



Sisters of Color United for Education
Hermanas de Color Unidas Para La Educación
Colorado's Oldest Promotora Program
El Programa de Promotoras más antiguo de Colorado

**SOCUE Code of Ethics
for Victims of Crime**

Sisters of Color United for Education (SOCUE) believes all victims/participants deserve access to competent, compassionate, and comprehensive services.

Our board, staff and our field Promotoras protect the rights of participants/victims and ensure that their needs – whether emotional, physical, psychological, economic, or spiritual - are given priority.

The services provided will meet the needs of participants/victims regardless of race, ethnicity, age, gender, occupation, sexual orientation, language, or disability. We stress to all our staff and field Promotoras the interests of the participant/victim as a primary responsibility. We respect the client's rights to privacy and confidentiality, subject only to laws or regulations requiring disclosure of information to appropriate other sources. Our staff and field Promotoras advocates will explain to participant/victims any confidentiality issues that may arise.

SOCUE will insure that participants/victims are offered comprehensive information. In the case of being a victim of a crime, we will follow the statutory mandate to notify victims of their rights under the Victims Right Amendment (VRA).