

RESOURCES FOR SURVIVORS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE DURING COVID-19 PANDEMIC

Courthouses

Chicago

555 W Harrison St.
Chicago, IL 60607
(312) 325-9500

Suburbs

Second Municipal District - Skokie

5600 Old Orchard Rd.
Skokie, IL 60077
(847) 470-7355

Third Municipal District - Rolling Meadows

2121 Euclid
Rolling Meadows, IL 60008
(847) 818-2200

Fifth Municipal District - Bridgeview

10220 S. 76th Ave
Bridgeview, IL 60455
(708) 974-6100

Sixth Municipal District - Markham

16501 S. Kedzie Pkwy
Markham, IL 60428
(708) 232-4340

Additional Resources

CCSAO Victim Witness Unit:
773-674-7200

Illinois Domestic Violence
Hotline: 1-877-863-6338

Chicago Rape Crisis Hotline:
888-293-2080

If you are a survivor of domestic violence and need immediate assistance please call 911.

What are Protective Orders and who can get them?

An **Order of Protection (OP)**, or "restraining order" is a legal document signed by a judge that prohibits abusive behavior against survivors. Any household or family member, which includes spouse, domestic partner, persons related by blood or marriage, persons in a dating relationship (former or current), parents, or children, may petition for an OP. Under an OP the court can:

- Stop the offender from further abuse
- Prevent the offender from entering a shared home
- Order the offender to stop contacting the survivor
- Grant temporary care of children
- Prohibit the offender from possessing firearms

A **Civil No Contact Order (CNCO)** is a civil "stay away" order for survivors of non-consensual sexual conduct or sexual penetration who do not have a relationship with the offender. Under a CNCO, the court can:

- Order the offender to not have any contact with the survivor
- Prohibit the offender from possessing firearms

A **Stalking No Contact Order (SNCO)** is a civil "stay away" order for survivors of stalking who do not have a relationship with the offender. Under an SNCO, the court can:

- Order the offender to not have any contact with the survivor
- Prohibit the offender from possessing firearms

How to get Protective Orders during COVID-19 pandemic.

Chicago: An emergency OP can be filed at the Domestic Violence Courthouse at 555 W. Harrison St. Chicago, IL 60607.

Suburbs: An emergency OP can be filed at each suburban courthouse with the exception of District 4 (Maywood). District 4 residents can file for an emergency order of protection at 555 W. Harrison St. Chicago, IL 60607.

How to seek charges if the offender is not present when law enforcement arrives.

Chicago: Survivors can call a Victim Witness Specialist at 773-674-7200 for information.

Suburbs: Survivors should work directly with local law enforcement to obtain a warrant and seek charges.

Visit www.cookcountystatesattorney.org/community-resources-covid-19 for more information



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