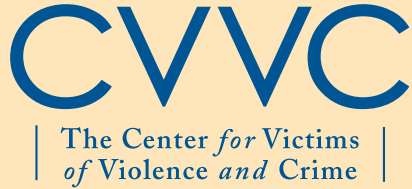


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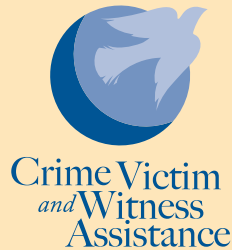
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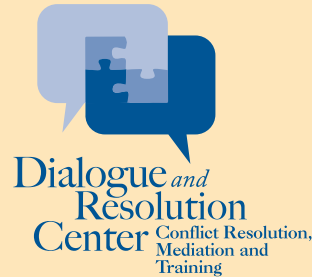
This year, The Center for Victims of Violence and Crime once again touched the lives of more than 28,000 men, women and children through our unique continuum of services, training and restorative justice opportunities. And once again, community support from people like you made it possible for CVVC staff and volunteers to do more and reach more with our programs to:

Heal Trauma.



CVC's Crime Victim and Witness Assistance offers individuals, families and communities a comprehensive response to help heal from the trauma and harm caused by all forms of violence and crime.

Resolve Conflict.



The Dialogue and Resolution Center (DRC) facilitates and teaches non-violent ways to resolve conflict, promote constructive conversations and repair harm.

End Violence.



PITCI educates the community on the root causes of violence and promotes wellness, violence prevention and restorative justice through education, outreach and peace-building efforts, and arts and media programming.



When someone is victimized, the experience can be devastating. Crime Victim and Witness Assistance helps those who find their lives forever changed by violence and crime. For over 36 years, we have been there with our clients as they travel the road from surviving to thriving.

We're here—24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Helpline: (412) 392-8582

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CWVC is there to take every step toward healing with our clients—on the phone, in a hospital emergency room, in the courtroom and at our office.

We are: Listeners, advocates, counselors, liaisons and more.

CVVC staff dedicate thousands of hours in service to those impacted by homicide, sexual assault, physical assault and robbery.



The approximately 10,000 people seeking our help each year range from young children to those in their 90s. We meet the needs of people impacted by all forms of violence and crime by providing crisis intervention, counseling, legal and medical advocacy, and other crime victim and witness support services that make a difference when people need it most. Your donation to CVVC directly supports these vital services.

"We are so grateful that you helped us through such an intense process. Your compassion and kindness gave us strength."



In 2011, the DRC presented Talk It Together, a celebration of international Conflict Resolution Day in Greater Pittsburgh. An enthusiastic and diverse audience gathered and received training on Integrating Cultures to Promote Peace. The focus was on workplace conflict resolution and mitigating the impact of bullies in our lives, schools, workplaces and communities.



2011 Talk It Together
LYNN GRIFFIN (CVVC Board Chair) with JW WALLACE (Keynote Speaker). Event held annually in October.

We are: Mediators, trainers, facilitators and more.

We offer conflict resolution and mediation training that applies from the school yard to the backyard and from the break room to the boardroom.



The Community Conflict Resolution Emergency Fund (CCREF) is a conflict resolution safety net housed within the DRC. It provides an intervention program for the peaceful resolution of conflict between neighbors, among family members, and with youth and community groups. Private support like yours will help to provide trained staff and volunteers to deliver conflict resolution and facilitated dialogue services to those in need. We can increase the potential for local leaders and stakeholders to make peace a priority in their communities through hands-on training and de-escalation skills.



Last year, through more than 1,700 training and education programs, CVVC dramatically increased our community's capacity to understand, heal from and lessen the impact of violence and to peacefully resolve conflict. Over 18,000 individuals participated in programs on sexual assault, violence prevention, grief and loss, understanding trauma, conflict resolution, anger management and mediation.



EVE (Enlightened Voices for the Environment), funded by The Heinz Endowments, educates about environmental risk factors, such as diet and personal care products, and their connection to conflict, violence, crime and our ability to heal.

You are: Our partners in peace.

CVVC's Peace Partner Network helps us to find and fund solutions to violence. The annual, unrestricted financial support of individuals, organizations and businesses enhances our proactive efforts to end violence and support victims and helps ensure that our critical services are never threatened by cutbacks in government funding or a downturn in the economy.

Do your piece for peace. Pledge now to support our efforts. Donate, and together we will make peace possible!

2011 Peace Partner Awards

Since 2007, we have honored 17 Peace Partners making a difference in our neighborhoods, schools, churches and within the justice system. We celebrate them, and they inspire us. Event held annually in February.



CVVC's Peace It Together® Community Initiative Reception featuring the Peace Partner Awards Ceremony is a community celebration of peace in Greater Pittsburgh. We come together to celebrate and rededicate ourselves to building peaceful communities. Based on a review of community nominations, we recognize individuals (including youths and young adults), businesses/corporations and nonprofit organizations that exemplify and amplify our shared commitment to ending violence.



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