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The Office for Victims of Crime Training and Technical Assistance Center (OVC TTAC) provides comprehensive training, technical assistance, and other support to assist the field in building its collective capacity to serve crime victims.

Instructor-led Trainings

- The OVC Training Schedule brings practical skill-building sessions to victim service providers throughout the country. CEUs are offered for full participation and completion of all requirements for select trainings. www.ovcttac.gov/TrainingSchedule

Training by Request

- OVC now offers Training by Request as another option for program leaders who wish to organize a specific training for their own region. OVC TTAC will provide instructors, an onsite coordinator, all training materials for the instructors, and a Participant Manual for each participant at no cost to you or to the participants www.ovcttac.gov/TBR

National Victim Assistance Academy

- The National Victim Assistance Academy (NVAA) is an education and training classroom experience for professionals and volunteers who assist victims and survivors of crime. The NVAA includes three instructional tracks: Track 1, Foundation-Level Training, Track 2, Professional Skill-Building Institute, and Track 3, Leadership Institute. CEUs are offered for full participation and completion of all NVAA requirements. www.ovcttac.gov/NVAA

Online Trainings

- Victim Assistance Training Online is a basic victim advocacy web-based training program that offers victim service providers and allied professionals the opportunity to acquire the skills and knowledge they need to better assist victims of crime. Specific information is also provided to meet the needs of target populations. www.ovcttac.gov/VATOnline
- Identity Theft Victim Assistance Online Training: Supporting Victims' Financial and Emotional Recovery is a user-friendly e-learning tool that provides victim service providers and allied professionals the knowledge and skills to more effectively serve victims of identity theft and assist with their financial and emotional recovery. www.ovcttac.gov/IdentityTheft

Online Resources

- The Anti-Human Trafficking Task Force Strategy and Operations e-Guide provides direction and development for the formation of new anti-human trafficking Task Forces, creative strategies, examples, and lessons learned from existing Task Forces, and links to valued tools, trainings and resources. www.ovcttac.gov/TaskForceGuide
- VictimLaw is a comprehensive, user-friendly, database of victims' rights statutes, tribal laws, constitutional amendments, court rules, administrative code provisions, and case summaries of related court decisions that meet the needs of attorneys, victim service providers, victims, and the general public. www.victimlaw.info

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Instructor Materials

- Sexual Assault Advocate/Counselor Training is a course designed to teach advocates how to provide competent, effective crisis intervention services to victims and survivors of sexual assault.
www.ovcttac.gov/SAACT
- Victim Impact: Listen and Learn uses a victim-centered approach that is designed to help facilitators in their efforts to make offenders more aware of the impact that crime has on victims, to take responsibility for their actions, and begin to make amends.
www.ovcttac.gov/VictimImpact
- Ethics in Victim Services is designed to provide information and skills related to ethical standards in victim services and ethical decisionmaking.
www.ovcttac.gov/Ethics
- NVAA Foundation-Level Training Curriculum is available to victim service providers and allied professionals to download for their use. These materials have been peer reviewed and pilot tested, and they are continually being refined and updated for future NVAAAs.
www.ovcttac.gov/NVAACurriculum

Scholarship Programs

- The Professional Development Scholarship Program provides support for victim service professionals to attend trainings and conferences that will enhance their ability to work with victims of crime. The program provides up to \$1,000 for individuals and up to \$5,000 for multidisciplinary teams of victim service professionals seeking continuing education opportunities.
www.ovcttac.gov/PDS
- The Crime Victim/Survivor Scholarship Program provides eligible agencies and organizations sponsoring state conferences that focus on enhancing victim services with funds to offer scholarships that help eligible victims/survivors attend their conference.
www.ovcttac.gov/CVS

Training and Technical Assistance

- OVC TTAC offers specialized training and technical assistance (TTA) to meet your organization's needs. All TTA is designed to help build capacity and improve the quality of services offered to crime victims, including topics such as human trafficking, compassion fatigue, and sexual assault nurse examiner training.
www.ovcttac.gov/TTA

Consultant Network

- OVC TTAC supports capacity-building needs of organizations serving victims of crime. To do this, we are always looking for highly skilled professionals who are effective educators of adults and able to share their expertise with service providers. The availability of a skilled, high quality, and diverse consultant network is critical to OVC TTAC's success in managing training and technical assistance resources designated to support OVC programs, projects, and activities.
www.ovcttac.gov/BecomeConsultant

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