

What Other Services Are Provided by the Red Lake General Crime Victim Service Program?

COMMUNITY EDUCATION/TRAINING

Can provide presentations to service programs, schools, and any other requesting organization. Topics include:

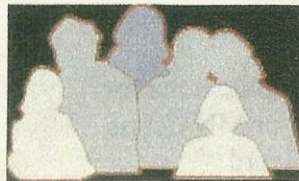
- Nature/Scope of Victimization
- Prevention Strategies
- Available Services



For more information or to access services call the General Crime Advocate at 218-679-1902, Mon-Fri, 8:00 AM to 4:15PM Office at Law Enforcement. Emergency Advocacy call Evenings and Weekends: 218-679-3737 (Collect) Or call 1-800-943-8997

"Among the Indians there have been no written laws. Customs handed down from generation to generation have been the only laws to guide them. Every one might act different from what was considered right did he choose to do so, but such acts would bring upon him the censure of the Nation...This fear of the Nation's censure acted as a mighty band, binding all in one social, honorable compact."

*George Copway
(Kah-ge-ga-gah-bowh)
(1818-1863)
Ojibwa Chief*



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SAFETY,

SUPPORT,

SERVICES

What is the Red Lake General Crime Victim Service Program?

It is a program designed to provide advocacy, support and safety for victims of crime on the Red Lake Indian Reservation.

WHO IS A VICTIM OF CRIME?

A victim of crime is a male or female who is the victim of crimes that include but are not limited to:

- Assault
- Robbery
- Burglary
- Homicide
- DWI Crashes
- Motor Vehicle Theft
- Arson
- Criminal Damage to Property
- Elder/Vulnerable Adult Abuse
- Sexual Assault
- Domestic Violence

Call for assistance for crimes of
Sexual Assault – 218-679-3737
Domestic Violence – 218-679-3737
Or toll free - 1-800-943-8997

What Services are Provided to Victims by the Red Lake General Crime Victim Program?

CRISIS INTERVENTION

Immediate support for emotional and physical needs.

24 – Hour crisis line – 218-679-3737 or
Toll Free - 1-800-943-8997

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Assistance with Safety Planning
Court Advocacy with Follow-up
Empathetic Listening
Advocacy and Referral to Tribal, State or
Federal agencies
Assistance with filing Applications for
Emergency Funds and/or MN Crime
Victims Reparations Board

COURT RELATED SERVICES

Transportation and Accompaniment to Court
During Trial
Information about Legal Resources
Assistance in filing Restraining Orders, Order
For Protection

Red Lake Nation Rights and Responsibilities of a Victim of Crime include:

- Right to Be Treated with Fairness and Respect
- Right to Be Reasonably Protected from the Accused
- Right to Be Notified of Court Proceedings
- Right to Be Present at all Court Proceedings
- Right to Confer With Tribal Prosecutor Assigned to Case
- Right to Be Consulted Involving Release, Plea or Input at Sentencing
- Right to Restitution, if Applicable
- Right to be Notified of the Final Outcome of the Case
- Right to Information on Crime Victim Financial Assistance Program(s)
- Right to Bring Supportive Person to Court Hearing(s)
- **IT IS EACH VICTIM'S RESPONSIBILITY TO LIST THEIR CURRENT TELEPHONE NUMBER WITH TRIBAL PROSECUTION -**
- **218-679-3303**