

PRIVACY STATEMENT

Introduction

In order to administer Indiana Violent Crime Victims Compensation Fund (Ind. Code § 5-2-6.1 *et seq.*), the Indiana Criminal Justice Institute (“ICJI”) has established a database known as the Indiana Crime Victim Compensation Portal (“ICVCP”). The State of Indiana and ICJI are committed to protecting the privacy of all users of this database and any data that we collect. Any user expressly agrees to abide by the [Terms and Conditions](#) related to ICVCP. By use of ICVCP, the user expressly agrees to use of the collected data by ICJI.

Definitions

1. Claimant means any of the following individuals filing an application for assistance:
 - (1) A victim;
 - (2) A surviving spouse of a victim;
 - (3) A legal dependent of a victim;
 - (4) A family member of a victim; or
 - (5) A personal representative of a victim.
2. User means the person using this website to submit an application.
3. Victim means an individual who suffers bodily injury or death as a result of a violent crime.

Information Collected

We may collect the victim’s name, address, telephone number, fax number and email address, together with information about the crime, the perpetrator, and any medical treatment received. Other information necessary to process an application may also be collected as needed. ICJI may establish optional information fields for users to provide. This information will be protected but will be utilized by ICJI for research purposes.

Information Use

The information collected on the application will be utilized to process the application for which the victim/claimant is seeking assistance. All reasonable precautions are taken to prevent unauthorized access to this information. This safeguard may require the user to provide additional forms of identity should they wish to obtain information about their claim details.

Disclosing Information

ICJI does not disclose any personal information obtained about the victim from this website to third parties **except** when necessary to complete the review and investigation of an application. We may also use the information to keep in contact with necessary parties to inform them of developments associated with the claim. All health information is protected pursuant to the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA).

Changes to this Policy

Any changes to our Privacy Policy will be placed here and will supersede this version of our Policy.