What do I need to do?

Fill out an application for Crime Victims'
Compensation. You can apply online or send in a paper application. The child assessment center can assist you with this. If you have questions about CVC, please call 503-3785348 or 1-800-503-7983 and ask to speak with a compensation assistant.

You can also register for the new CVC Portal here: https://justice.oregon.gov/victims/compensation/Account/Login. Use the portal to email an assistant, upload documents and check the status of your claim.

* If you do not have access to your child's claim, please e-mail CVSSDportal@doj.state.or.us and request to be linked to the claim.



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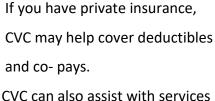
What is Crime Victims' Compensation (CVC)?

CVC is a program of the Oregon Department of Justice that helps families pay for certain expenses resulting from a crime. These expenses include counseling, medical bills, physical rehabilitation and mileage reimbursement (60+ miles round trip for crime related medical/counseling).

To Qualify:

- The crime involved assault, domestic violence, sexual assault, sex abuse, physical abuse or medical neglect.
- The crime took place in Oregon.
- The crime has been reported to Law Enforcement or Child Protection Services (CPS, DHS).

What if I already have Medical Insurance?



CVC can also assist with services not covered by your insurance such as crime-related counseling.

What if my child is enrolled in the Oregon Health Plan (OHP)?

Your child is eligible for CVC even if they are enrolled in OHP. Just as with private insurance, families with OHP must use their OHP benefits first.

However, if your child needs to see a specialist that does not take OHP or if your family loses OHP, CVC will be available to cover crime related expenses as explained above. CVC benefits are available to your child until they are 21 years old.

Will I have to pay for services my family receives at the child assessment center?

Child Assessment Centers do not charge families a fee for the services they provide. The child assessment center will bill OHP, private insurance, or CVC for the services provided to your family. You will never have to pay out-of-pocket for services received at the child assessment center. The child assessment center will ensure your CVC application and all necessary information is submitted on your behalf.

