



# SAVE PROGRAM

## Advocate Information

**VICTIM REQUESTS A MEDICAL FORENSIC EXAM**

Medical Reporting

Law Enforcement Reporting

Victim tells staff they do **not** want to report to LE

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Victim wants insurance billed; insurance is billed *except* evidence collection costs

Victim does not want insurance billed **or** does not have insurance

Victim not eligible for SAVE Program; LE is billed for evidence collection and patient can apply to victim compensation

Copay: hospital can defer and add to SAVE bill; If paid by patient, hospital informs patient copay is reimbursable thru SAVE program; provides info to patient

Hospital sends entire bill to DCJ (*includes evidence collection cost*)

Once insurance settles, bill is sent to DCJ (*includes evidence collection cost*)

SAVE Program pays applicable expenses up to established cap; returns bill with any outstanding balance to hospital

SAVE Program pays remaining expenses applicable under program up to the cap; returns bill with any outstanding balance to hospital

if case converts

DCJ notifies hospital who sends evidence collection bill to law enforcement; DCJ forwards bill to victim comp program

If victim comp claim filed, DCJ will notify hospital

If comp claim not filed *or* is denied, SAVE Program will pay according to policy; returns bill with any outstanding balance to hospital

If victim comp board approves application, no longer eligible for SAVE program

