

Victims' Rights Request Form

Victim Assistance is a court-based advocacy program. Advocates are assigned to your open criminal case and work with you throughout the criminal justice process to keep you informed. We provide support, resource referrals, and are here to listen to you. Victim advocates are here to help you through this difficult process; we do not push survivors to do anything they do not want to do. We are here to inform you of your choices and to act with your wishes in mind. We can talk to the DA for you to express your desires with the case and we will accompany you to court and go in your place if you do not want to attend. The most important part of our job is simply being here for you.

As a victim of crime in Oregon, you have legal rights. Many of these rights go into effect automatically. However, you must request some of them before they go into effect. In order for our advocates to better meet your needs, please check the boxes below for the rights that you would like us to help you enforce and return this form to:

Victim Assistance program
850 Main Street
Dallas, OR 97338

- To withhold your address and phone number from an adult dependant.
- To be notified in advance of any critical stage of the case heard in open court.
- In a violent felony case, to talk with the district attorney or juvenile department before a plea agreement is made.
- To be notified in advance about release hearings.
- To limit distribution of information about and recording of sexual conduct.
- If the crime involved the transmission of body fluids, to request HIV testing.
- In a DUII automobile collision case, to request that information about the case that is given to the defendant is also shared with you.
- To be notified in advance about probation revocation hearing.
- To allow no public access coverage of sex offense proceedings.
- To have as a special condition of post- prison supervision that the person convicted in your case not live within three miles of your home if you were younger than 18 years old when the crime occurred (exceptions may apply).

A victim may request other rights that apply after conviction or juvenile disposition. Please contact the Juvenile Department, Board of Parole and Post-Prison Supervision or Psychiatric Security Review Board to request there rights. (See second page of this form for more information.)

Name and Address (Please Print)

Daytime Phone Number

E-Mail Address

Name of the Defendant or Alleged Youth Offender in Your Case and Her/His SID Number

If Available, Case Number

Victims' Rights Request Form Post-Sentence (Adult)/ Post-Disposition (Juvenile)

As a victim of crime in Oregon, you have legal rights. Many of these rights go into effect automatically. However, some of the rights would apply after a criminal conviction or juvenile disposition. **To request one of these rights**, you must contact your county's Juvenile Department, the Oregon Board of Parole and Post-Prison Supervision, the Oregon Psychiatric Security Review Board, or the Juvenile Psychiatric Review Board.

VINE (Victim Information Notification Everyday), a victim notification system, gives victims of crime 24-hour access to the custody status, including the location of custody, of all in-custody adult offenders. This information includes changes in parole or probation status, release, transfer, escapes, deaths and some court appearances. VINE also includes custody information for youth offenders in Oregon Youth Authority facilities. You can contact VINE at 1-877-674-8463 or at www.VINELINK.com.

- To be notified in advance of certain juvenile hearings, contact your county's juvenile department.
- To be notified when someone in custody of the Department of Correction is released, contact the Oregon Board of Parole and Post-Prison Supervision at 503-945-0907.
- To be notified 30 days in advance of Parole Board hearings, contact the Oregon Board of Parole and Post-Prison Supervision at 503-945-0907. (These hearings occur only in certain adult criminal cases.)
- If the defendant or alleged youth offender is under the authority of the Psychiatric Security Review Board or the Juvenile Psychiatric Security Review Board, you may be notified in advance of hearings when the defendant or alleged youth offender is released, discharged or escapes by contacting the Oregon Psychiatric Security Review Boards at 503-229-5596. If you want to be notified as soon as possible of an escape, notify the facility where the defendant or alleged youth offender is committed.