

2014 Victims of Crime Act Victim Compensation Nationwide Performance Report



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States Responding:
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CLAIMS DATA:

1. NUMBER OF NEW CLAIMS RECEIVED DURING REPORT PERIOD	
a. Total claims, if only one claim is usually counted per crime – OR –	120,332
b. Total claims, if victims and indirect victims generally count as separate claims	96,427
2. NUMBER OF CLAIMS APPROVED AS ELIGIBLE	161,823
a. Number approved for victims 17 and under	47,272
b. Number approved for victims 18–64	109,476
c. Number approved for victims 65 and older	6,050
3. NUMBER OF CLAIMS DENIED AS INELIGIBLE OR CLOSED	55,427
4. NUMBER OF FORENSIC SEXUAL ASSAULT EXAMINATION CLAIMS RECEIVED DURING THE REPORT PERIOD, IF SUCH CLAIMS ARE HANDLED THROUGH SEPARATE CLAIMS PROCEDURE. (See Instructions)	62,108

PAYMENT STATISTICS BY CRIME CATEGORY:

TYPE OF CRIME	a. NUMBER OF CLAIMS PAID DURING REPORTING PERIOD (Includes Column b)	b. NUMBER OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE RELATED CLAIMS PAID DURING REPORTING PERIOD	c. TOTAL AMOUNT PAID BY CATEGORY (Include All Supplemental Payments)
1. ASSAULT	64,992	26,791	\$212,412,048
2. HOMICIDE	14,538	1,369	\$57,729,781
3. SEXUAL ASSAULT	10,401	900	\$12,703,162
4. CHILD ABUSE (Including Sexual and Physical Abuse)	24,119		\$22,478,095
5. DWI/DUI	2,243		\$11,409,024
6. OTHER VEHICULAR CRIMES	3,205		\$15,144,272
7. STALKING	851	454	\$901,272
8. ROBBERY	8,464	201	\$17,563,818
9. TERRORISM	59		\$116,027
10. KIDNAPPING	680	195	\$1,004,244
11. ARSON	231	52	\$455,262
12. OTHER	4,085	1,410	\$10,441,848
13. TOTAL	133,868	31,372	\$362,358,853

TOTAL EXPENSES PAID BY SERVICE:

1. MEDICAL/DENTAL (Except Mental Health)	\$201,710,166
2. MENTAL HEALTH (Include Mental Health Related Medications)	\$39,837,416
3. ECONOMIC SUPPORT (Lost Wages, Loss of Support)	\$48,939,977
4. FUNERAL/BURIAL (Include All Funeral Related Expenses)	\$43,386,869
5. CRIME SCENE CLEAN-UP	\$1,120,508
6. FORENSIC SEXUAL ASSAULT EXAMS	\$39,270,231
7. OTHER (Please Specify Types of Expenses and Amounts Paid)	\$24,109,524
8. TOTAL	\$398,374,691