Federal law provides immigration relief to victims of human trafficking and other crimes.

U Visas

U nonimmigrant status provides immigration protection to crime victims who have suffered substantial mental or physical abuse as a result of the crime. The U visa allows victims to remain in the United States and assist law enforcement authorities in the investigation or prosecution of the criminal activity (*USCIS website*). Additional instructions and forms can be found at <u>https://www.uscis.gov/i-918</u>

T Visas

T nonimmigrant status provides immigration protection to victims of trafficking. The T Visa allows victims to remain in the United States and assist law enforcement authorities in the investigation or prosecution of human trafficking cases (<u>USCIS website</u>). Additional instructions and forms can be found at <u>https://www.uscis.gov/i-914</u>

If a victim feels they may qualify for a U visa or T visa, that victim or a representative on the victim's behalf must complete the USCIS form I-918, Supplement B (U visa) or Form I-914, Supplement B (T visa) and submit to the Franklin Township Police Department. Information on eligibility and applying can be found at the <u>www.uscis.gov</u>