

## GET INVOLVED

Knowledge is power. There are many ways to get involved with the Canadian Resource Centre for Victims of Crime.

### EMPOWER

Sign-up for EMPOWER, the free monthly newsletter. Each edition has the information you need to stay informed.

Join at [crcvc.ca/newsletter](https://crcvc.ca/newsletter)

### ENGAGE

Consider joining the Victim Advisory Committee (VAC), a voluntary group of crime victims who use their experience in Canada's legal system to help other crime victims.

### FOLLOW

Engage with CRCVC on social media @[CRCVC](#)

### SUPPORT

Become a donor! Your support provides unlimited, free support for crime victims across Canada.

Online: [crcvc.ca/donate](https://crcvc.ca/donate)

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## VICTIM SUPPORT

If you or someone you know has lost a loved one to homicide, there is support.

The monthly **Homicide Support Group** provides a safe and inclusive space for family members, friends and close loved ones of homicide victims. The Support Group offers peer support to those dealing with violent loss.

Survivors from across Canada join every month to connect and support with others experiencing tragic loss.

To register, please email [crcvc@crcvc.ca](mailto:crcvc@crcvc.ca) with "Support" in the subject line or call **1-877-232-2610**.

## CONTACT US



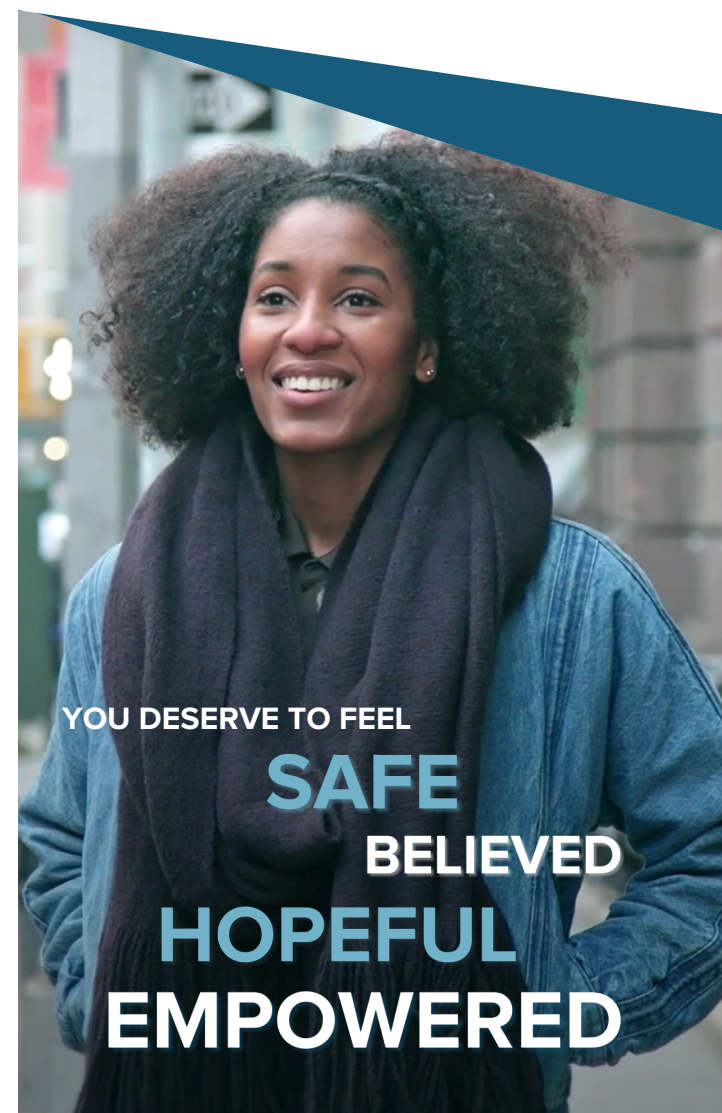
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YOU DESERVE TO FEEL

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**Canadian Resource  
Centre for Victims of Crime**

"Ensuring the equitable treatment  
of crime victims in Canada."

## ABOUT

The CRCVC provides support and guidance to individual victims and their families to assist them in obtaining needed services and resources, and advances victims' rights by representing the interests and perspectives of victims of crime to Government, at all levels. We strive to foster heightened public awareness of victims' issues, conduct research in the field of victimology and promote exchanges between professionals at the local, provincial, and national level. Our services are bilingual, free, and confidential.

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## WE BELIEVE

Victims of crime should be treated with courtesy, compassion and with respect for their dignity and privacy. We offer assistance and advocacy regardless of whether the perpetrator of the crime has been identified, apprehended, prosecuted or convicted. The CRCVC believes victims must be empowered to regain control of their lives.

## SERVICES

**We assist victims and survivors by helping them:**

- obtain needed services and resources.
- navigate post-trial agencies (Correctional Service Canada / Parole Board of Canada) through representation and/or accessing financial benefits/compensation programs.
- offering long-term emotional support.

**Other services include:**

- advocating for victims' rights by presenting the interests and perspectives of victims of crime to government, at all levels.
  - provision of resource materials to crime victims and service providers in Canada, including a monthly newsletter.
  - online Live Chat and Text available at [www.crcvc.ca](http://www.crcvc.ca) for confidential support, information, and resources.
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## DISCOVER

Visit [www.crcvc.ca](http://www.crcvc.ca) to access FREE resources and publications, including:

- services for victims throughout Canada via our Resource Directory ([crcvc.ca/resource-directory/](http://crcvc.ca/resource-directory/)).
  - informational resources for both victims and victim service providers.
  - a comprehensive guide to navigating the criminal justice system, including information on compensation and financial assistance programs for victims.
  - briefs and submissions presented by the CRCVC to multiple levels of government.
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