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records request: victim reimbursements in sexual assault cases

Brouillet, Alyssa <Alyssa.Brouillet@ag.iowa.gov>

Tue, Apr 4, 2023 at 4:57 PM

To: Laura Belin <laurabelin@bleedingheartland.com>, "Langholz, Sam" <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>

Hi Laura,

We are continuing to look into your request and should have a response here soon.

Thank you,

**Alyssa Brouillet**
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From: Laura Belin <laurabelin@bleedingheartland.com>**Sent:** Tuesday, April 4, 2023 4:14 PM**To:** Brouillet, Alyssa <Alyssa.Brouillet@ag.iowa.gov>; Langholz, Sam <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>**Subject:** Fwd: records request: victim reimbursements in sexual assault cases

Hello Alyssa,

It's been nearly seven weeks since I submitted this request, so I am checking on the status again.

Thanks,

Laura

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From: Laura Belin <laurabelin@bleedingheartland.com>**Date:** Thu, Mar 23, 2023 at 11:19 AM**Subject:** Fwd: records request: victim reimbursements in sexual assault cases**To:** Brouillet, Alyssa <alyssa.brouillet@ag.iowa.gov>, Langholz, Sam <sam.langholz@ag.iowa.gov>

Hello Alyssa,

I'm checking in to see when I can expect to receive these documents. It's been more than a month since I submitted the request.

Thanks in advance for letting me know.

Laura

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From: **Brouillet, Alyssa** <Alyssa.Brouillet@ag.iowa.gov>
Date: Mon, Feb 27, 2023 at 2:22 PM
Subject: Re: records request: victim reimbursements in sexual assault cases
To: Laura Belin <laurarbelin@bleedingheartland.com>, Langholz, Sam <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>

Hi Laura,

Thank you for contacting the Iowa Attorney General's office. We have received your open records request and are working to gather the specified documents.

As for the sunshine advisories, we are looking into the broken links.

Thank you,



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From: Laura Belin <laurarbelin@bleedingheartland.com>
Sent: Monday, February 27, 2023 9:03 AM
To: Brouillet, Alyssa <Alyssa.Brouillet@ag.iowa.gov>; Langholz, Sam <Sam.Langholz@ag.iowa.gov>
Subject: Fwd: records request: victim reimbursements in sexual assault cases

Alyssa,

I can't find anything on the AG Office website that clarifies who is the designated person handling open records requests.

Please confirm receipt of the request enclosed below, which I submitted more than ten days ago, and let me know where public records requests should be sent in the future.

Also, can you tell me if there is any plan to fix all the broken links on this page?

<https://www.iowaattorneygeneral.gov/about-us/sunshine-advisories/sunshine-advisories-open-records-topics-index>

None of those links are working. Did Attorney General Bird revoke those sunshine advisories? Will they be revised and reposted?

Yours,

Laura

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From: **Laura Belin** <laurarbelin@bleedingheartland.com>
Date: Fri, Feb 17, 2023 at 3:53 PM
Subject: Fwd: records request: victim reimbursements in sexual assault cases
To: <alyssa.brouillet@ag.iowa.gov>, <sam.langholz@ag.iowa.gov>

Please confirm receipt of this records request and let me know if someone else will be handling Chapter 22 requests for the AG's office.

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From: **Laura Belin** <laurabelin@bleedingheartland.com>
Date: Wed, Feb 15, 2023 at 5:01 PM
Subject: records request: victim reimbursements in sexual assault cases
To: <alyssa.brouillet@ag.iowa.gov>
Cc: <sam.langholz@ag.iowa.gov>

Hello Alyssa,

Please let me know if I need to send public records requests to someone else in the AG's office.

Under Iowa Code Chapter 22, I request the following public records:

1. A copy of the current Iowa Attorney General's office policy for reimbursement of victim medical and prescription costs in sexual assault cases.
2. A copy of the policy for reimbursement of victim medical and prescription costs in sexual assault cases that was in effect prior to January 1, 2023.
3. Copies of all memos issued by Brenna Bird, John Gish, or Samuel Langholz, or emails sent to staff from January 1, 2023 to the present, regarding office policies for reimbursement of victim medical and prescription costs in sexual assault cases.
4. Copies of all email correspondence between John Gish and Lisa Bickelhaupt (or the current crime victim compensation and SAE administrator, if Lisa Bickelhaupt is no longer in that role), between Brenna Bird and Lisa Bickelhaupt (or her successor), and between Samuel Langholz and Lisa Bickelhaupt (or her successor) from January 1, 2023 to the present regarding reimbursement of victim medical and prescription costs in sexual assault cases. For search terms please use "Plan B," "prophylaxis," "reimbursement," "reimburse," "mifepristone," and "abortion."

To minimize printing, photocopying, and postage costs, I request that these records be provided electronically and sent to me via email.

Thank you in advance for letting me know if future records requests need to go to a different employee.

Yours,

Laura

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