

**Anywhere...
Anytime...
Anyone...**

can become a victim of violent crime. Each year the Utah Office of Crime Victim Reparations reaches out to thousands of victims who have suffered financial loss, physical injuries and emotional trauma as a result of violent crime. The assistance provided by this program helps victims recover and rebuild their lives.

To Apply:

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350 East 500 South, Suite 200
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**STATE OF UTAH
Commission on Criminal & Juvenile Justice
OFFICE OF CRIME VICTIM REPARATIONS**

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For Americans with Disabilities Act Accommodations please contact the Office of Crime Victim Reparations at 801-238-2360 allowing three working days notice.

**Are You A
Victim Of
A Crime...**



**Feeling Like
There Is No Where To
Go For
Financial Help?**

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Who May Qualify?

- Victims who suffer physical or psychological injury or death as a direct result of criminally injurious conduct
- Family and dependents of deceased victims
- Representatives acting on behalf of victims

How Does a Person Qualify?

- Victim shall be a resident of Utah or the criminally injurious conduct shall have occurred in Utah
- Report crime to law enforcement agency - no conviction is required but enough information is needed from law enforcement to substantiate a crime occurred
- Cooperate fully with law enforcement officials in the investigation and prosecution of the case

Who Does Not Qualify?

- A victim whose own misconduct contributed to the crime
- A victim who suffered property loss or damage
- A victim engaged in illegal conduct at the time of the crime
- The offender, accomplice or anyone whose award would unjustly enrich the offender or accomplice

- Anyone who is incarcerated in a penal institution when the crime occurs
- Anyone in violation of parole or probation when victimized

How Long Will It Take?

- It can take up to 30 days to determine if you are eligible for assistance
- Payment will be made when all required information is received



What Expenses May Be Paid?

- Medical Care
- Dental Care
- Mental Health Counseling
- Funeral and Burial Expenses
- Relocation and Related Costs
- Loss of Earnings
- Loss of Support to Dependents
- Child Care

- Replacement of door locks, windows or other essential personal property required for the health and safety of the victim
- Eyeglasses, hearing aids or other medically necessary devices

What Is The Maximum Award?

- Awards can be made up to a maximum of \$25,000
- Awards for medical expenses only incurred as a result of *Homicide, Attempted Homicide, Aggravated Assault or Driving Under the Influence* may be awarded up to \$50,000
- Collateral sources available to the victim such as insurance, Medicaid, Medicare or Social Security need to be considered first

How Do I Apply?

- Victims, family members or legal guardians must submit an application form to the Crime Victim Reparations office
- The application form can be obtained from the CVR office, victim advocates, law enforcement, prosecutors and other allied agencies
- The CVR staff or local victim assistance programs can help you complete the application form if necessary