



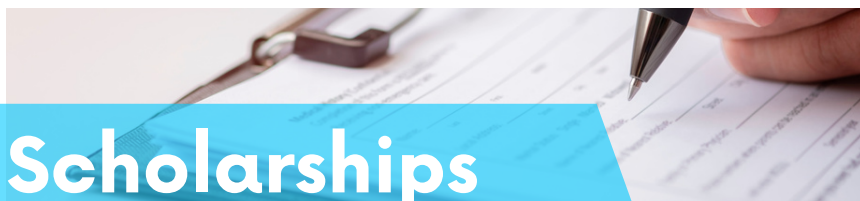
2023 VIRGINIA VICTIMS FUND SYMPOSIUM

Join Us

Learn + Collaborate

The Virginia Victims Fund's second annual Symposium is bringing together Victim Witness/Services professionals, law enforcement, hospital-based advocates, family service professionals and others, to strengthen the landscape of victim compensation in Virginia.

Submit the attached registration form to attend this one-day session, held at the Greater Richmond Convention Center.



Scholarships

Limited lodging scholarships are available for staff of Victim Witness Programs. The application can be downloaded under the 'Registration Fees' section on the Symposium website [here](#). VVF will accept and review scholarship applications as funding permits. Priority will be given to staff traveling long distances.

OCTOBER 19, 2023

8:30 AM - 5:00 PM

REGISTRATION: \$75

Complete and submit the attached Registration Form or register online [here](#).

**JOIN US AT THE
GREATER RICHMOND
CONVENTION CENTER
RICHMOND, VIRGINIA**



Questions?

800-552-4007

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Helping Innocent Victims of Crime

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Location & Lodging

The Symposium will be held at the Greater Richmond Convention Center. Visit richmondcenter.com for directions, parking rates and center details.

Staying overnight? Get a conference group rate of \$184 (single/double) per night at the Hilton Richmond Downtown.

Reserve the group rate [here](#) by September 17th or call the hotel at 800-HILTONS and reference the VWC Conference 2023.

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About VVF

The Virginia Victims Fund (VVF), a division of the Virginia Workers' Compensation Commission, is a state program created to help victims of violent crime with out of pocket expenses. These can include medical bills, prescriptions, funeral expenses, and many other expenses. VVF is funded by court fines, restitution collected from offenders, federal grants and private donations. No tax dollars are used.

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AGENDA

Thursday, October 19, 2023

Greater Richmond Convention Center, Room B15A, Level 1

20 VIRGINIA VICTIMS FUND
23 SYMPOSIUM

Visit Exhibitors in Grand Ballroom B21BC, Level 2!

BREAKFAST

7:30am-8:30am

REGISTRATION

8:00am-8:30am

WELCOME

8:30am-9:15am

GENERAL SESSION

9:30am-10:30am

BREAK

10:30am-10:45am

KEYNOTE

10:45am-12:00pm

LUNCH

12:00pm-1:00pm

GENERAL SESSION

1:15pm-2:30pm

BREAK

2:30pm-2:45pm

GENERAL SESSION

2:45pm-4:00pm

MINI SESSION

4:00pm-4:25pm

CLOSING REMARKS

4:25pm-4:30pm

Continental Breakfast

Located in Grand Ballroom B21BC, Level 2

Registration

Outside of Room B15A, Level 1

Opening Remarks & VVF Updates

Shannon Dion, *VVF Director*

A Model of Collaboration

The Honorable Bethany Harrison, *Commonwealth Attorney for the City of Lynchburg, Mary Booker, Lynchburg Victim Witness Director*

Break

Located in Grand Ballroom B21BC, Level 2

A Vision of Excellence for Sustainable Collaboration and Impact in Victim Compensation and Victim Services

Kristina Rose, *Director, Office for Victims of Crime, D.C.*

Group Luncheon

Enjoy lunch & visit Exhibitors in Grand Ballroom B21BC, Level 2

Victim Voices in the Criminal Justice Process

Amber Leake, *Victim Services Director, Virginia Department of Corrections*,
Two survivors of the criminal justice system

Break

Visit Exhibitors in Grand Ballroom B21BC, Level 2

The Value-Add: Expert Advice on Advocating for Your Program

Danielle C. Kitchen, *National Advocate Credentialing Program, National Organization for Victim Assistance*,
Nicky Zamostny, *Riverside Strategies*,
Jonathan Yglesias, *Virginia Sexual and Domestic Violence Action Alliance*

Questions & Answers with VVF Staff

Closing Remarks

Shannon Dion *VVF, Director*

VVF Stations

Visit the VVF Team at these stations, available throughout the day, to learn more:

Claims

Get updates on your claims.

Restitution

Help us find victims in your locality.

SAFE

Learn about the SAFE process.



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Conference Registration Rate: \$75

Pay By Credit Card or By Check:



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To register online and pay by credit card click [here](#).

Check enclosed. Make payable to IWCF and mail to: IWCF, 570 Memorial Circle, Suite 320, Ormond Beach, FL 32174.

Attendee Name: _____

(Please PRINT name as you wish it to appear at the Symposium.)

Business Name: _____ **Title:** _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Telephone: _____ **Email:** _____

Area of Interest:

- Victim Services Law Enforcement Healthcare Provider
 Behavioral/Mental Health Criminal Justice
 SAFE Payment Program Family Services

Cancellation Policy: Cancellation must be made before 5:00 pm on October 10, 2023. Substitution of personnel is recommended in lieu of cancellation after that date. The full registration fee will be forfeited if you fail to attend or cancel in a timely manner.

Special Needs: Individuals who need auxiliary aids or special services should provide notice of their needs via email to compconference@iwcf.us no later than 10 working days before the event so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

Dress Code: Business casual attire is appropriate.