

# HELP, HEALING, & HOPE

Experiencing a crime is not your fault. Victims, survivors, and their loved ones can turn to the New York State Office of Victim Services (OVS) for **resources** and **financial help**.

OVS may be able to **reimburse for out-of-pocket expenses** like:



**Medical and counseling expenses.**



**Loss or damage of personal property important to health, safety, and welfare.**



**End-of-life arrangements and funeral expenses.**



**Lost wages or support.**



**Transportation to court appearances or medical appointments.**



**Moving expenses or relocation costs.**



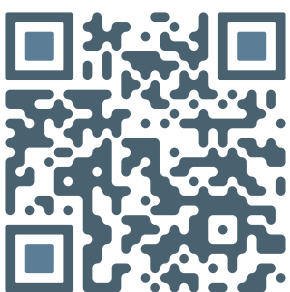
**Home security devices and installation.**



**Restoring properties or spaces where a crime occurred.**



**Other eligible expenses resulting from a crime.**



Connecting with a Victim Assistance Program is the first step. Scan to visit OVS Resource Connect to find a program and other resources near you:

[ovs.ny.gov/connect](https://ovs.ny.gov/connect)

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