



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		
Name	Organization	Term Expires
1. Remla Parthasarathy*	Crime Victims Legal Network	12/31/2024
2. Lindsey Crusan-Muse*	St. Peter's Health Partners	12/31/2025
3. Rebecca Stevens	Child Advocacy Center at Best Self	12/31/2025
4. James Meagher	SafeHorizon	12/31/2025
5. Laurel Polttila	STOP Domestic Violence/BHSN	12/31/2025
6. Olapeju Oyeyemi	Common Justice	12/31/2025
7. Fhamida Mohasin	Sakhi for South Asian Women	12/31/2025
8. Tracey Siebert-Konopko	Upstate Elder Abuse Center at Lifespan	12/31/2025
9. Jeanine Diehl	Nassau County Office of Crime Victim Advocate	12/31/2026
10. Licia K. Sandberg	Westchester Medical Center	12/31/2026
11. Amy Quonce	Victims Assistance Center of Jefferson County	12/31/2026
12. Karen Merrill	Oswego County Opportunities	12/31/2026
13. Amy Iwanowicz	Crime Victims Treatment Center	12/31/2026
14. Katrina Schermerhorn	Westchester Jewish Community Services	12/31/2026
15. Brittney Kennedy	Society for the Protection and Care of Children	12/31/2026
16. Justice Gaiter	Family Counseling Services of the Finger Lakes	12/31/2026

* Advisory Council Co-Presidents

OVS Advisory Council – Elected Survivor Members		
Name	Membership	Term Expires
1. Ramik Williams	Gun Violence Survivor Member	12/31/2025
2. Lily Morrighan	Survivor Member	12/31/2026

OVS Advisory Council – Standing Members/Ex-Officio Members		
Name	Agency	Membership
1. Connie Neal	New York State Coalition Against Domestic Violence	Standing
2. Will Rivera	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. Alyssa Derosa	New York State Office for the Prevention of Domestic Violence, <i>External Affairs</i>	Ex-Officio

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