

2023 Call for Proposals: Victim Empowerment Programme Specifications

OPPORTUNITY FOR NPOS TO APPLY FOR FUNDING FOR SOCIAL WELFARE AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT SERVICES IN THE WESTERN CAPE: PROGRAMME SPECIFICATIONS – VICTIM EMPOWERMENT PROGRAMME

Victim Empowerment Programme			
Prevention Early	Output Reduce prevalence of Gender Based Violence Output	Provision of evidence-based community educational workshops, programmes, intervention addressing: - Patriarchy, - healthy masculinity - the cycle of violence - Psycho-social support of Gender-Based Violence Victims	
Intervention	Increasing resilience of adult victims of crime and violence, their family members/significan t others, and members from high-risk communities.	 (including services at Thuthuzela Care Centres and designated health centres) Trauma debriefing, counselling & support of especially sexual violence and domestic violence victims Therapeutic intervention: individual/couple/groups with adult victims as well as alleged perpetrators of crime and violence Support groups for victims of crime and violence Provide survivor focussed programmes that address the cyclical nature of violence Training of Service Providers including Social Service Professions on accredited Victim Empowerment Programmes; Trauma Intervention; Restoration and Healing Shelter services (includes the need for service providers in Eden Karoo Overberg, and the West Coast region): New shelter applications must have appropriate zoning and fire safety clearance Shelter services must be in compliance with the Minimum Standards for Service Delivery in Victim Empowerment Services Provided to women and their children who are victims of crime and violence Shelter services; First Stage (1-3 months) for GBV victims (incl LGBTIAQ+ persons) Shelter service to include therapeutic intervention (individual/couple/family/group) aimed at restoration and healing; addressing the cycle of violence; intervention with the children who enter the shelter with the mothers; ECD service available (on or off site); delivering of/ ensuring services to the alleged perpetrator; exit strategy/reintegration plan for each client; accredited skills development/training and job placement as part of exit strategy Second stage (3-6 months) 	

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Statutory	Output Adult victims of crime and violence, their family members/ significant others are well supported and empowered to be strong participants in the Criminal Justice system, ensuring	 Khuseleka One Stop Centre service offering a continuum of services for adult victims of crime and violence Emergency shelter services (Safe houses)- maximum stay of two weeks, -including services to the LGBTI Accredited shelter services for PACOTIP victims Psycho-social court support services at priority courts Trauma intervention initial & formal debriefing, counselling, support, therapeutic intervention (individual/ couple/ group) Access to shelter services for protection & therapeutic interventions 	
	safer communities		
Re-integration	Socially included, optimally functioning and self-reliant individuals and families	- Psycho-social/ educational support groups	