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Ask law enforcement or your victim assistance professional.

NCMEC RESOURCES

Counseling Support
Finding the right counselor can be difficult. NCMEC is a good first step for support and counseling referrals in your area.

Peer Support
You may feel isolated and alone. Our Team HOPE program connects families and survivors to others who have had similar experiences. These trained volunteers offer peer support, coping skills, and compassion.

Removing Material
Knowing abusive imagery exists of you can be unsettling. Our CyberTipline® works with major tech companies to help remove exploitation images/videos or harassing comments. As technology advances, so do our techniques.

Legal Assistance
Understanding the legal system is hard to do alone. We can help you find a lawyer who can assist with legal issues, such as termination of parental rights, name changes, victim notification, victim impact statements, restitution, and more.

For help, contact us.
familysupport@ncmec.org
1-877-446-2632 (ext. 6117)
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You have the right to tell the court how this crime impacted your life through a victim impact statement. Your victim assistance professional can explain more about victim impact statements in your case.

You may be asked to write different types of impact statements. It can be helpful to have your friends, family, victim assistance professional, therapist, or lawyer support you while writing this.

RESTITUTION
If the abusive images or videos are shared online, you may have the right to seek monetary restitution from people who take, share, or possess these images or videos. This process can be complex and confusing. A lawyer experienced in representing crime victims can be helpful, and NCMEC can help you find one.

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