



CICA CLAIMS

If you are the survivor of a violent crime, you may be entitled to compensation via the Government funded Criminal Injuries Compensation Scheme (CICA).

The effects of physical, psychological and sexual abuse can have far reaching implications. Whilst we cannot change what has happened in the past, we will endeavour to ensure you receive compensation that can enable you to move forward, seek any required support and rebuild your life.

Through the CICA scheme, survivors can claim for acts of abuse and psychological injuries suffered as well as loss of earnings.

Claims are made to the Government scheme and do not involve the perpetrator of the crime, so claims can be made in confidence without the worry of having further contact with the perpetrator/s.

If you have been subjected to a violent crime you may be able to make a claim which may include:

- Injury Payments (for the acts of the abuse and psychological injuries)
- Loss of Earnings Payments
- Special Expenses Payments



What is a CICA claim?

This is a Government funded scheme designed to compensate blameless survivors of violent crime in England, Scotland and Wales.

A 'crime of violence' is defined as either:

- A physical attack
- An act or omission of a violent nature that causes physical injury to a person
- A threat against a person, causing fear of immediate violence in circumstances that would cause a person of reasonable firmness to be put in such fear
- Sexual assault
- Arson or fire-raising

How can Jordans Solicitors help?

Jordans have experience in dealing with a wide range of CICA applications and we have a dedicated national abuse department that specialise in these cases.

Our expert team of lawyers are here to provide support and guidance at a very difficult time. They can explain the legal technicalities of the scheme and maximise the award that you may be entitled to.

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