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IF SO, YOU
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FOR
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COMPENSATION.



ARIZONA CRIMINAL JUSTICE COMMISSION

VICTIM COMPENSATION

About the Program

Crime can leave a devastating and lasting impact on the lives of victims. If you have been a victim of crime, there <u>may</u> be assistance available in your community.

Arizona provides financial assistance to victims of crime through the Victim Compensation Program, administered through your County Attorney's office. If you have been victimized by crime, you may apply for financial assistance for out-of-pocket expenses incurred as a direct result of the crime.

Contact your local County Attorney's Office for an application. The contact number for your County Attorney is provided on the back of this informational brochure, for your convenience.

- Did the crime take place in Arizona?
- Did you report the crime to the police?
- Did you suffer physical injury?

VICTIM COMPENSATION may help pay for out-of-pocket expenses, including:

- Medical Costs
- Mental Health Counseling
- Funeral Expenses
- Wage Loss
- Crime Scene Cleanup
- Some Transportation Costs

The Program <u>cannot</u> consider claims for:

- Attorney Fees
- Property Loss or Repair
- Pain and Suffering
- Expenses that would benefit an offender
- A person serving a sentence of imprisonment
- A person delinquent in paying a fine, monetary penalty or restitution fees

About the Process

You may apply for Victim Compensation if you:

- Suffered physical injury or mental distress and experienced economic loss as a direct result of a crime or act of international terrorism;
- Were victimized in Arizona, or are an Arizona resident who has been a victim of crime in an area without a crime victim compensation program;
- Reported the crime or act of international terrorism to a police agency within 72 hours of the crime;
- And, willingly and fully cooperated with the appropriate law enforcement agencies.
- Did you experience mental distress?
- Were you unable to work because of the crime?
- Do you need to pay for medical or funeral expenses?

If you answered "yes" to these items, you <u>may</u> be eligible for a Victim Compensation award.

About the Application

- Apply for Victim Compensation within two years of the crime.
- Complete and return the application to your local County Attorney's office.
- Include copies of crime-related bills and/or receipts with your application.
- Submitting an application is not a guarantee for an award. Funds are very limited.

Victim Compensation is a program administered by the Arizona Criminal Justice Commission (ACJC), in cooperation with your local County Attorney's Office. If you have questions about the Victim Compensation Program, please feel free to contact ACJC att 1-877-668-2252 (Toll-free) or visit

Victim Compensation Application Request

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