



As survivors, we are entitled to vote without sacrificing our safety. Our voices will be heard, our stories will not be ignored, and our votes will be counted.

If you are a survivor of domestic abuse, **Puerto Rico's Substitute Address Registry** can help protect your privacy and provide a way to safely exercise your right to vote.

WHAT IS PUERTO RICO'S SUBSTITUTE ADDRESS REGISTRY?

Puerto Rico's Substitute Address Registry protects survivors and their families from harmful individuals by providing a legal substitute address to use instead of their existing address.

The Substitute Address Registry is NOT public record and may be used for court and government records (e.g., driver's licenses; voter registration; etc.).

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

- + Survivors of domestic abuse, where domestic abuse is defined as "a constant pattern of conduct involving physical force or psychological abuse, intimidation or persecution against a person by his/her spouse, former spouse, a person with whom he/she cohabits or has cohabited, with whom he/she has or has had a consensual relationship, or a person with whom he/she shares a child in common, regardless of the sex, civil status, sexual orientation, gender identity, or the immigrant status of the persons involved in the relationship, to physically harm them, their property, or another person, or to cause him/her serious emotional harm
- + All residents of Puerto Rico, regardless of immigration status

*Section 4.3. — Substitute Address Register (8 L.P.R.A. § 652a) of the **Domestic Violence Prevention and Intervention Act, Act No. 54** of August 15, 1989, as amended*

HOW DO I ENROLL?

Enrollment is free and can be completed by:

Contact the **Sistema de Información de Justicia Criminal** (SIJC) to register for a substitute address. The SIJC's telephone number is 787-729-2100 ext. 1121.

WHO HAS MY ACTUAL ADDRESS?

- + The SIJC will maintain your actual address, which will be subject to Puerto Rico's confidentiality laws.

HOW WOULD I REGISTER TO VOTE CONFIDENTIALLY?

- + Visit your local **Junta de Inscripción Permanente (JIP)** for more information.

PROTECT YOUR PRIVACY. CAST YOUR VOTE FOR SURVIVORS EVERYWHERE.