

# Ohio Attorney General's Office

Representing the people of Ohio

Relying on its 1,500 employees in central Ohio and eight regional offices statewide, the Ohio Attorney General's Office advocates for consumers and victims of crime, aids the criminal justice community, enforces laws and otherwise protects the residents of Ohio, especially the most vulnerable among us. Among his many duties, Ohio Attorney General Dave Yost protects the unprotected by:

## Safeguarding children

- Investigates and prosecutes predators who target children.
- Offers specialized services to children victimized by their parents' drug use.
- Responds to and prevents human trafficking.



## Battling drug abuse

- Works to curtail illegal drug production and distribution.
- Promotes drug awareness and conducts outreach efforts.
- Assists local law enforcement agencies with drug investigations.
- Supports school anti-drug programs.



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## Protecting consumers

- Works to prevent fraud, scams, unfair business practices and identity theft through legal action, educational programs and dispute resolution.
- Oversees charities and encourages informed giving.
- Handles complaints from individuals.

## Fighting crime & assisting victims

- Provides evidence analysis, investigative assistance, identification services and training for law enforcement.
- Assists local authorities with the investigation and prosecution of complex cases.
- Investigates and prosecutes Medicaid and workers' compensation fraud.
- Provides advocacy for crime victims, funding for community programs that assist them, and training and other resources for victim advocates.

## Representing Ohio

- Advocates for Ohioans' interests in the U.S. and Ohio Supreme Courts and at other levels of the judicial system.
- Represents state agencies, universities, boards and commissions, including those that safeguard the environment, public health and civil rights.
- Promotes Ohio's laws on public records and works to ensure government transparency.



## Supporting economic growth

- Nurtures development by providing information about Ohio laws, tax systems and funding sources.
- Protects businesses from fraud and scams.



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