

# Contribution Form

# Kentucky's Crime Victims Compensation Fund

Silverleaf is a 501.c3 nonprofit agency, all donations are tax deductible. Donations are necessary for Silverleaf operations and development of services. Please contact Silverleaf for more information on making a donation or mail with the completed form below.

Any person who is a victim of a criminal act and has sustained bodily or psychological injury or loss of earnings as a result of the crime is eligible. In the case of a death of a qualifying crime victim, a surviving spouse, parent or child, or any person dependent on the victim for principal support.

Applications are available from your local police department, County Attorney, Commonwealth Attorney, or Silverleaf. Claims must be filed with the Crime Victim's Compensation Board, 130 Brighton Park Boulevard, Frankfort, KY 40601 or call 800-469-2120 for information.



sexual trauma recovery services

**PLEASE DETACH THIS SECTION AND MAIL IT TO THE ADDRESS BELOW.**

Silverleaf Sexual Trauma Recovery Services  
751 S. Provident Way  
Elizabethtown, KY 42701

**SERVICES FOR  
VICTIMS OF SEXUAL  
ASSAULT AND  
SEXUAL ABUSE**

This donation is in honor or memory of

Name

Address

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## Child Victim's Trust Fund

The Child Sexual Abuse and Exploitation Prevention Board (CSAEP Board) was created in 1984 by KRS 15.905 for the coordination and exchange of information on the establishment and maintenance of prevention programs \*(KRS 15.920). The Board oversees the Child Victims Trust Fund (CVTF), a non-profit program that provides local communities with funding for child sexual abuse prevention programs and reimbursement for the portion of sexual abuse medical exam expenses not covered by Medicaid or private insurance.

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## Donations of Time

Silverleaf also relies on volunteers for the donations of time and energy. If you would like more information about volunteering, complete the contact information above and you can expect an application in the mail soon. Our volunteers are required to attend agency training, complete a criminal records screening and attend continuing education.

# Our Services Include the Following:

Silverleaf is a 501c3 nonprofit organization funded by state and federal grants and community donations.

Silverleaf functions uniquely as a combined Rape Crisis Center and Children's Advocacy Center covering the eight counties of the Lincoln Trail Area Development District. Those counties are Breckinridge, Grayson, Hardin, LaRue, Marion, Meade, Nelson and Washington.

Silverleaf is located in an easily accessible regional facility in Elizabethtown, KY, where victims can comfortably deal with all aspects of their abuse.

All of the Advocacy & Support Center's services are provided at no cost to the victim and/or their non-offending caregivers.



The mission of Silverleaf Sexual Trauma Recovery Services is to reduce the incidence and effects of sexual victimization. This is accomplished through the provision of a wide array of services to victims and community members including crisis counseling, therapy, advocacy, support, information/referral, consultation and education.

**CRISIS INTERVENTION** - Silverleaf provides a 24 hour crisis line that allows victims and their caregivers or friends to talk with specially trained staff. Callers may speak anonymously or request further services from Silverleaf. Anyone can access the hotline by dialing 270-234-9236, or toll-free at 1-877-672-2124, Silverleaf participates in the Rape Abuse and Incest National Network (RAINN), so you can also dial 1-800-656-HOPE for a national rape crisis line.

**ON-SITE MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS AND VICTIM SUPPORT** - Forensic evidence collection exams can be completed within 96 hours after an assault at Silverleaf's regional facility, if the victim is 14 years or older and has sustained no serious physical injury from the assault. These exams are completed by a Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE), a registered nurse who has specialized training to complete sexual assault exams. If it is necessary for a victim to have an examination at a local hospital emergency room because of medical concerns, someone from Silverleaf can accompany the victim during that process for support.

Additionally, Silverleaf offers medical exams for children age 13 and under. A referral request must be made by the investigating agency before an exam will be scheduled. A physician with specialized training will complete the medical exam on site. If Silverleaf is unable to do the exam, staff will assist the victim in scheduling an appointment with a trained physician at the nearest facility. To access a medical examination for a victim, call Silverleaf and staff or volunteers will assist in exploring the most appropriate options and referrals.

**COUNSELING** - Mental health professionals are available for short-term individual and family therapy with victims and non-offending friends and family members.

**EDUCATION** - Silverleaf provides education and training programs to child, adolescent and adult groups as well as professionals. Education on the state wide Green Dot prevention program is also available.

**VICTIM ADVOCACY** - Trained advocates assist victims throughout the court system by orienting them to its complexities and acting as a liaison with prosecutors and investigators. If you would like contact with an advocate, please call the office. Victim advocates provide support and information, not legal advice or legal assistance.

**INFORMATION AND REFERRAL** - Silverleaf acts as a resource for professionals and community members needing assistance or information related to sexual abuse and assault. Assistance is also available to direct victims and family members to appropriate resources.

**CONSULTATION** - Silverleaf provides consultations to various professionals and agencies regarding programmatic and general sexual assault and sexual abuse issues; including facilitating the development and implementation of multidisciplinary team investigations.

**ON-SITE INTERVIEW ROOMS** - A forensic interview is a structured questioning of a child or adult for the purpose of gathering information to further the criminal investigation of an abuse allegation. Silverleaf offers both directly provided as well as hosted forensic interviews. The main office in Elizabethtown has victim friendly child and adult interview rooms equipped with closed circuit audiovisual capabilities. Referrals for Silverleaf conducted forensic interviews are screened and accepted M-F during regular office hours and are scheduled in advance.

**VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES** - Silverleaf volunteers may choose to provide crisis counseling via the 24 hour crisis phone line, provide medical advocacy, education, fund-raising and office assistance. Volunteers must be 20 years of age or older to provide direct victim services and complete a 40 hour training provided by Silverleaf. All volunteers must complete a criminal background check and be free of any felony convictions or charges.