual assault, spousal abuse,

or child abuse:

- (B) certify that funds shall be made available for grants to programs which serve previously underserved populations of victims of violent crime. The Director after consultation with State and local officials and representatives from private organizations, shall issue guidelines to implement this section that provide flexibility to the States in determining the populations of victims of violent crimes that may be underserved in their respective States.
- (C) certify that funds awarded to eligible crime victim assistance programs will not be used to supplant State and local funds otherwise available for crime victim assistance; and
- (D) provide such other information and assurances related to the purposes of this section as the Director may reasonably require.
- (3) The amounts of grants under paragraph (1) shall be-
 - (A) the base amount to each State; and
 - (B) that portion of the then remaining available money to each State that results from a distribution among the States on the basis of each State's population in relation to the population of all States.
- (4) If the amount available for grants under paragraph (1) is insufficient to provide the base amount to each State, the funds available shall be distributed equally among the States.
- (5) As used in this subsection, the term "base amount" means—
 - (A) \$150,000 for fiscal years 1989 through 1991; and
 - (B) \$200,000 thereafter through fiscal year 1994.
- (b) (1) a victim assistance program is an eligible crime victim assistance program for the purposes of this section if such program—
 - (A) is operated by a public agency or a nonprofit organization, or a combination of such agencies or organizations or of both such agencies and organizations, and provides services to victims of crime;
 - (B) demonstrates—
 - (i) a record of providing effective services to victims of crime and financial support from sources other than the Fund; or
 - (ii) substantial financial support from sources other than the Fund;
 - (C) utilizes volunteers in providing such services, unless and to the extent the chief executive determines that compelling reasons exist to waive this requirement;
 - (D) promotes within the community served coordinated public and private efforts to aid crime victims; and
 - (E) assists potential recipients in seeking crime victim compensation benefits.
- (2) An eligible crime victim assistance program shall expend sums received under subsection (a) only for providing services to victims of crime.
- (c)(1) The Director shall make grants-
 - (A) for training and technical assistance services to eligible crime victim assistance programs; and
 - (B) for the financial support of services to victims of Federal crime by eligible crime victim assistance programs.
- (2) Of the amount available for grants under this subsection
 - (A) not more than 50% shall be used for grants under Paragraph 1(A); and
 - (B) not less than 50% shall be used for grants under Paragraph 1(B).

- (3) The Director shall-
 - (A) be responsible for monitoring compliance with guidelines for fair treatment of crime victims and witnesses issued under section 6 of the Victim and Witness Protection Act of 1982 (Public Law 97-291);
 - (B) consult with the heads of Federal law enforcement agencies that have responsibilities affecting victims of Federal crimes;
 - (C) coordinate victim services provided by the Federal Government with victim services offered by other public agencies and nonprofit organizations; and
 - (D) perform such other functions related to the purposes of this title as the Director deems appropriate.
- (4) The Director may reimburse other instrumentalities of the Federal Government and contract for the performance of functions authorized under this subsection.
- (d) As used in this section-
 - (1) the term "State" includes the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, the United States Virgin Islands, and, any other territory or possession of the United States; and
 - (2) the term "services to victims of crime" includes—
 - (A) crises intervention services;
 - (B) providing, in an emergency, transportation to court, short-term child care services, and temporary housing and security measures;
 - (C) assistance in participating in criminal justice proceedings; and
 - (D) payment of all reasonable costs for a forensic medical examination of a crime victim, to the extent that such costs are otherwise not reimbursed or paid;
 - (3) the term "services to victims of Federal crime" means services to victims of crime with respect to Federal crime, and includes—
 - (A) training of law enforcement personnel in the delivery of services to victims of Federal crime;
 - (B) preparation, publication and distribution of informational materials—
 - (i) setting forth services offered to victims of crime; and
 - (ii) concerning services to victims of Federal crime for use by Federal law enforcement personnel; and
 - (C) salaries of personnel who provide services to victims of crime, to the extent that such personnel provide such services;
 - (4) the term "crises intervention services" means counseling to provide emotional support in crises arising from the occurrence of crime; and
 - (5) the term "chief executive" includes a person designated by a chief executive to perform the functions of the chief executive under this section.

THE FOLLOWING IS NOT REPRINTED IN THIS REPORT:

Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Grants
Administrative Provisions
Establishment of Office for Victims of Crime
Related Statutory Provisions
Special Forfeitures of Collateral Profits of Crime
Notice to Victims of Order of Special Forfeiture