

APPLICABLE CRIMES:

- Any crime identified by law enforcement, district attorney, or court as domestic violence
- Assault
- Bias-motivated crime
- Burglary
- Careless driving that results in the death of another person;
- Child abuse
- Child prostitution – soliciting, inducement, patronizing, pimping
- Crimes against at-risk adults or at-risk juveniles
- Criminally negligent homicide
- Failure to stop at the scene of an accident that results in the death of another person;
- Human Trafficking
- Incest
- Indecent exposure
- Invasion of privacy for sexual gratification
- Kidnapping
- Manslaughter
- Menacing
- Murder
- Procurement of a child for sexual exploitation
- Retaliation against a judge, juror, or prosecutor
- Retaliation, tampering, or intimidation against a witness or victim
- Robbery
- Sexual assault on a child
- Sexual assault o
- Unlawful sexual contact
- Sexual exploitation of children
- Stalking and harassment in DV case
- Vehicular assault
- Vehicular homicide
- Violation of a protection order in DV case

AS A VICTIM OF CRIME, YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO:

- **Be treated with fairness, respect and dignity**
- **To be informed about what steps can be taken including information about protective services in case of harassment or intimidation.**
- **Pursue a civil judgment against anyone who has committed a crime against you and to have restitution ordered.**
- **Information regarding victim compensation and community services.**
- **Be kept informed during all critical stages of the criminal justice process and be present for specific stages.**
- **To decide to opt out or discontinue receiving notifications and to opt back in at a later juncture.**

(Colorado Revised Statutes 24-4.1-301-304)

You will be informed at any of the following critical stages concerning your case:

- Screening for placement
- Arrival and projected release date
- Notice of escape or termination of custody
- Release or discharge from confinement
- Transfer of programs or placement in a non-secured facility with access to the community
- Rejection after acceptance
- Reconsideration or modification of sentence
- Petition to cease sex offender registration
- Filing of a complaint, summons, or warrant
- Change of venue or transfer of supervision
- Request for Early termination or release



Victim Services Program

This brochure provides information for victims of a crime in which the offender was sentenced to be supervised by Larimer County Community Corrections or Alternative Sentencing Department. Victims have the right to be treated with fairness, dignity and respect throughout the criminal justice process.

"INFORMED, PRESENT, AND HEARD"

As a victim or member of the victim's family, your rights are guaranteed by the Colorado Constitution.

Victim Services Specialists are available to you to help you navigate the criminal justice system and keep you informed at all critical stages. Our goal is to ensure victims are treated with compassion and respect.

Community Corrections

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Alternative Sentencing Department

**2307 Midpoint Drive
Fort Collins CO 80525
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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

What is Community Corrections?

Larimer County Community Corrections is an alternative to a prison sentence. Offenders are screened by a local Community Corrections Board and live in a controlled, residential environment in the community, leaving for work, passes, and treatment services. After successful completion of the residential phase, offenders may live at an approved location for the rest of their sentence.

While on community supervision, offenders live in the community but have frequent contact with the facility through required meetings with their case manager and random drug and alcohol testing.

If an offender fails to comply with the requirements of their court ordered sentence or the program rules, they can be terminated from the program and returned to court for re-sentencing. For questions or concerns contact Victim Witness Specialist at LCCC: Andrea Dockery at 970-498-7503.

If all local efforts to obtain your rights have failed, you may request assistance from the Governor's Victims Coordinating Committee. For additional information, call the Office for Victims Programs at the Division of Criminal Justice (303) 239-4442.

How can I be informed?

You will be automatically enrolled in victim notification if you are a victim of a qualifying crime (see applicable crimes on the other side of this brochure). You have the right to opt out of receiving notifications at any time. To Opt Out please contact our Victim Services Specialists in writing at :
dockerak@larimer.org or
bryantkm@larimer.org.

You also have the right to be heard regarding Community Corrections Selections and will be contacted by our Victim Services Department to see if you are interested in providing information regarding how the crime impacted you and your family.

Finally, we value your voice and understand your concerns. We understand that you may want to move on from the crime and may not want any more contact at one point and then later change your mind and wish to be informed again. You can change your mind at any time to opt out and then opt back in. Know that if you choose to opt out we will no longer contact you for any stage and will close your file. If you wish to opt back in you will need to contact the Victims Service Unit of either Community Corrections or the Alternative Sentencing Department.

What is the Alternative Sentencing Program?

The Alternative Sentencing Department (ASD) includes Work Release, Midweeks and Workender programs, and Electronic Home Detention. A defendant can be sentenced to any of the above programs as an alternative to serving straight jail time.

These programs allow the defendant to maintain their employment and other responsibilities while serving their jail sentence. Work Release participants do have access to the community but are monitored by ASD staff and must have approval for employment, appointments, and other activities. Midweeks and Workenders is unique in that they serve intermittent sentences with ASD for two day intervals. When they are not in custody for the two day period they will not be under our supervision.

For questions or concerns please contact the Victim Services Specialist at ASD: Kathy Bryant 970-980-2688.