

Below is a draft of resources that continue to evolve for youth and families impacted by community violence.

PPS Youth Violence Prevention & Response Managers

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These staff can help school staff make connections to some of the below resources.

Safe Transport to School

If you are a school staff working with a student who is impacted by community violence and needs safe transport/passage to school, please consult with one of the PPS Youth Violence Prevention & Response Managers listed above.

Multnomah County has mental health support for those impacted by gun violence.

Multnomah County's [Gun Violence Impacted Families Behavioral Health Response Team](#) has therapists of Color (African American, African-Immigrant, and Latinx) who will focus on supporting and uplifting the mental health of community members impacted by violence. To find out more about this program and how they can help, please reach out via phone at 503.988.4888 or via email at gvbhrt@multco.us and express interest in this program.

Submit a referral [here](#) or
scan QR code below:



[Multco Crisis Line](#) is still open 24/7 and has a mobile response option as well
503.988.4888

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- **Trauma and Violence Impacted Family Program:** This program accepts referral form connecting youth to identified prevention and intervention resources including targeted wraparound services for individuals impacted by community violence.
 - [Youth Referral Form](#)
 - **Point of Contact: Hiag Brown / hbrown@portlandoic.org / (503)757-0250**
 - Additional agencies that provide these support and services are all culturally responsive and include POIC, NAYA, Latino Network, and IRCO

- **Street Level Outreach (SLO) Program:** SLOs build relationships with youth and their families with specific goals in mind: to reduce conflict and violence, to support and assist youth and their families in accessing social and educational services, while providing services as a mentor, life coach, positive role model, advocate, and mediator
 - SLO workers also attend and support school staff, admin, and athletic department at school events and activities (sports, fairs, safe passage, etc.)
 - **Contact for more information:** 503-823-6521

Community Healing Initiative

[Link here](#)

The Community Healing Initiative (CHI) is a community-centered, collaborative partnership between DCJ, Latino Network, and Portland Opportunities Industrialization Center (POIC). Additional partners include the Oregon Youth Authority (OYA) and other community-based organizations.

CHI is designed to decrease youth violence by providing culturally appropriate community support to youth and families.

Bridge-Pamoja Supports and Resources

Culturally Responsive Crisis and Grief Support through a MESD contract supporting the community violence work of the faith-based community.

- On-site response
- Transportation
- Referrals
- Generate funds if other financial resources are not available
- Clearing out personal items of deceased
- Liaison amongst agencies and families

The referral Form [linked here](#)

Primary Contact: Mark Jackson 503-341-6161

Angela Golden 503-383-1543 info@bridge-pamoja.org

[Lines for Life Racial Equity Support Line](#) staffed by and for people of Color
503.575.3764

Victims Assistance Unit

[Victims Assistance Unit](#): Phone # 503 378 5348

Oregon Department of Justice **Crime Victim and Survivor Services Division (CVSSD)** connects many different programs with a single goal: to serve victims effectively and compassionately. They fund statewide victim service programs, help [victims cover crime-related costs](#), and through [advisory committees and partnerships](#), help shape best practices statewide and bring diverse voices to victims' rights.