

Important Contact Information for Pike County

Domestic Violence Victims

Victims' Intervention Program (VIP)
24 Hour Hotline 570-253-4401

Sexual Assault Victims

Victims' Intervention Program (VIP)
24 Hour Hotline 570-253-4401

Child Abuse Victims

Dickson House Children's Advocacy Center – 570-296-3482
Victims' Intervention Program - 24 Hour Hotline 570-253-4401

Elder Abuse Victims

Pike County Area on Aging
570-775-5550 or 24 Hour Elder Abuse Hotline 1-800-490-8505

Human Trafficking Victims

Victims' Intervention Program (VIP)
24 Hour Hotline 570-253-4401

Pike County Victim Witness Program – 570-296-6620

Statewide Contacts

Address Confidentiality Program – Pennsylvania Office of the Victim Advocate – 1-800-563-6399 or www.oa.pa.gov

Offender Release Notification - PA Statewide Victim Notification System (PA-SAVIN) – 1-866-972-7284 or www.pcv.pccd.pa.gov

Financial Assistance -Victims Compensation Assistance Program - 1-800-233-2339 or www.dave.pa.gov

Childline - Pennsylvania Department of Human Services – 1-800-932-0313 or www.dhs.pa.gov/contact/Pages/Report-Abuse.aspx

PENNSYLVANIA CRIME VICTIMS



- You are not alone... Being a victim of a crime can be very hard. You might not be able to focus or remember things. This is all normal for someone who has been a victim of a crime.
- There are victim advocates that can provide free services to you. They are available to answer questions and provide supportive counseling.
 - See important contact information on the back of this card or scan the QR code below.
- As a victim of a crime, you have rights. Go to www.pcv.pccd.pa.gov or scan the QR code below to see your rights throughout the criminal justice process, including information on how to exercise additional rights if someone is arrested and/or convicted, and learn how to access immediate resources, such as shelter and protection orders, financial assistance and counseling.
- If you are the victim of domestic violence, you have the right to go to court and file a petition requesting an order for protection from domestic abuse pursuant to the Protection From Abuse Act (23 Pa.C.S. CH. 61), which could include the following:
 - An order restraining the abuser from further acts of abuse; An order directing the abuser to leave your household; An order preventing the abuser from entering your residence, school, business or place of employment; An order awarding you or the other parent temporary custody of or temporary visitation with your child or children; An order directing the abuser to pay support to you and the minor children if the abuser has a legal obligation to do so.
- If you are the victim of sexual violence or intimidation, you have the right to go to court and file a petition requesting Sexual Violence Protection Order (SVPO) pursuant to the Protection of Victims of Sexual Assault or Intimidation Act (42 Pa.C.S. Ch 62A)

