

Why Choose Restorative Justice (RJ)?

- 80-90% satisfaction (vs. 30% in criminal legal system)
- Reduced post-traumatic stress
- Reduced re-offending
- RJ can cost up to 6x's less than prosecution & incarceration
- Participants feel a greater sense of control, security, and well-being



RJ Promotes:

Accountability
Healing
Connection
Conflict Resilience



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PROVIDING SPACE
FOR THOSE INVOLVED IN HARM
TO LEAD THEIR OWN
ACCOUNTABILITY & HEALING

What is Restorative Justice (RJ)?

RJ offers people a way to make amends in a criminal legal or personal conflict. The person who was harmed (the victim) and the person responsible (the defendant) engage in conversations about accountability and healing. Together, they come up with a written agreement about what actions will be done for repair and future safety.



Who is eligible for RJ?

Anyone can contact us to ask for RJ – including the involved individuals, defense attorneys, prosecutors, service providers, schools, prison/jail facilities, or anyone else who knows about a situation of harm or crime.

Restorative Justice Process

From referral to agreement



What does CVCJ offer?

- RJ for criminal diversion (adults & youth)
- RJ for situations of harm without criminal charges
- School-based restorative support for students & staff
- Training & presentations about restorative justice, conflict resilience, & related topics



Trauma creates change you DON'T choose.
Healing is about creating change you DO choose.

–Michelle Rosenthal