



Office of Victim Services

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Advisory Council to The New York State Office of Victim Services Membership Term Chart

| OVS Advisory Council – Elected Members | | |
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| Name | Organization | Term Expires |
| 1. Karen Ziegler* | Albany County Crime Victim & Sexual Violence Center | 12/31/2023 |
| 2. Will Rivera* | Violence Intervention Program | 12/31/2024 |
| 3. R. Nancy Albilal | The Arab-American Family Support Center | 12/31/2023 |
| 4. Jill Parker | Victim Assistance Center of Jefferson County | 12/31/2023 |
| 5. Darlene Torres | New York City Anti-Violence Project | 12/31/2023 |
| 6. Remla Parthasarathy | Crime Victims Legal Network | 12/31/2024 |
| 7. Rebecca Stevens | Child Advocacy Center at Best Self | 12/31/2025 |
| 8. James Meagher | SafeHorizon | 12/31/2025 |
| 9. Laurel Polttila | STOP Domestic Violence/BHSN | 12/31/2025 |
| 10. Olapeju Oyeyemi | Common Justice | 12/31/2025 |
| 11. Lindsey Crusan-Muse | St. Peter's Health Partners | 12/31/2025 |
| 12. Jennifer Lewis | Ontario County District Attorney's Office | 12/31/2025 |
| 13. Fhamida Mohasin | Sakhi for South Asian Women | 12/31/2025 |
| 14. Tracey Siebert-Konopko | Upstate Elder Abuse Center at Lifespan | 12/31/2025 |
| 15. Clarissa L. Espinoza | Crime Victims Treatment Center, New York PREA Program | 12/31/2025 |
| 16. Vacant | Vacant | Vacant |

* Advisory Council Co-Presidents

| OVS Advisory Council – Elected Survivor Members | | |
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| Name | Membership | Term Expires |
| 1. Survivor Names Confidential | Survivor Member | 12/31/2023 |
| 2. Survivor Names Confidential | Gun Violence Survivor Member | 12/31/2025 |

| OVS Advisory Council – Standing Members/Ex-Officio Members | | |
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| Name | Agency | Membership |
| 1. Connie Neal | New York State Coalition Against Domestic Violence | Standing |
| 2. Luz Márquez Benbow | New York State Coalition Against Sexual Assault | Standing |
| 3. John Kelly | New York State Children's Alliance | Standing |
| 4. Marie Limbach | New York State Office of Children and Family Services, <i>Bureau of Domestic Violence Prevention and Victim Support</i> | Ex-Officio |
| 5. Adam Berry | New York State Office of Children and Family Services, <i>CAC-MDT Unit</i> | Ex-Officio |
| 6. Johanna Sullivan | New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services, <i>Office of Public Safety</i> | Ex-Officio |
| 7. Melissa Celeone | New York State Department of Corrections and Community Supervision, <i>Office of Victim Assistance</i> | Ex-Officio |
| 8. Bernadette Dolen | New York State Department of Health, <i>Sexual Violence Prevention Unit</i> | Ex-Officio |
| 9. Estelle Davis | New York State Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance, <i>Bureau of Refugee Services</i> | Ex-Officio |
| 10. Abbey Marr | New York State Office for the Prevention of Domestic Violence, <i>Sexual Assault Policy, Prevention & Programming</i> | Ex-Officio |

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