

There's a good reason why government agencies throughout the country rely on us to help them serve crime victims.



Our company-wide effort, Appriss Cares, was created to build a culture of support and advocacy for crime victims in three key focus areas:

- Outreach to victims' service providers through national and state-level advocacy organizations and through grass-roots networking.
- Enhanced operations, customer service, and training processes that will help us better serve victims.
- Support of victim-related causes through employee volunteerism.

Appriss employees donated school supplies for children at the Center for Women and Families, a local domestic violence shelter, in 2005.

Current and upcoming Appriss Cares projects include:

- Supporting the national victim assistance legislative agenda including the Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) and the Violence Against Women Act (VAWA), as well as state-level legislative initiatives.
- Training our employees to understand the needs of victims and those who serve them.
- Participating in community service projects and supporting organizations that serve victims.



Actor/Producer Meredith Baxter (second from right) delivered the keynote address at the Mary Byron Foundation's annual gala fundraiser in December 2006, an event made possible with the help of Appriss.



Helping children is a tradition for Appriss employees.

Appriss has a history of supporting victims' causes, including:

- Helping to establish the Mary Byron Foundation, a public charity named in honor of the young woman whose murder led to the creation of VINE.
- Supporting the work of several national advocacy groups including the National Center for Victims of Crime, the National Organization for Victim Assistance, the National Coalition Against Domestic Violence, and Parents of Murdered Children.
- More than 5,000 employee volunteer hours at numerous community agencies in our hometown of Louisville, Kentucky.

How can we help you?

Contact us about participating in events, training your staff, or providing advocacy support at ApprissCares@appriss.com or (502) 815-3877.

CRIME VICTIMS' TEN CORE RIGHTS

*From the U.S. Department of Justice Office for Victims of Crime,
National Victim Assistance Academy, 2006*

The right to be treated with dignity and respect.

The right to notification and information.

The right to be present.

The right to be heard.

The right to reasonable protection from intimidation and harm.

The right to restitution.

The right to information and referral.

The right to apply for victim compensation (for violent crime victims).

The right to speedy proceedings.

Special rights and protections.



*Appriss supports victims' rights through numerous programs and services,
including VINE® — the National Victim Notification Network.*