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Victim Support Netherlands

Victim Support Netherlands offers practical, emotional and legal support to victims of crime, disasters and traffic accidents as well as some legal assistance for victims joining the criminal procedure as civil claimants.

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offers victim support, primarily of a non-legal nature, and some legal assistance for victims joining the criminal procedure as civil claimants

provides assistance in claim settlements and legal procedures

helps victims of various crimes including car accidents, confrontation with violence (abuse, threats), robbery, sexual violence, domestic violence, etc.

has 75 regional offices (bureaus) throughout the Netherlands

CONTACTS:

Website: <http://www.slachtofferhulp.nl/>

For contact details of the regional offices (bureaus) of Victim Support Netherlands click [here](#).

CoMensha Foundation

CoMensha Foundation has regional and local networks for reception and assistance of victims of human trafficking providing information and various forms of support. It functions as the central coordinator for registration of and support to victims of human trafficking.

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has regional and local networks for reception and assistance of victims of human trafficking corresponding to the respective police areas

provides information and advice to victims

offers help with the finding of safe place or shelter

provides assistance for obtaining social support

CONTACTS:

Website: <http://www.mensenhandel.nl/>

Support Points Domestic Violence

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CONTACTS:

Website: <http://www.huiselijkgeweld.nl/>

Byway Foundation

Byway Foundation consists of 'experts by experience' who voluntarily assist women and children who are victims of domestic violence or stalking by ex-partners. It focuses on female victims.

Byway Foundation has the following aims

to informing female victims and others involved

to reduce or take away the taboo around domestic violence

to influence policies, regulations and legislation so that the interests and needs of female victims and their children are better represented and served

prevention by education for girls, women and their social environment about the signals of partner-violence and stalking

CONTACTS:

Website: <http://www.stichtingzijweg.nl/>

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CONTACTS:

Website: <http://www.juridischloket.nl/>

For contact details of the regional offices of Legal Assistance Counter click [here](#).

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