

Victims' Entitlements

Criminal Justice

The entitlements victim codes set out, and what each means.

Codes vary, but the categories recur across jurisdictions.

Entitlement	What it means in practice
Information	Updates on case progress and decisions
Support	Referral to services, reported or not
Protection	Measures reducing contact and intimidation
Participation	A statement, and to be heard where allowed
Review	Seeking review of a decision not to prosecute
Compensation	State or court-ordered awards, where available

Educational reference. Entitlements, and whether they are enforceable at all, differ by jurisdiction. Not legal advice on any case.