



### Part 3: Details of the act of violence

14. When did the act of violence occur?

(a) \_\_\_\_\_ (dd/mm/yyyy)  
or, (b) over a period of time \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ (dd/mm/yyyy)

15. Where in NSW did the act of violence happen? (If full address is not known, suburb/town must be provided)

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Suburb/town \_\_\_\_\_ Postcode \_\_\_\_\_

16. What was the nature of the act of violence? (Please choose the closest match)

Other (please specify)

*Briefly describe what happened. For example I was walking home and was assaulted by two men who held a knife to my throat and stole my wallet. Or, I was sexually assaulted between 2002 and 2005. Do not just write: See police statement.*

17. What is the offender's name? Surname/family \_\_\_\_\_ First/given \_\_\_\_\_

18. Relationship to the offender?

### Part 4: Details of counsellor

19. Would you like Victims Services to allocate an Approved Counsellor on your behalf?

Yes, continue \_\_\_\_\_ No, Go to Q. 21 \_\_\_\_\_

20. Please let us know of any counselling preference you have (if required)

Gender \_\_\_\_\_ No preference \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_\_  
Suburb(s)/town(s) to attend counselling \_\_\_\_\_  
Type of disability access \_\_\_\_\_ Language for counselling \_\_\_\_\_  
Other requirements \_\_\_\_\_

21. Please provide the name of the Approved Counsellor of your choice

22. Please provide the preferred location of your choice

*Note: If you do not have an Approved Counsellor you may select one from the list available on the Victims Services website.  
Note: All efforts will be made to meet your preferences.*

### Part 5: Applicant's declaration

I hereby apply for initial counselling. I am aware that the contents of my counselling session may be used in the preparation of a report to Victims Services for the purposes of subsequent counselling and/or financial assistance applications.

Applicant's signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date (dd/mm/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_

### Further information and help completing the application

Contact Victims Services (8am to 6pm, Monday to Friday (exc. public holidays):

- Phone: **1800 633 063** • Aboriginal Contact Line: **1800 019 123**
- Email: [vs@justice.nsw.gov.au](mailto:vs@justice.nsw.gov.au) • Website: [www.victimsservices.justice.nsw.gov.au](http://www.victimsservices.justice.nsw.gov.au)

Electronically: Fill out the form, save it and press the submit button above to email the form to Victims Services.  
Or, post it to The Commissioner of Victims Rights, Victims Services Locked Bag 5118, PARRAMATTA NSW 2124