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TENNESSEE SEXUAL ASSAULT SURVIVORS RIGHTS

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Your Rights As A Sexual Assault Victim

- A victim of a sexually-oriented crime, shall be entitled to forensic medical examinations without charge to the victim.
- Victims shall not be required to report the incident to law enforcement officers or to cooperate in the prosecution of the crime in order to be eligible for payment of forensic medical examinations.
- Eligible for compensation under the Criminal Injuries Compensation Act.

Crime Victim Bill of Rights

YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO:

- The RIGHT to confer with the prosecutor about their case.
- The RIGHT to be free from harassment, intimidation, and abuse throughout the criminal justice system.
- The RIGHT to be at all proceedings where the defendant has the right to be present.
- The RIGHT to be heard, when relevant, at all critical stages of the criminal justice process as defined by the General Assembly.
- The RIGHT to be informed of all proceedings, and of the release, transfer or escape of the accused or convicted person.
- The RIGHT to a speedy trial or disposition and a prompt and final conclusion of the case after the conviction or sentence.
- The RIGHT to restitution from the offender.
- The RIGHT to know about each of these rights established for victims.



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