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The Victim Care Service is delivered by the national charity, Victim Support, on behalf of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Hampshire and the Isle of Wight.

Our Teams

Our support is delivered by a highly trained team of caseworkers. Our Multicrime Team support victims of all crime types including anti-social behaviour and sexual violence

Our Leading Lights accredited Domestic Abuse Team provide support, risk assessments, safety planning and reassurance in a non-judgmental way. Our caseworkers can work with other agencies across the area to provide the highest quality of support for individuals

Our Children and Young People Team offer support for all crimes for those aged 4 and upwards. This may be directly with the child or delivered with the support of parents/guardians/trusted adults. The support is delivered in an engaging way using a huge range of activities and resources that is especially adapted to each child.

How we can help

Here are some examples of what we can offer:

- Developing coping strategies
- Scoping support networks
- Managing feelings and emotions
- Providing someone to talk to around the impact of the crime
- Low cost security items
- Access to resources including a personalised online support platform.
- Advocacy
- Information provision
- Safety planning
- Referrals to other specialist agencies
- Crime prevention advice
- Help to re-integrate back into schools and the community

"One call from my caseworker and I felt people actually wanted to help me. I felt listened to. I had so much help for both me and my daughter – it was unbelievable"

Service User