

Nunavut Victim Services

Community justice
Department of Justice



Community justice helps communities support people who have been harmed by crime. Various services and levels of support are provided to victims of crime and their families from the start of trauma, continuing until the victims reach a place where they feel healed and they can move forward.

Clients looking for support can visit local community justice offices, call toll-free **1-866-456-5216** or email VictimServices@gov.nu.ca.

Available services:

- **Navigating the justice system**
Support for victims going through the court system including court preparation and/or accompaniment, victim impact statements, federal victim registration.
- **Restorative Justice Program**
Information and support for victims of crime going through the restorative justice process.
- **Victims Travel Support Program**
Financial assistance for victims of violent crimes, to have family support while attending specific court proceedings in Nunavut.
- **Community-based programs**
Financial support, through the Victim Assistance Fund, for short-term, community-based projects/programs that help victims of crime in their healing journey.
- **Follow-up care**
Follow-up care after court proceedings or restorative justice process.
- **Information and education**
Information relating to victims' rights, and access to justice and resources that will help a victim's healing. Also provides advocacy and information sharing to community partners, stakeholders and the public.
- **Training and information sessions**
Free essential skills training to frontline services providers and volunteers who work with victims of crime.
- **Victim services resource directory**
A directory of resources and services located throughout Nunavut.
- **Referrals to services**
Refers victims to services and community programs that address their needs.