

## Restitution Request Guide

The following is a guide to assist you in completing your restitution request. Some of these expenses may not apply to your situation. These examples are not a comprehensive list, only a guide. **Please be aware that the decision to assess restitution is up to the Judge at the time of sentencing.**

Examples of expenses that <u>may</u> be recovered through restitution	Examples of expenses NOT recovered through restitution
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Medical/Dental expenses actually incurred and reasonably expected to be incurred</li> <li>• Medication costs</li> <li>• Physical therapy, Occupational therapy, Rehabilitation actually incurred or reasonably expected to be incurred</li> <li>• Ambulance services</li> <li>• Psychological treatment</li> <li>• Funeral expenses</li> <li>• The cost of a tax deduction due to a dependant's death (if deceased victim could be claimed as a dependant by the parent (s) or guardian)</li> <li>• The value of the property on the date of the damage, loss or destruction, or the value on the date of the sentencing</li> <li>• Costs of impoundment of a vehicle</li> <li>• Cost of repairs to property</li> <li>• After-tax income loss suffered by the victim or the victim's estate</li> <li>• Cost of homemaking and child care costs actually incurred and reasonably expected to be incurred as a result of the crime</li> <li>• Psychological and medical treatment for members of the victim's family actually incurred and reasonably expected to be incurred</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Payment for psychological pain, distress or suffering</li> <li>• Any non-economic damages</li> <li>• Lost wages for a family member of a victim [unless the victim is a minor, pursuant to the Crime Victim's Rights Act, MCL 780.752, Sec. 2 (j) (iii) ]</li> </ul>

\* IMPORTANT \* Examples of documentation that should be included when you return this form are: medical/dental bills, physical and occupational therapy bills, bills for ambulance service, medication receipts, receipts of insurance payments, letters from employer to document lost wages, estimates for stolen or damaged property, or counseling bills.

*Our office will not disclose your information to the defendant or the defense attorney.*