

ABOUT THE LEGAL AID SOCIETY

The Legal Aid Society of Northeastern New York fights for fairness, dignity, and justice for those living in poverty and for a society which is inclusive and equitable for all. We transform lives, build community, empower people by using the law to address individual and systemic wrongs and inequities.

We believe equal justice for all means protecting and advancing the rights of the most vulnerable. We recognize that the barriers of poverty are compounded by discrimination due to characteristics such as nationality, race, ethnicity, gender or gender identity, sexual orientation, age, disability, religion, and political affiliation.

We provide transformative justice through collaborative every day legal services on behalf of poor people. We live and work in our communities for positive change, promoting growth and human potential, redressing systemic and historic wrongs, seeking the freedom and equitable participation for all in civic, economic, and social life. We use the full-range of legal tools and work with key partners and communities to achieve creative and innovative solutions.

- We listen, learn from, and empower the communities we serve by addressing their needs and being accountable for our work.
- Our culture of diversity, equity, and inclusion reflects our values inside and out.

Serving Crime Victims in Warren, Washington, Saratoga, Fulton, Schoharie, and St. Lawrence Counties. Please call your local crime victim service provider for a referral to the Crime Victims Attorney Project.

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518-462-6765 or 1-800-462-2992

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6 Market Street, Amsterdam, NY 12010
518-842-9466 or 1-800-821-8347

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315-386-4586 or 1-800-822-8283

100 Court Street, Plattsburgh, NY 12901
518-563-4022 or 1-800-722-7380

40 New Street, Saratoga Springs, NY 12866
518-587-5188 or 1-800-870-8343

Funding for CVAP is provided in part by the Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) Victim and Witness Assistance Funds, administered by the New York State Office of Victim Services.

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WHAT WE DO:

The Crime Victims Attorney Project (CVAP) is funded through subcontracts with victim service provider partners who receive funding through New York State's Office of Victim Services (OVS) to provide easily accessible, high quality, coordinated, victim-sensitive, trauma-informed civil legal services to victims of crime in Warren, Washington, Saratoga, Fulton, Montgomery, and St. Lawrence Counties regardless of their income. While priority may be given to lower income victims, as long as resources permit, no means prioritization is used.

This project responds specifically to the need for attorney services coordinated with crime victim services available to victims in the local communities served by this project. The CVAP specifically supports and assists victims as they access available victim compensation and fully utilize their rights under New York's Crime Victims Law and provides skilled and empathetic representation in orders of protection, custody, child support, matrimonial, and other legal matters. The CVAP serves victims of crime through in-person and telephone contact with legal assistance, including in-court representation and advocacy related to civil and criminal proceedings.

CVAP VICTIM SERVICE PROVIDER PARTNERS:

Warren and Washington Counties:

Domestic Violence Project of Catholic Charities of Warren/Washington Counties
518-793-9496

Saratoga County:

Wellspring, Inc.
518-584-8188
Mechanicville Area Community Services Center
518-664-4008

Fulton County:

Family Counseling Center of Fulton County
518-725-5300

Schoharie County

Catholic Charities of Delaware, Otsego & Schoharie County
518-234-3581

St. Lawrence County:

Renewal House
315-379-9845

