

# After a Violent Crime, CalVCB Can Help Pay Your Bills

#### **WE HELP VICTIMS OF:**

- Assault
- Child abuse
- Domestic violence
- Drunk driving
- Elder abuse
- Hate crimes
- Homicide
- Human trafficking
- Robbery
- Sexual assault
- Stalking
- ... and other crimes

#### **WE CAN HELP PAY FOR:**

- Counseling
- Funeral and burial expenses
- Income loss
- Medical and dental treatment
- Relocation
- Residential security
- ... and other costs



victims.ca.gov P.O. Box 3036 Sacramento, CA 95812

\*Deaf and hard of hearing: Call the California Relay Service at 711

### How can CalVCB help?

- Victims who suffer physical injury or emotional injury due to the threat of physical injury may qualify for assistance.
- CalVCB helps victims pay for expenses related to a crime that aren't covered by any other source.
- Once an application is allowed, victims are eligible for assistance up to \$70,000. Some benefit limits may apply.

### Who is eligible?

CalVCB can help victims and their families when the crime happens in California, or when a crime happens to a California resident in another state or country. United States citizenship is not required to apply.

Victims can submit an application within seven years of the crime, or seven years after the victim knew or discovered that an injury or death occurred because of the crime. Victims who are 21 years old or younger have until their 28th birthday to apply.

## How do I apply?



**APPLY ONLINE at victims.ca.gov** 



A **victim advocate** can help you apply. Go to **victims.ca.gov/get-help** and enter your county.







