

## PROVIDING SUPPORT FOR:

- Abuse of Elderly
- Accidents
- Assault
- Break and Enter
- Criminal Harassment
- Death Notifications
- Fatalities
- Fire
- Family Occurrence
- Homicide
- Human Trafficking
- Missing Person/ Abductions
- Personal Crisis
- Robbery
- Sexual Assault
- Stalking
- Sudden Death
- Suicide or Attempts of Suicide

Support is only a phone call away

**519-600-4108**

**1-866-863-4108**

## BECOME A VOLUNTEER CRISIS RESPONDER OR BOARD MEMBER

Victim Services of Huron County relies on volunteers who can offer understanding and support to victims.

A comprehensive screening process and ongoing training ensures that victims are treated with dignity, respect, compassion and empathy.

Please contact the Victim Services office for more information or submit an application on our website [victimserviceshuron.ca](http://victimserviceshuron.ca)

## HOW TO DONATE




We are a registered Non-Profit Organization. If you wish to make a contribution you can do so online at: [www.victimserviceshuron.ca](http://www.victimserviceshuron.ca) or by mail – please make cheques payable to: Victim Services Huron County

All fundraised dollars remain in Huron County to offer direct supports to clients. These funds enhance accesibilities to services in our area.

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## TRAUMA INFORMED CRISIS SUPPORT

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## OBJECTIVES

- To lessen Trauma for victims
- To assist police, fire and other emergency services in meeting the needs of victims
- To help victims cope with the impact of crime, tragic circumstances and or trauma
- To assist victims in accessing appropriate support services in our community.
- To provide an opportunity for community members to become more involved in dealing with the effects of crime and victimization
- To educate community members about Victim Services Huron County

## Emotional Support

One of the most critical elements of the healing process is being able to talk about your feelings or reactions. It is important to allow yourself the privilege of time to grieve your losses.

## Dealing With Crisis

Dealing with crisis is something we may all face at some point in our lives. Reactions to crisis differ for everyone, in addition to fear, rage, isolation and confusion, victims may experience intense mental and physical distress. Feelings should diminish with time and support.

## We All Heal At Our Own Pace

Victims can call us during our regular business hours. We can provide support on the phone or arrange to meet in person.



## SERVICE PROVISION

### With victim consent, we can:

- Provide immediate emotional and practical assistance
- Responders can attend to any safe setting; client home, police station, hospital or public location
- Listen with complete confidentiality, understanding and respect
- Validate feelings of vulnerability, fear, violation, anger and shock
- Encourage empowerment by supporting individuals to regain control of the situation
- Provide information about services offered by other community agencies
- Services are provided free of charge
- VQRP +

## VQRP +

Victim Quick Response Program is designed to assist victims of the most violent crimes who require immediate assistance that cannot be obtained through other sources.

**Emergency Expenses** within 45 days of the date of the incident;

**Funeral Expenses** - homicide victims;

**Emergency Counselling and Transportation**

Contact the office for additional information

**Volunteer Crisis Responders will offer FREE support 24/7.**

**A victim is any person whose life has been affected by a criminal act, tragic circumstances or disaster regardless of the severity.**

**Immediate, on scene, emotional support and practical assistance can help victims cope with a crisis.**

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Community and Emergency Services*