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FEDERAL GRANT PROGRAMS

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RURAL JURISDICTIONS

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INTRODUCTION

Purpose of Document:

This document provides information on current federal funding opportunities. It is intended that the resource will highlight key information to help jurisdictions make decisions about whether to pursue these funding opportunities. Please note that the solicitation or notice of funding that is linked serves as the official guidance on how to apply for the funding, required and allowable expenses, and deadlines. If a funding opportunity looks relevant to the work you are planning for, please read through each solicitation/notice of funding closely to respond to all requirements. Most of the Department of Justice funding opportunities require a two-step application submission process, each with its own deadline. All deadlines are noted in the descriptions.

Audience:

The grant programs listed in this document allow for a variety of eligible applicants, including state, local and tribal government entities and nonprofit organizations. Eligibility and target audience varies by program, so please read through the eligibility information. If your jurisdiction or organization is not eligible to submit the application, many programs allow and/or encourage partnerships through sub-grants and contracts with eligible applicants.

Grant Program Priorities:

Some grant programs will prioritize funding for certain types of jurisdictions or target audiences. This typically means that the federal funding agency will add points to the overall rating of the application or will flag the application for priority when making decisions on what to fund. If your application aligns with a grant program priority, it does not guarantee that it will be funded, but it should be addressed in the application.

For this resource, the grant programs that include priority language around supporting rural jurisdictions or underserved populations are indicated by language highlighted on the grant program description page. The priorities are defined below:

This priority supports [Executive Order 13985, Advancing Racial Equity and Support for Underserved Communities Through the Federal Government](#):

- Consistent with this Executive Order, the term “underserved community” refers to a population sharing a particular characteristic, as well as a geographic community, that has been systematically denied a full opportunity to participate in aspects of economic, social, and civic life or whose members have been historically underserved, marginalized, and adversely affected by inequality. Such communities include, among others, Black people, Hispanics and Latino/a/e people, Native American and other Indigenous peoples of North America (including Alaska Natives, Eskimos, and Aleuts), Asian Americans, Native Hawaiians, and Pacific Islanders.
- In support of Executive Order 13985, the grant programs with this priority will:
 - » Give priority consideration to applications that include project(s) that will promote racial equity and the removal of barriers to access and opportunity for communities that have been historically underserved, marginalized, and adversely affected by inequality, when making award decisions.
- Generally, applicants are being asked to describe in their application how the proposed project(s) will promote racial equity and/or the removal of barriers to access and opportunity, and/or contribute to greater access to services, for communities that have been historically underserved, marginalized, and adversely affected by inequality.

This indicates if a grant program includes a category of funding restricted only to rural jurisdictions. Please note that each program typically provides definitions of a rural jurisdiction, and this may vary across programs, so please read through each solicitation/notice of funding carefully to determine if your jurisdiction or target audience is eligible. The specific rural category language is included in the grant program description if applicable.

This indicates if a grant program included additional priority language indicating priority for funding rural jurisdictions. The specific rural priority language is included in the grant program description if applicable.

BJA	Bureau of Justice Assistance, Office of Justice Programs, U.S Department of Justice
COPS	Community Oriented Policing Services, U.S. Department of Justice
OJJDP	Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention, , Office of Justice Programs, U.S. Department of Justice
SAMHSA	Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, , U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

Other Relevant Resources:

While the document links to the most relevant federal funding opportunities for rural jurisdictions and stakeholders, there may be other information available from federal partners to support the process of applying for funding. Please be sure to sign up for grant alerts and access these federal funding pages often. To learn more:

- [U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs Current Funding Opportunities](#)
- [U.S. Department of Justice, Violence Against Women Current Funding Opportunities](#)
- [U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Community Oriented Policing Services Current Funding Opportunities](#)
- [U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration Current Funding Opportunities](#)

In addition, many federal agencies offer application guidance through webinars and other support services. Below are links to division-specific webinars/resources to support jurisdictions during the funding process.

- [Funding Webinars | Bureau of Justice Assistance \(ojp.gov\)](#)
- [Funding Webinars | Funding & Awards | Office for Victims of Crime \(ojp.gov\)](#)
- [FY 2022 OVW Solicitation Companion Guide \(justice.gov\)](#)
- [Applying for a New SAMHSA Grant | SAMHSA](#)

Connecting with Researchers:

The Justice Community Opioid Innovation Network (JCOIN) has developed a resource for local jurisdictions to find and connect with researchers called [CONNECT](#). CONNECT is a researcher and practitioner collaboration and discovery tool and aims to help facilitate multidisciplinary research and programmatic collaboration across the health and justice fields. You can browse or search information on researchers, practitioners, publications, and organizations.

Training and Technical Assistance

If your community is not ready to apply for funding but still needs assistance, keep in mind that many federal agencies offer free training and technical assistance to connect you with subject matter experts to provide training or technical expertise on certain topics. You can request assistance through the following training and technical assistance centers available through the federal government:

- [Bureau of Justice Assistance National Training and Technical Assistance Center](#)
- [Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention National Training and Technical Assistance Center](#)
- [Office for Victims of Crime Training and Technical Assistance Center](#)

Document Versions:

Please note that this document will be updated frequently as new grant programs are announced. Latest Update Date: May 4, 2022

<p>Rural communities face unique challenges that impact their ability to deliver fair and equitable justice. Despite these challenges, rural communities rely on their many strengths to address the needs of their residents. In 2021, the National Center for State Courts, in partnership with Rulo Strategies, launched the Rural Justice Collaborative (RJC) to showcase the strengths of rural communities and highlight the cross-sector collaboration that is a hallmark of rural justice systems. These strengths include strong professional networks, deep ties to the communities they serve, resiliency, and ingenuity.</p>	<p>The RJC focuses on the following seven areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increasing access to behavioral health treatment • Reducing victimization • Facilitating employment and educational opportunities • Eliminating barriers to access to justice • Reducing incarceration and recidivism • Facilitating re-entry • Reducing the number of children in foster care due to familial substance use <p>For more information about the RJC, please visit us at www.ruraljusticecollaborative.org</p>
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Enhancing Juvenile Indigent Defense



Application Due Dates:

Grants.gov: May 17, 2022

JustGrants: May 31, 2022

Eligible entities:

- Category 1: State and Local Youth Defense System Improvements: State governments, Special district governments, City or township governments, County governments, Other.

Total Available Funding: \$2.5 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 5

Anticipated Award Amount: Category 1: \$400,000;
Category 2: \$900,000

Length of Project: Up to 5 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Enhancing Juvenile Indigent Defense](#)

Description:

This program is designed to implement enhancements that improve juvenile indigent defense. Program objectives are to ensure that youth involved with the juvenile justice system have access to legal representation and access to resources that address the collateral consequences of justice system involvement.

What can be funded?

- Conducting youth defense delivery system assessment(s) to identify service gaps and needs and implement recommendations to address those gaps and needs.
- Training, education, and other costs associated with a rigorous system monitoring process to assure quality in youth defense.
- Developing formal youth defense-specific standards of practice, including standards addressing racial justice.
- Designing data collection and analysis process on youth defense that strengthens data capacity and promotes data informed decision-making.
- Costs associated with sending youth defenders to national youth defense specialized training (examples include the national Youth Training Immersion Program Summer Academy and train-the-trainer certification program, and the annual Youth Defender Leadership Summit).
- Hosting youth defense specialized training events.
- Training, education, and other costs associated with the development and implementation of youth defense specialization programs (examples include racial justice advocacy or juvenile appellate practice).
- Providing education, outreach, and support to new youth defenders including regular networking opportunities.
- Providing education and outreach to local universities and law schools to build interest in youth defense as a career path.

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Infant and Early Childhood Mental Health Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 17, 2022

Eligible entities:

Eligibility is statutorily limited to a human services agency or non-profit organization that:

- (1) Employs licensed mental health professionals who have specialized training and experience in infant and early childhood mental health assessment, diagnosis, and treatment, OR is accredited or approved by the appropriate state agency, as applicable, to provide for children, from infancy to 12 years of age, mental health promotion, intervention, or treatment services AND
- (2) Provides infant and early childhood mental health services or programs that are evidence-based or that have been scientifically demonstrated to show promise but would benefit from further applied development.

Total Available Funding: \$2 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 4

Anticipated Award Amount: Up to \$500,000 per year

Length of Project: Up to 5 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? Yes (Recipients must provide matching funds (directly or through donations from public or private entities) to make available non-federal contributions (in cash or in-kind) in an amount not less than 10 percent of the total amount of Federal funds provided in the grant.

Complete details are available at [Infant and Early Childhood Mental Health Program](#)

Description:

This program is designed to improve outcomes for children from birth up to 12 years of age by developing, maintaining, or enhancing infant and early childhood mental health promotion, intervention, and treatment services. These services are expected to include:

Programs for children at significant risk of developing, showing early signs of, or having been diagnosed with a mental illness, including serious emotional disturbance (SED) and/or symptoms that may be indicative of developing SED in children, including children with a history of in-utero exposure to substances such as opioids, stimulants, or other drugs that may impact development; and Multigenerational therapy and other services that strengthen positive caregiving relationships.

What can be funded?

- Staff salaries, wages and fringe benefits of a Project Director (1.0 FTE) and a Lead Evaluator (at least .5 FTE).
- Required activities:
 - » Provide Peer Recovery Support Services (PRSS) designed and delivered by individuals who have lived experienced with SUD and recovery.
 - » Provide age-appropriate assessment and intervention services for children at risk of, showing early signs of, or having been diagnosed with a mental illness, including a serious emotional disturbance (SED).
 - » Provide infant and early childhood mental health consultation (IECMHC) to early care and education programs (e.g., licensed or regulated center-based and homebased child care, home visiting, preschool special education, early intervention programs) that work with children and families.
 - » Provide training to child and family-serving professionals with expertise in infant and early childhood mental health with respect to appropriate and relevant integration with other disciplines.
 - » Provide specialized training for mental health clinicians in infant and early childhood mental health, including specific training in promising and evidence-based practices and models for prevention, early intervention, and treatment.
 - » Development of a sustainability plan.
- Additional allowable activities are included on page 8 of the solicitation.

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Second Chance Act Youth Reentry Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 17, 2022
JustGrants: May 31, 2022

Eligible entities:

Category 1: *Improving Youth Reentry*

- State governments
- City or township governments
- County governments
- Native American governments (federally recognized)

Category 2: *Strengthening Community-Based Youth Reentry Programs*

- Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
- Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
- Native American organizations (other than federally recognized governments)

Total Available Funding: \$14.4 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 5

Anticipated Award Amount: Category 1: \$750,000;
Category 2: \$750,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? Category 1 requires a 50 percent (cash or in-kind) match based on federal award amount.

Complete details are available at [Second Chance Act Youth Reentry Program](#)

Description:

This program is designed to refine and implement new or improved collaborative strategies that address individual youth's criminogenic and noncriminogenic needs as determined through the application of validated risk and needs assessment instruments.

What can be funded?

- *Category 1: Improving Youth Reentry* activities include:
 - » Implementing and/or training staff to use validated assessment tools with fidelity and high interrater reliability to effectively assess individual youth's unique risk factors and needs.
 - » Screening and assessing individual youth's unique criminogenic needs and risk of reoffending.
 - » Case management planning that begins at least 90 days prerelease and continues post-release to ensure continuity of services and a safe and successful transition from placement back to the community.
 - » Implementation of youth reentry plans, including delivery of evidence-based programming during program youth's prerelease phase, and identification and coordination of appropriate community-based programs for the post-release phase of reentry.
 - » Category 1 applicants should include demonstration of partnership with interested persons (including federal corrections and supervision agencies, service providers, and nonprofit organizations).
- *Category 2: Strengthening Community-Based Youth Reentry Programs* activities include:
 - » Implementation and/or training of staff on using validated assessment tools with fidelity and high interrater reliability to effectively assess individual youth's unique risk factors and needs.
 - » Comprehensive, collaborative prerelease case management planning that begins at least 90 days prior to release and includes both pre- and post-release services to ensure youth's successful reentry.
 - » Delivery of transitional services to help reentering youth successfully reintegrate into their communities, which could include:
 - Educational, literacy, and vocational services and transitional job strategies
 - Substance use disorder treatment and services
 - Coordinated services, including physical and mental healthcare
 - Coordinated services, including supportive housing
 - Permanent supportive housing
 - Family services

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- Prosocial activities
- Mentoring
- Training for stakeholders involved in youth's reentry on issues, tools, or resources pertaining to adjudicated youth, collateral consequences, and reentry.
- Category 2 applicants must include, as an attachment, a memorandum of agreement or memorandum of understanding or a letter of support that clearly demonstrates an established, collaborative relationship between the applicant and the correctional agencies that (1) oversee the specific facility or facilities from which the applicant proposes to recruit the target reentering population and (2) oversee community corrections (probation and/or parole) for the target population.

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Mentoring for Youth Affected by Opioid and Other Drug Misuse



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 23, 2022
JustGrants: June 6, 2022

Eligible entities:

Category 1: Mentoring Strategies for Youth Affected by Opioid and Other Drug Misuse (Project Sites)

- Eligible organizations are those that have been in existence for at least 3 years at the time of application and have been directly delivering a structured mentoring program model.
- The applicant must partner with a substance use treatment organization. However, the primary applicant must directly implement the mentoring program. This program is not intended for a substance use treatment organization to provide mentoring services.

Category 2: Statewide and Regional Mentoring Strategies for Youth Affected by Opioid and Other Drug Misuse

- National organizations (defined as organizations that have active affiliates or subawardees in at least 45 states), States, Federally recognized tribal governments, Organizations having statewide reach that provide mentoring services
- For purposes of this solicitation, OJJDP has defined an “active affiliates or subawardees” as a local branch of an organization or a local affiliated organization. All such relationships must be formalized in a contract or other written agreement between the parties involved and must pre-date this solicitation. Relationships formed for purposes of eligibility for this solicitation do not constitute an active affiliate or subawardee.

Total Available Funding: \$16.25 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 15

Anticipated Award Amount: Category 1: \$625,000;
Category 2: \$2,000,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Mentoring for Youth Affected by Opioid and Other Drug Misuse](#)

Description:

This program provides funding for organizations to enhance and expand mentoring services for children and youth impacted by opioids and other drug misuse. The program the implementation and delivery of mentoring services to youth who are currently misusing or dependent on drugs (including opioids, stimulants, and other licit or illicit drugs), youth at risk for misusing drugs, and youth with family members who are currently misusing or dependent on drugs.

What can be funded?

- Expand mentoring services to meet the needs of youth impacted by opioids and other drug misuse.
- Expand capacity and increase implementation of quality standards based on the Elements of Effective Practice.
- Develop services (including educational and support services) for mentees and their families to address opioid or other drug misuse issues.
- Up to 20 percent of the total amount of project funds can be used to support other non-mentoring direct services, such as mental health and/or substance use treatment, residential placement services, or other supportive services identified and aligned with the project design.

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Reducing Risk for Girls in the Juvenile Justice System



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 23, 2022
JustGrants: June 6, 2022

Eligible entities:

- City or township governments, County governments, For profit organizations other than small businesses, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Private institutions of higher education, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, State governments, Other (Tribal institutions of higher education).
- Applications submitted by nongovernmental organizations must have an established partnership via a memorandum of understanding (MOU) or analogous document with public juvenile justice agencies at the local or state level. This will ensure close collaboration around referrals for those girls involved in the juvenile justice system and who are eligible for services provided by the proposed project. A fully executed MOU or analogous document must be included as an attachment with the submitted application to be considered for funding.

Total Available Funding: \$3.95million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 7

Anticipated Award Amount: \$525,000 for Category 1;
\$800,000 for Category 2

Length of Project: Up to 3 years f**Cost Sharing/Match Required?** No

Complete details are available at [Reducing Risk for Girls in the Juvenile Justice System](#)

Description:

This program provides funding for communities to support girls who are involved in the juvenile justice system. The program will support communities to develop, enhance, or expand early intervention programs and/or treatment services for girls involved in the juvenile justice system.

What can be funded?

- Develop and implement direct service programs for girls involved in the juvenile justice system to reduce reoffending OR enhance or expand existing early intervention programs to meet the specific needs of girls involved in the juvenile justice system.
- Applicants are required to include costs to participate in an annual grantee meeting hosted by the training and technical assistance provider for the program.

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Strategies To Support Children Exposed to Violence



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 24, 2022
JustGrants: June 7, 2022

Eligible entities:

- City or township governments, County governments, Independent school districts, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Private institutions of higher education, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Special district governments, State governments, Other.

Total Available Funding: \$6.3 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 7

Anticipated Award Amount: \$900,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Strategies To Support Children Exposed to Violence](#)

Description:

This program provides funding for communities to develop coordinated and comprehensive community-based approaches to assist children and their families who are exposed to violence build resilience and prevent future juvenile violence and delinquency. Funding can be used to develop and/or enhance support services for children exposed to violence and to help family-serving organizations better recognize and help families at risk for violence.

What can be funded?

- Convening a multidisciplinary team of stakeholders (existing or newly created) to guide and inform the development of a comprehensive plan to address children exposed to violence.
- Developing or enhancing an existing comprehensive plan to address children exposed to violence and its impact on community safety within 6 months of funding. This plan should identify specific communities where services will be implemented based on available data.
- Implementing of approaches along the prevention and intervention continuum that address risk factors and build on protective factors to prevent and reduce the impact of exposure to violence on children in target communities.
- Providing direct, person-to-person outreach strategies to increase awareness and build the capacity of families and communities to help children exposed to violence.

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Opioid Affected Youth Initiative



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 25, 2022
JustGrants: June 8, 2022

Eligible entities:

- City or township governments, County governments, For profit organizations other than small businesses, Independent school districts, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Private institutions of higher education, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities, Small businesses, State governments.
- Eligible applicants who propose to provide direct services must not include the provision of services to youth age 18 or older unless such youth entered the funded program as a participant prior to reaching the age of 18 in which case the youth may remain until s/he has completed the program. Proposed activities must demonstrate a clear nexus between youth and the effects of opioids.

Total Available Funding: \$9 million
Anticipated Number of Awards: 12
Anticipated Award Amount: \$750,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years
Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Opioid Affected Youth Initiative](#)

Description:

This program supports the efforts of communities, jurisdictions, non-profit organizations, for-profit organizations, and institutions of higher education to implement programs and strategies that identify, respond to, treat, and support children, youth, and families impacted by the opioid epidemic and other substance use disorders, to ensure public safety.

What can be funded?

- Implementation of prevention, intervention, diversion, treatment, and recovery programs and strategies that respond to both opioid and other substance use disorders and ensure sustainable outcomes for youth and families.
- Work in partnership with representatives from law enforcement, education, mental health service providers, child welfare agencies, community health agencies, and community-based organizations that address substance use.

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Enhancing School Capacity To Address Youth Violence



Application Due Dates:

Grants.gov: June 6, 2022

JustGrants: June 20, 2022

Eligible entities:

City or township governments, County governments, For profit organizations other than small businesses, Independent school districts, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Private institutions of higher education, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Special district governments, State governments, Other.

Total Available Funding: \$24.5 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 22

Anticipated Award Amount: Category 1: Project Sites:
Up to \$1,000,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [OJJDP FY 2022 Enhancing School Capacity To Address Youth Violence | Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention \(ojp.gov\)](#)

Description:

This program supports targeted efforts to address youth violence through implementing evidence-based prevention and intervention efforts in a school-based setting (K-12th grade only). The goals of the program are to: (1) reduce the incidence of school violence through improved school safety and climate and (2) prevent youth violence, delinquency, and victimization in the targeted community. There are two categories of funding available under this solicitation: Category 1: Project Sites and Category 2: Training and Technical Assistance.

What can be funded?

Category 1: Project Sites:

- Development of a school safety strategic plan that is informed by available local data and existing plans.
- Identification of a service network of CBOs that have experience in operating violence prevention and early intervention programs with youth and families. This network will offer a bridge between families and the identified school to prevent and reduce violence.
- Development of program strategies that provide the target youth population with service “backpacks” that are individualized to the particular student and engage the family as a critical change agent for the student.
- Implementation of prevention strategies for all students that help to supplement the interventions for the target youth population and build a positive school climate.

CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILIES SOLICITATIONS

Family-Based Alternative Sentencing Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: June 6, 2022
JustGrants: June 20, 2022

Eligible entities:

- City or township governments, County governments, For profit organizations other than small businesses, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS other than institutions of higher education, Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS other than institutions of higher education, Private institutions of higher education, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Small businesses, Special district governments, State governments, Other.

Total Available Funding: \$4.76 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 6

Anticipated Award Amount: Up to \$750,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Family-Based Alternative Sentencing Program](#)

Description:

This program will provide funding to support states and communities as they implement new, or enhance existing, community-based alternative sentencing programs that provide culturally competent, community-based supports to strengthen the emotional, physical, and social well-being for children and families. OJJDP will support potential models that divert justice-involved parents/primary caregivers whom a court has found guilty of a crime from the prison system, promote the unification of families, and prevent children from entering the foster care and/or juvenile justice systems.

What can be funded?

Examples from existing programs that may be supported under this solicitation include, but are not limited to:

- Developing tools, resources, and innovative models that engage multidisciplinary partnerships to address the challenges of family separation as a result of incarceration.
- Identifying experts to build local capacity for the development and implementation of local strategic plans that promote the development and utilization of community-based alternatives to incarceration for an eligible person convicted of an offense.
- Enhancing and expanding services to children by facilitating access to effective services that strengthen the relationship between families and address issues affecting parents and their children, such as suicide, alcohol and substance misuse, mental health issues, domestic and sexual abuse, financial instability, and the impact on the child and the community.
- Enhancing and expanding access to programming that addresses needs of justice-involved parents/primary caregivers which may include lack of education and employment, substance misuse and/or mental health treatment, and behavioral health programs.
- Developing and expanding services and educational programs that focus on children who are impacted by family separation as a result of incarceration. Implementing strategies that reduce recidivism and reoffending for justice-involved parents/primary caregivers who have minor children.
- Enhancing and expanding family counseling services and educational support to help break the cycle of violence of children who have justice-involved parents/primary caregivers.
- Developing and implementing policies, practices, and services that foster family engagement to support a parents' continued involvement in the lives of their minor children.

CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILIES SOLICITATIONS

Juvenile Justice Emergency Planning Demonstration Program for Juvenile Justice Residential Facilities



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: June 6, 2022
JustGrants: June 20, 2022

Eligible entities:

City or township governments, County governments, For profit organizations other than small businesses, Native American governments (Federally recognized), Native American organizations (other than Federally recognized governments), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Private institutions of higher education, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Special district governments, State governments, Tribal institutions of higher education.

Total Available Funding: \$500,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 4

Anticipated Award Amount: \$150,000

Length of Project: Up to 2 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [OJJDP FY 2022 Juvenile Justice Emergency Planning Demonstration Program for Juvenile Justice Residential Facilities | Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention \(ojp.gov\)](#)

Description:

This program provides funds to support emergency planning for state, local, and Tribal juvenile justice residential facilities. For the purposes of this solicitation, emergency is defined as an incident—natural, technological, or manmade—that requires a response to protect life, property, or the environment. In general, funds may be used to cover costs associated with ensuring that the facility is prepared to maintain efficient continuation of operations to reduce risk to the facility, and to ensure the safety and well-being of youth and staff in juvenile justice residential facilities.

What can be funded?

Funds may be used to restore essential services and operations. Examples of how funds can be used for this program are located on pages 13-25 and 27-33 in the [Emergency Planning for Juvenile Justice Residential Facilities](#) guide - [Emergency Planning for Juvenile Justice Residential Facilities](#).

CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILIES SOLICITATIONS

Supporting Effective Interventions for Youth With Problematic or Illegal Sexual Behavior



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: June 6, 2022
JustGrants: June 20, 2022

Eligible entities:

City or township governments, County governments, For profit organizations other than small businesses, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Private institutions of higher education, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, State governments, Other.

Total Available Funding: \$2.9 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 5

Anticipated Award Amount: Category 1: Project Sites:
Up to \$475,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [OJJDP FY 2022 Supporting Effective Interventions for Youth with Problematic or Illegal Sexual Behavior | Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention \(ojp.gov\)](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to communities to develop intervention and supervision services for youth with problematic or illegal sexual behavior, and to provide treatment services for their victims and families/caregivers. Under this initiative, successful applicants will have an established multidisciplinary team that (1) supports a comprehensive holistic approach to treating youth with problematic or illegal sexual behavior, and (2) provides support services to victims and families/caregivers. There are two categories of funding available under this solicitation: Category 1: Project Sites and Category 2: Training and Technical Assistance.

What can be funded?

- Completion of a comprehensive assessment of existing system resources that details the continuum of intervention services available for the target population (adolescents with illegal sexual behavior and children with problematic sexual behavior), and treatment services for the child victims and their families/caregivers.
- Development of intervention (including evidence-based treatment) and supervision services for adolescents with illegal sexual behavior and/or children with problematic sexual behavior.
- Development of treatment services for child victims and nonoffending family members/caregivers.
- Establish a multidisciplinary team that can guide the community's response to problematic and illegal sexual behavior of youth, child victims, and families/caregivers.

A key consideration for all program sites should be public safety balanced with prevention, early intervention, and treatment. Applicants must describe how they will ensure public safety (e.g., individualized supervision/safety plan) as a part of any proposed strategy to be funded.

CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILIES SOLICITATIONS

COPS Office School Violence Prevention Program (SVPP)



Application Due Dates:

Grants.gov: June 14, 2022

JustGrants: June 21, 2022

Eligible entities:

- City or township governments, County governments, Independent school districts, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), State governments.
- For the purposes of this program, a school is defined as an elementary or secondary school, including a Bureau-funded school (as defined in section 2021 of title 25).

Total Available Funding: \$53 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 100

Anticipated Award Amount: \$500,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? Yes, at least 25 percent cash match.

Complete details are available at [School Violence Prevention Program \(SVPP\) | COPS OFFICE \(usdoj.gov\)](#)

Description:

This program will improve security at schools and on school grounds through the implementation of evidence-based school safety programs and technology. This program funds projects which include funding of civilian personnel to serve as coordinators with local law enforcement, training for local law enforcement officers, purchase and installation of certain allowable equipment and technology, and other measures to significantly improve school security.

What can be funded?

SVPP funding will provide up to 75% funding for the following school safety measures in and around K-12 (primary and secondary) schools and school grounds:

- Coordination with law enforcement
- Training for local law enforcement officers to prevent student violence against others and self
- Metal detectors, locks, lighting, and other deterrent measures
- Technology for expedited notification of local law enforcement during an emergency
- Any other measure that the COPS Office determines may provide a significant improvement in security

As a condition of funding, if awarded, recipients must conduct comprehensive school safety assessments during the grant award period for all schools involved in the project. Applicants must ensure that the project being proposed meets the purposes of COPS Office funding under this statute (see Statutory Authority). The Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) and the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Program (OJJDP) also provide grants under STOP Act funding. Those programs fund different purpose areas and project types from COPS funding.

Gun Violence: Applicants that propose projects using Community Violence Intervention strategies to address high rates of gun violence, firearms seizures, and gun-related incidents on school grounds will be given priority consideration.

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Preventing School Violence: BJA's STOP School Violence Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: June 14, 2022
JustGrants: June 21, 2022

Eligible entities:

- Category 1: State governments, Public and state-controlled institutions of higher education.
- Category 2: City or township governments, County governments, Units of local governments, Native American tribal governments (federally recognized), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Private institutions of higher education, Independent school districts.

Total Available Funding: \$45 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 79

Anticipated Award Amount: Category 1: Up to \$2,000,000; Category 2: Up to \$1,000,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Preventing School Violence: BJA's STOP School Violence Program](#)

Description:

This program is designed to improve K-12 school security by providing students and teachers with the tools they need to recognize, respond quickly to, and help prevent acts of violence and ensure a positive school climate.

What can be funded?

Eligible applicants for Categories 1 or 2 may submit one application that includes proposals for one or more of the following areas:

- Developing and operating technology solutions such as anonymous reporting systems for threats of school violence, including mobile telephone applications, hotlines, websites, or other school safety technology solutions, for accurate identification of danger (without resort to discriminatory stereotypes or violating privacy) or other technology solutions shown to improve school safety.
- Develop and implement multidisciplinary behavioral threat assessment and/or intervention teams.
- Train school personnel and educate students on preventing school violence, including strategies to improve a school climate, which may include training for school officials on intervening and responding to individuals in mental health crises, social emotional learning, anti-bullying prevention, suicide prevention, or other evidence-based programs that may improve school climate.
- Specialized training for law enforcement who work in schools and/or with school-age populations such as school resource officers and probation officers.
- Hiring of school support personnel such as climate specialists, school psychologists, school social workers, school-based violence interrupters, and others directly supporting the prevention of school violence.

Applicants proposing to utilize grant funds to support technological enhancements directly or via training and technical assistance may receive priority consideration if their proposal addresses the tenets of digital trust.

BJA, the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP), and the Office of Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) are all releasing solicitations in FY 2022 for funding supported by the STOP School Violence Act. Applicants should not submit duplicate proposals that include a similar project design and budget in response to these DOJ solicitations

CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILIES SOLICITATIONS

Sober Truth on Preventing Underage Drinking Act Grants



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: June 21, 2022

Eligible entities:

Eligible applicants are domestic public and private nonprofit entities that are current or former Drug-Free Communities Support Program (DFC) recipients.

Total Available Funding: \$2 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 40

Anticipated Award Amount: Up to \$50,000

Length of Project: Up to 4 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Sober Truth on Preventing Underage Drinking Act Grant \(STOP Act Grants\)](#)

Description:

The purpose of this program is to prevent and reduce alcohol use among youth and young adults ages 12-20 in communities throughout the United States. The program aims to: (1) address norms regarding alcohol use by youth, (2) reduce opportunities for underage drinking, (3) create changes in underage drinking enforcement efforts, (4) address penalties for underage use, and/or (5) reduce negative consequences associated with underage drinking (e.g., motor vehicle crashes, sexual assaults). In addition, applicants will build on strategic plans that were developed under a Drug Free Communities (DFC) grant.

What can be funded?

Grant funds must be used primarily to support infrastructure development, including the following types of activities:

- Describe how this project will enhance, not replace, the capacity the coalition has established with its DFC grant and how that enhanced capacity will increase the coalition's effectiveness addressing underage drinking in the community.
- Enhance intergovernmental cooperation and coordination on the issue of alcohol use among youth and young adults.
- Serve as a catalyst for increased citizen participation and greater collaboration among all sectors and organizations of a community to foster a long-term commitment to reducing alcohol use among youth.
- Strengthen collaboration among communities, the federal government, state, local, and tribal governments to reduce alcohol use among youth and young adults.
- Disseminate timely information to communities regarding state-of-the-art practices and initiatives that have proven to be effective in preventing and reducing alcohol use among youth.
- Develop a 12-month Action Plan that builds upon DFC planning processes (i.e., Strategic Prevention Framework) that enhances local community initiatives for preventing and reducing alcohol use among youth. Implement strategies and needed actions identified in the Action Plan.
- Utilize Town Halls to gain feedback from communities on underage drinking issues in the community and utilize this feedback to implement change.
- Work with the Prevention Technology Transfer Centers (PTTC) to ensure best practices are shared between the PTTC and your program to expand the reach of messaging regarding best practice strategies to address underage drinking.
- Additional allowable activities are included on page 9 of this solicitation

COMMUNITY SUPERVISION SOLICITATIONS

Swift, Certain, and Fair (SCF) Supervision Program: Applying the Principles Behind Project HOPE



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 20, 2022
JustGrants: May 25, 2022

Eligible entities:

- County governments
- Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
- State governments
- Other: State, city, township, county, or tribal government acting directly or through agreements with other public or private entities on behalf of a single drug court

Total Available Funding: \$4 million
Anticipated Number of Awards: 5
Anticipated Award Amount: \$800,000

Length of Project: Up to 2 years
Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Swift, Certain, and Fair \(SCF\) Supervision Program: Applying the Principles Behind Project HOPE](#)

Description

This program provides community supervision agencies with information, resources, and technical assistance to improve their responses to the behavior of adults on supervision improve supervision outcomes and reduce recidivism. The selected agencies will engage in collaborative problem solving with stakeholders and use data and research-informed strategies to respond to behavior in a way that individuals will connect to their actions, and not see as a function of supervision, per se.

What can be funded?

- Develop supervision strategies based on the Swift, Certain Fair principles.
- Use a data-driven process to identify a target population.
- Evaluate the effectiveness of the strategies to reduce recidivism and improve outcomes for individuals under community supervision.

EXPANDING TREATMENT SERVICES SOLICITATIONS

Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinic (CCBHC) - Planning, Development, and Implementation Grants



Application Due Date:
Grants.gov: May 17, 2022

Eligible entities:

- Community-based behavioral health non-profit organizations, or organizations that are either (a) part of a local government behavioral health authority; or (b) operated under the authority of the Indian Health Service, an Indian tribe, or tribal organization; or (c) an Urban Indian Organization pursuant to a grant or contract with the Indian Health Service under Title V of the Indian Health Care Improvement Act (25 U.S.C. 1601 et seq.).

Total Available Funding: \$156 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 156

Anticipated Award Amount: \$1,000,000

Length of Project: Up to 4 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinic \(CCBHC\) – Planning, Development, and Implementation Grants](#)

Description:

This program is designed to:

- (a) assist organizations in the planning for and development and implementation of a CCBHC that meets the CCBHC Certification Criteria,
- (b) provide a comprehensive range of outreach, screening, assessment, treatment, care coordination, and recovery supports based on a needs assessment that aligns with the CCBHC Certification Criteria, and
- (c) support recovery from mental illness and/or substance use disorders (SUD) by providing access to high-quality mental health and SUD services, regardless of an individual's ability to pay. SAMHSA expects that applicants will include a focus on groups facing health disparities, as identified in the community needs assessment in the population of focus.

What can be funded:

- Staff salaries, wages and fringe benefits of a Project Director (at least .5 FTE) and an Evaluator (at least .5 FTE)
- Required activities:
 - » Complete a community assessment of the needs of the population(s) of focus in the catchment area within 6 months of the award.
 - » Develop a plan for staffing, training and delivery of required services within 8 months of award.
 - » Within 1 year of grant award, provide the nine core CCBHC services (page 10).
 - » Develop and implement outreach and engagement strategies.
 - » Implement infrastructure development activities to address the operational changes needed to meet the certification criteria and improve the quality and effectiveness of CCBHC services.
 - » Build funding mechanisms and service delivery models with all resources and partners.
 - » Within one year of grant award, be in compliance with the CCBHC Certification Criteria (http://www.samhsa.gov/sites/default/files/programs_campaigns_ccbhccriteria.pdf) and deliver services with fidelity to the requirements of the CCBHC Certification Criteria.
 - » Develop formal partnerships to provide recovery support services.
 - » Development of a sustainability plan.
 - » Six months prior to the start of year 4, as specified within the Certification Criteria, complete a follow-up community needs assessment and update grant activities, including staffing plan, training plan, etc., as needed.
- Additional allowable activities are included on pages 12-13 of the solicitation.

EXPANDING TREATMENT SERVICES SOLICITATIONS

Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinic (CCBHC) - Improvement and Advancement Grants



Application Due Date:
Grants.gov: May 17, 2022

Eligible entities:

- Eligible applicants for this NOFO are (1) existing CCBHC Medicaid Demonstration Program sites; (2) former and current CCBHC-Expansion grant recipients that meet the CCBHC Certification Criteria requirements and did not receive funding in FY2021 under SM-21-013; or (3) organizations that have been certified by the state as a CCBHC.

Total Available Funding: \$156 million
Anticipated Number of Awards: 156
Anticipated Award Amount: \$1,000,000

Length of Project: Up to 4 years
Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Certified Community Behavioral Health Clinic \(CCBHC\)- Improvement and Advancement Grants](#)

Description:

This program is designed to help transform community behavioral health systems and provide comprehensive, integrated, coordinated, and person-centered behavioral health care by enhancing and improving CCBHCs that currently meet the CCBHC Certification Criteria. The intent of the grant program is to improve access to community-based mental health and substance use disorder treatment and support, including 24/7 crisis services, to anyone in their service area who needs it, regardless of their ability to pay or place of residence. SAMHSA expects that applicants will include a focus on groups facing health disparities as identified in the community needs assessment in the population of focus.

What can be funded:

- Staff salaries, wages and fringe benefits of a Project Director (at least 0.5 FTE) and an Evaluator (at least 0.5 FTE).
- Grantees must use SAMHSA's services grant funds primarily to support direct services. No more than 15 percent of the annual funding award may be used for infrastructure.
- Required activities:
 - » Operate in compliance with the CCBHC Certification Criteria (https://www.samhsa.gov/sites/default/files/programs_campaigns/ccbhccriteria.pdf)
 - » Develop a plan for staffing, training and delivery of required services within 8 months of award.
 - » If operating under a state CCBHC certification program, collaborate with the state to maintain state CCBHC certification.
 - » Implement infrastructure development activities to address the operational changes needed to meet Provide all nine core CCBHC services, as described in the Certification Criteria, Program Area 4.
 - » Conduct at least one (1) and possibly two (2) community needs assessments over the life of the project.
 - » Development of a sustainability plan.
- Additional allowable activities are included on pages 11-12 of the solicitation.

EXPANDING TREATMENT SERVICES SOLICITATIONS

Building Communities of Recovery



Application Due Date:
Grants.gov: June 3, 2022

Eligible entities:

- Eligibility is statutorily limited to Recovery Community Organizations (RCOs) and Recovery Community Centers (RCCs) that are domestic private non-profit entities in states, territories, or tribes. RCOs and RCCs are independent, non-profit organizations led and governed by representatives of local communities of recovery. To ensure that recovery communities are fully represented, only organizations controlled and managed by members of the recovery community are eligible to apply.

Total Available Funding: \$3.9 million

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Anticipated Number of Awards: 13

Anticipated Award Amount: \$300,000

Cost Sharing/Match Required? Yes: Non-federal contributions are required and may be in cash or in-kind, fairly evaluated. The matching funds must not be less than \$15 for each \$85 of federal funds provided in all years of the grant.

Complete details are available at [Building Communities of Recovery](#)

Description:

This program is designed to mobilize and connect a broad base of community-based resources to increase the prevalence and quality of long-term recovery support for persons with substance use disorders (SUD) and co-occurring substance use and mental disorders (COD). These grants are intended to support the development, enhancement, expansion, and delivery of recovery support services (RSS) as well as the promotion of and education about recovery. It is expected that these grant activities will be administered and implemented by individuals with lived experience who are in recovery from SUD and COD and reflect the needs and population of the community being served.

What can be funded:

- Staff salaries, wages and fringe benefits for the Program Director and the Project Coordinator. The combined level of effort (LOE) for the two (2) positions must equal 100 percent (1.0 FTE).
- Grantees must use SAMHSA's services grant funds primarily to support direct services.
- Required activities:
 - » Provision of Peer Recovery Support Services (PRSS) designed and delivered by individuals who have lived experienced with SUD and recovery.
 - » Delivery of RSS that directly assist individuals and families to recover from SUD issues.
 - » Collaboration with regional and local harm reduction community partner efforts currently underway as they intersect and relate to RSS that will encompass harm reduction elements.

EXPANDING TREATMENT SERVICES SOLICITATIONS

Comprehensive Opioid, Stimulant, and Substance Abuse Site-based Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: June 13, 2022
JustGrants: June 17, 2022

Eligible entities:

Category 1: *Local or Tribal Applications*

- City or township governments, county governments, city, township, or county governments in rural areas (as defined below), Native American tribal governments (federally recognized)
- Jurisdictions without a county or local government-based substance use service system may designate the state administering agency (SAA) to serve as the primary applicant in Category 1. Applicants should ensure they apply under the appropriate subcategory below, based on the population of the proposed project area:
 - » Subcategory 1a – An urban area or large county with a population greater than 500,000.
 - » Subcategory 1b – A suburban area or medium-size county with a population between 100,000 and 500,000.
 - » Subcategory 1c – A rural area or small county or tribal area with a population of fewer than 100,000 or a federally recognized American Indian tribe. A rural area is defined as:
 - Any area or community no part of which is within an area designated as a standard metropolitan statistical area by the Office of Management and Budget.
 - Any area or community that is (i) within an area designated as a metropolitan statistical area or considered as part of a metropolitan statistical area and (ii) located in a rural census tract.
 - Any federally recognized American Indian tribe.
- Category 2: *State Applications*
State Governments

Total Available Funding: \$132 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 83

Anticipated Award Amount: Category 1: *Local or Tribal Applicants*

- Subcategory 1a: Up to \$1,600,000
- Subcategory 1b: Up to \$1,300,000
- Subcategory 1c: Up to \$1,000,000

Category 2: *State Applicants*: Up to \$6,000,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [FY 2022 Comprehensive Opioid, Stimulant, and Substance Abuse Site-based Program Solicitation \(ojp.gov\)](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to develop, implement, or expand programs in response to the overdose crisis and impacts of illicit opioids, stimulants, or other substances with the objectives to reduce overdose deaths, promote public safety, and support access to prevention, harm-reduction, treatment, and recovery services in the community and justice system.

The objectives of Category 1 are to encourage and support the development of comprehensive, locally driven responses to the illicit use of opioids, stimulants, and other substances that expand access to treatment and recovery support services across the criminal justice system; support law enforcement and other first responder diversion programs for persons with substance use disorders; promote education and prevention activities; and address the needs of children impacted by substance use.

The objective of Category 2 is to support states in their efforts to implement and enhance one or more of the allowable activities detailed under Category 1 in a minimum of six geographically diverse counties, localities, regions, or tribal jurisdictions.

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What can be funded?

Grant funds may be used to develop, implement, or expand a combination of the allowable use activities described below, or be concentrated on one so long as the proposed budget is appropriate and justified.

- Identifiable and accessible take-back programs for unused controlled substances found in the home and/or used by hospitals and long-term care facilities.
- Law enforcement and other first responder deflection and diversion programs.
- Comprehensive, real-time, regional information collection, analysis, and dissemination that promote the use of data for both real-time and comprehensive planning and response to overdoses and emerging drug trends.
- Naloxone for law enforcement and other first responders.
- Education and prevention programs to connect law enforcement agencies with K-12 students.
- Pre-booking or post-booking treatment alternative-to-incarceration programs, such as pretrial, prosecutor, and court diversion or intervention programs, that serve individuals at high risk for overdose or substance use disorder.
- Court programming to prioritize and expedite treatment and recovery services for individuals at high risk for overdose, as well as services for children and youth impacted by their parents' or other family members' substance use.
- Evidence-based substance use disorder treatment related to opioids, stimulants, and other illicit drugs, such as medication-assisted treatment (MAT), as well as harm reduction activities for and recovery support service engagement with the pretrial and post-trial populations leaving local or regional jails or secure residential treatment facilities.
- Transitional or recovery housing and peer recovery support services.
- Embedding social workers, peers, and/or persons with lived experience at any intercept of the Sequential Intercept Model to assist persons in the criminal justice system and their families navigate the justice system and increase their connection to treatment and recovery support services. Social workers, peers, and/or persons with lived experience may be embedded within law enforcement, pretrial and probation agencies, prosecutor-led programs, legal defense agencies, child welfare agencies, courts, and jails to support community reentry.
- Field-initiated projects that bring together justice, behavioral health, and public health practitioners to implement new or promising practices, which may not yet have a research base in addressing the impact of opioids, stimulants, and other substances on communities as a whole and individuals at risk of or with justice system involvement. This includes the application of evidence-based strategies from other fields that have not yet been fully examined in the justice context. Applications for field-initiated projects must include a research partner.

Category 2 applicants can implement one or more of the allowable activities detailed under Category 1. The grantees must support a robust planning period for the sites as well as support for implementation efforts, cross-site training, and peer-to-peer learning. State grantees must conduct an evaluation of all grant-funded activities and provide a copy of the annual, interim, and final evaluation reports prior to the close of the grant period, in collaboration with an independent researcher.

BJA's COSSAP Resource Center provides examples of successful applications from past years. Click here to learn more: [Applying for Funding - COSSAP Resource Center - Comprehensive Opioid, Stimulant, and Substance Abuse Program \(COSSAP\) \(cossapresources.org\)](https://cossapresources.org).

EXPANDING TREATMENT SERVICES SOLICITATIONS

Tribal Opioid Response Grants (TOR)



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: June 27, 2022

Eligible entities:

Eligibility is limited to federally recognized American Indian or Alaska Native Tribe or tribal organizations. Tribes and tribal organizations may apply individually, as a consortium, or in partnership with an Urban Indian Organizations.

Total Available Funding: \$55 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: Up to 150

Anticipated Award Amount: \$250,000 to \$1,925,000
based on population

Length of Project: Up to 2 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Tribal Opioid Response Grants](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to assist in addressing the overdose crisis in Tribal communities by increasing access to FDA-approved medications for the treatment of opioid use disorder (MOUD), and supporting the continuum of prevention, harm reduction, treatment, and recovery support services for opioid use disorder (OUD) and co-occurring substance use disorders. The program also supports the full continuum of prevention, harm reduction, treatment and recovery support services for stimulant misuse and use disorders, including for cocaine and methamphetamine.

What can be funded?

- Completion of a community readiness or needs assessment, and a comprehensive strategic plan, based on the most current epidemiological data for the Tribe to address the gaps in prevention, treatment, and recovery support services identified by the Tribe.
- Implementation of workforce development activities to ensure that individuals working in tribal communities are well versed in strategies to prevent and treat opioid misuse.
- Incorporation of culturally appropriate and traditional practices into the program design and implementation.
- Development and implementation of evidence-based contingency management programs to treat stimulant use disorder and concurrent substance misuse, and to also improve retention in care.
- Assistance to patients with treatment costs and development of strategies to eliminate or reduce treatment costs for under and uninsured patients.
- Addressing barriers to receiving MOUD by reducing the cost of treatment, developing innovative systems of care to expand access to treatment, engage and retain patients in treatment, address discrimination associated with accessing treatment, including discrimination that limits access to MOUD, and support long-term recovery.
- Treatment transition and coverage for patients reentering communities from criminal justice settings or other rehabilitative settings.
- Purchasing and/or implementing mobile and/or non-mobile medication units that provide appropriate privacy and adequate space to administer and dispense medications for OUD treatment in accordance with federal regulations.
- Support education, screening, care coordination, risk reduction interventions, testing, and counseling for HIV/AIDS, hepatitis, and other infectious diseases.
- Innovative telehealth strategies to increase the capacity of tribal communities to support OUD/stimulant use disorder prevention, treatment, and recovery.
- Development and implementation of tobacco/nicotine product cessation programs, activities, and strategies.
- Assessing the impact of the grant.
- Providing cultural competency and implicit bias reduction training to service providers to increase awareness and acknowledgment of differences in language, age, culture, socio-economic status, political and religious beliefs, sexual orientation and gender identity, and life experiences.
- Providing activities that address behavioral health disparities and the social determinants of health.

Infrastructure development costs may be no more than 15 percent of the total grant award. See pages 13-14 for additional information.

EXPANDING TREATMENT SERVICES SOLICITATIONS

Strategic Prevention Framework-Partnerships for Success



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: June 13, 2022

Eligible entities:

Eligible applicants are domestic public and private nonprofit entities, which may include but is not limited to states, territories, jurisdictions, communities, community-based organizations, federally recognized Tribes and Tribal organizations, and Urban Indian Organizations.

Total Available Funding: \$8.8 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 5 States; 7 Communities

Anticipated Award Amount: Up to \$375,000 per year for community, tribal, or territory applicants; Up to \$1,250,000 for state applicants.

Length of Project: Up to 5 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Strategic Prevention Framework-Partnerships for Success](#)

Description:

The purpose of this grant program is to help reduce the onset and progression of substance misuse and its related problems by supporting the development and delivery of state and community substance misuse prevention and mental health promotion services. The SPF-PFS program is grounded in the Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF), a community engagement model grounded in public health principles, including being data-driven, and focused on providing evidence-based services to high-risk underserved communities. SPF-PFS grant recipients focus on strengthening state and community-level prevention capacity to identify and address local substance use prevention concerns, such as underage drinking, marijuana, tobacco, electronic cigarettes, opioids, and heroin. Using local, state, and national substance use public health data, recipients will identify prevention priorities in their communities, and develop and implement strategies to prevent the misuse of substances and promote mental health and well-being among youth and adults. Recipients will utilize a data-driven approach to identify underserved communities and at-risk sub-populations of focus.

What can be funded?

Community/tribal/territorial recipients must use the [Strategic Prevention Framework \(SPF\)](#) to address up to three community substance misuse prevention/mental health promotion priorities through the following approach:

Assessment

- Identify substance use concerns
- Assess what risk factors might be mitigated or what protective factors might be strengthened
- Estimate the potential impact of prevention initiatives
- The assessment must be submitted 90 days post award

Capacity

- Identify and engage local partners and resources
- Develop and strengthen prevention resources
- Build or strengthen existing community structures

Planning

- Develop an implementation plan
- Establish processes to continually review and revise the plan
- The implementation plan must be submitted 6 months post award

Evaluation

- Establish impact measures
- Share results with community
- Utilize and share effective resources with the Prevention Technology Transfer Centers (PTTCs)

Additional allowable activities are included on page 10 of this solicitation

LAW ENFORCEMENT & CORRECTIONS SOLICITATIONS

The Kevin and Avonte Program: Reducing Injury and Death of Missing Individuals with Dementia and Developmental Disabilities



Application Due Date:
Grants.gov: May 19, 2022
JustGrants: May 24 2022

Eligible entities:

- **Category 1: Proactive Programming**
 - » Health care agencies, State or local law enforcement, tribal law enforcement, or other public safety agencies.
 - » Nonprofit organizations (including tribal nonprofit organizations), with preference given to nonprofit organizations that work with such entities in planning, designing, establishing, or operating locally based, proactive programs to locate and prevent the wandering of missing individuals with forms of dementia, such as Alzheimer's disease, or developmental disabilities, such as autism, who, due to their condition, wander from safe environments. (For this program, "nonprofit organizations" means an organization that is described in section 501(c)(3) of Title 26 and is exempt from taxation under section 501(a) of such title.)
- **Category 2: Locative Technology**
 - » Health care agencies, State or local law enforcement, tribal law enforcement, or other public safety agencies.
 - » Federally recognized American Indian tribal governments that perform public safety activities.

Total Available Funding: \$2.2 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 14 (7 per category)

Anticipated Award Amount: \$150,000

Length of Project: 24 months

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [The Kevin and Avonte Program: Reducing Injury and Death of Missing Individuals with Dementia and Developmental Disabilities](#)

Description:

This program supports local efforts to address this public safety challenge by providing grants to health care agencies, law enforcement and other public safety agencies, and nonprofit organizations that (1) implement locative technologies to track missing individuals, and/or (2) develop or operate programs to prevent wandering, increase individuals' safety, and facilitate rescue.

What can be funded?

- **Category 1: Proactive Programming** activities include:
 - » Establishing locally based, proactive programs to locate or prevent the wandering of individuals with forms of dementia, such as Alzheimer's disease, or developmental disabilities, such as autism, who, due to their condition, wander from safe environments.
 - » Developing strategies to increase public awareness of missing persons with Alzheimer's disease and other forms of dementia or developmental disabilities
 - » Providing prevention and response information, including online training resources, and referrals to families or guardians of individuals who, due to their condition, wander from a safe environment
 - » Establishing or expanding community partnerships among local law enforcement, other public safety agencies, and the communities they serve in an effort to prevent persons with forms of dementia or developmental disabilities from wandering, and to locate them in the event they go missing.
 - » Providing education and training, including online training resources, to first responders, school personnel, clinicians, and the public.
 - » Providing prevention and response training and emergency protocols to school administrators, school staff, and families or guardians of individuals with dementia or developmental disabilities to help reduce or prevent the risk of wandering by such individuals.
 - » Developing, operating, or enhancing a notification system that generates alerts, advisories, or other information for the recovery of missing individuals with dementia or developmental disabilities.

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- *Category 2: Proactive Programming* activities include:
 - » Purchasing, developing or implementing locally based tracking technology for individuals with forms of dementia, such as Alzheimer's disease, or developmental disabilities, such as autism, who, due to their condition, wander from safe environments.
 - » Partnering with health care agencies or state or local public safety agencies in the design and establishment of locative technology.
 - » Creating public awareness and outreach plans for the tracking program and practices.

LAW ENFORCEMENT & CORRECTIONS SOLICITATIONS

Connect and Protect: Law Enforcement Behavioral Health Response Program



Application Due Date:
Grants.gov: May 27, 2022
JustGrants: June 1, 2022

Eligible entities:

- City or township governments, County governments, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), State governments.
- Other:
 - » Public and state-controlled institutions of higher education.
 - » Organizations with a different legal status (e.g., nonprofit or for-profit mental health agencies) are eligible to apply only if they also have been designated as a state agency or unit of local government to provide mental health services. Documentation to support this designation must be attached to the application (34 USC § 10651(a)(5) “mental health agency” is defined as: “an agency of a state or local government or its contracted agency that is responsible for mental health services or co-occurring mental health and substance abuse services”).

Total Available Funding: \$15 million
Anticipated Number of Awards: 27
Anticipated Award Amount: \$550,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years
Cost Sharing/Match Required? Yes: This solicitation requires a 20 percent cash and/or in-kind match in years 1 and 2, and a 40 percent cash and/or in-kind match in year 3.

Complete details are available at [Connect and Protect: Law Enforcement Behavioral Health Response Program](#)

Description:

This program supports law enforcement and behavioral health cross-system collaboration programs intended to improve public health and safety responses and outcomes for individuals with mental health disorders or co-occurring mental health and substance use disorders who come into contact with the criminal justice system.

What can be funded?

- Training, staff, and other costs associated with the design, development and implementation of a best practice program in crisis response to assist law enforcement officers during encounters with people who have mental health disorders (MHDs) or co-occurring mental health and substance use disorders (MHSUDs). These could include any of the following:
 - a. [Crisis Intervention Teams \(CIT\)](#)
 - b. [Co-Responder Teams](#)
 - c. [Law Enforcement-based Case Management Services](#)
 - d. [Law Enforcement Assisted Diversion \(LEAD\)](#)
 - e. [Mobile Crisis Teams](#)
 - f. [Crisis Resolution and Home Treatment Teams](#)
 - g. [EMS and Ambulance-based Responses](#)
- Officer outreach and other citizen engagement activities to create awareness of the program and build positive community relations and trust.
- Training to enhance officer and other partners knowledge and skills in responding to community members with MHDs or co-occurring MHSUDs.

LAW ENFORCEMENT AND CORRECTIONS SOLICITATIONS

Matthew Shepard and James Byrd Jr. Hate Crimes Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 27, 2022
JustGrants: June 1, 2022

Eligible entities:

- State, local, and tribal law enforcement and prosecution agencies. Tribal law enforcement and prosecution agencies must be from federally recognized American Indian tribal governments that perform law enforcement functions (as determined by the Secretary of the Interior).
- Applicants can partner with other agencies and nonprofit organizations with expertise to support outreach, education, investigation, and prosecution of hate crimes.

Total Available Funding: \$8.7 million
Anticipated Number of Awards: 22
Anticipated Award Amount: \$400,000

Length of Project: Up to 4 years
Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Matthew Shepard and James Byrd Jr. Hate Crimes Program](#)

Description:

This program supports agencies in their outreach to and education of the public, victims, and their staff and partners on hate crimes to employ a comprehensive approach to prevent and address hate crimes, including outreach to and education of the public and victims, education of law enforcement and prosecution staff and partners, response to hate incidents and crimes, and the investigation and prosecution of these hate crimes. Funding can also be used to address serial violent hate crime perpetrators (having or suspected of having committed more than one violent hate crime).

What can be funded?

- Building collaborations between law enforcement and prosecution and community-based organizations – including schools, colleges, and universities – to conduct outreach to and education of persons and groups at risk for hate crimes.
- Developing comprehensive approaches that expand and enhance strategies – including tools, policies, and procedures – to increase the reporting, identification, and charging of hate crimes, including victim reporting.
- Enhancing the capacity of law enforcement and prosecutors to prevent and address hate crimes through education, training, and tools for the field to investigate and prosecute hate crime cases.
- Enhancing collaboration between federal, state, local, and tribal law enforcement and prosecution agencies in their investigation and prosecution of hate crimes.
- Preparing the partners to be able to fully understand and address hate crimes through leadership and assessment of their organizational cultures.

LAW ENFORCEMENT & CORRECTIONS SOLICITATIONS

The Justice and Mental Health Collaboration Program



Application Due Date:
Grants.gov: May 27, 2022
JustGrants: June 1, 2022

Eligible entities:

- City or township governments, County governments, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), State governments.
- Other:
 - » Public and state-controlled institutions of higher education.
 - » Organizations with a different legal status (e.g., non-profit or for-profit mental health agencies) are eligible to apply only if they also have been designated as a state agency or unit of local government to provide mental health services. Documentation to support this designation must be attached to the application (34 USC § 10651(a)(5) “mental health agency” is defined as: “an agency of a state or local government or its contracted agency that is responsible for mental health services or co-occurring mental health and substance abuse services”).

Total Available Funding: \$15 million
Anticipated Number of Awards: 27
Anticipated Award Amount: \$550,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years
Cost Sharing/Match Required? Yes: This solicitation requires a 20 percent cash and/or in-kind match in years 1 and 2, and a 40 percent cash and/or in-kind match in year 3.

Complete details are available at [Justice and Mental Health Collaboration Program](#)

Description:

This program funds collaborative programs to reduce justice involvement and improve outcomes for individuals with mental health disorders (MHD) or co-occurring mental health and substance use disorders (MHSUD) who have come into contact with the criminal justice system or are leaving a custodial setting.

What can be funded?

- Develop and implement a mental health collaboration program in any part of the criminal justice system. This could include:
 - » Connecting individuals with MHDs or MHSUDs with treatment and social services through crisis stabilization units and pre-arrest diversion,
 - » Creating or expanding mental health courts or other court-based approaches, including [prosecutor- or defense-led diversion strategies](#),
 - » Developing [supported employment for people with behavioral health needs](#),
 - » Utilizing [specialized caseloads for probation](#),
 - » Cross-system training of public safety officials and mental health providers, and
 - » Increasing intergovernmental cooperation between state and local governments to support individuals with MHDs or MHSUDs.
- Enhance, expand or operate a mental health drop-off crisis stabilization treatment centers that provides 24/7, year-round support for law enforcement, criminal justice agencies, and people who come in contact with the justice system.
- Increase community workforce and capacity for certified mental health peer support specialists and increase the availability of wraparound services evidenced to support people with MHD and MHSUD.
- The program strongly encourages that potential applicants review [Behavioral Health Diversion Interventions: Moving from Individual Programs to a Systems-wide Strategy \(Behavioral Health Diversion Interventions: Moving from Individual Programs to a Systems-Wide Strategy\)](#), which was developed based on work with previous grantees.

LAW ENFORCEMENT & CORRECTIONS SOLICITATIONS

Collaborative Crisis Response and Intervention Training Program



Application Due Date:
Grants.gov: June 1, 2022
JustGrants: June 7, 2022

Eligible entities:

- City or township governments, County governments, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), State governments, Other.

Total Available Funding: \$5 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 20

Anticipated Award Amount: Up to \$250,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? Yes: This solicitation requires a 20 percent cash and/or in-kind match in years 1 and 2, and a 40 percent cash and/or in-kind match in year 3.

Complete details are available at [Collaborative Crisis Response and Intervention Training Program](#)

Description:

This program seeks to fund the implementation of transdisciplinary crisis response training to educate, train, and prepare law enforcement and corrections officers so that they are equipped to appropriately interact with people who have behavioral health conditions (including mental health and substance use disorders) and intellectual and developmental disabilities (IDD).

What can be funded?

- *Category 1: Training Program for Law Enforcement Officers, Law Enforcement Agencies, and Sheriff's Departments (Deputies)* activities include:
 - » Perform a problem analysis of training and deployment policies and practices, in collaboration with local stakeholders and agency leadership, using relevant data.
 - » Create, design, and implement a training program. BJA encourages using [BJA's Crisis Response and Intervention Training Program Curriculum](#). A matrix of the modules can be found by visiting [AT Training Matrix](#).
 - » Seek and deploy other best practice training for officers to educate them on behavioral health conditions and disabilities.
 - » Define and track process measures as well as short-term and long-term program outcome measures. Program measures may include increased knowledge, skills, improved responses, and safer encounters.
- *Category 2: Training Program for Correctional Officers, Probation and Parole, and Sheriff's Departments (jails)* activities include:
 - » Perform a problem analysis of training and deployment policies and practices, in collaboration with local stakeholders and agency leadership, using relevant data.
 - » Create, design, and implement a training program. BJA encourages using [BJA's Crisis Response and Intervention Training Program Curriculum](#). A matrix of the modules can be found by visiting [AT Training Matrix](#). A source for community supervision models is [Forensic Assertive Community Treatment \(FACT\)](#).
 - » Seek and deploy other best practice training, such as management of withdrawal for individuals with substance use disorders, for officers to educate them on behavioral health conditions and disabilities, pharmacotherapy in corrections, recognizing and mitigating trauma, and impacts of confinement on behavioral health. To learn more, visit [Managing Substance Withdrawal in Jails: A Legal Brief](#).
 - » Define and track process measures as well as short-term and long-term program outcome measures. Program measures may include increased knowledge, skills, improved responses, and safer encounters.
 - » Build long-term sustainment through other, nonfederal funding mechanisms and a train-the-trainer component.

LAW ENFORCEMENT AND CORRECTIONS SOLICITATIONS

COPS Hiring Program



Application Due Dates:

Grants.gov: June 9, 2022

JustGrants: June 16, 2022

Eligible entities:

- Law Enforcement Agencies
- State Law Enforcement Agencies
- Tribal Law Enforcement Agencies

Total Available Funding: \$156 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 185

Anticipated Award Amount: Up to \$6,250,000
dependent on size of the department

Length of Project: Up to 5 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? Yes, there is a minimum
25 percent local cash match (cost share) requirement
unless a waiver is approved

Complete details are available at [COPS Hiring Program](#)

Description:

This program provides funding directly to law enforcement agencies to hire and/or rehire additional career law enforcement officers in an effort to increase their community policing capacity and crime prevention efforts. Anticipated outcomes of the program awards include engagement in planned community partnerships, implementation of projects to analyze and assess problems, implementation of changes to personnel and agency management in support of community policing, and increased capacity of agency to engage in community policing activities.

What can be funded?

- The maximum federal share per officer position is \$125,000 over the three-year period, (not \$125,000 per year) unless a local match waiver is approved. Any additional costs for higher than entry-level salaries and fringe benefits will be the responsibility of the recipient agency. Please keep in mind that there is a 12-month retention requirement for each officer position funded. The number of officers you request cannot exceed 20% of your agency's current actual sworn force, with a maximum of 50 officers for any agency. Agencies with fewer than 5 officers may request one officer.
- Award funds may only be used to supplement (increase) a recipient's law enforcement budget for sworn officer positions and may not supplant (replace) state, local, or tribal funds that a recipient otherwise would have spent on officer positions if it had not received an award.

LAW ENFORCEMENT AND CORRECTIONS SOLICITATIONS

Community Based Violence Intervention and Prevention Initiative



Application Due Dates:

Grants.gov: June 16, 2022

JustGrants: June 21, 2022

Eligible entities:

For *Category 1: Community Based Violence Intervention (CVI) Planning and Implementation for Community Based/Tribal Organizations* and *Category 3: CVI Expansion and Enhancement for Community Based/Tribal Organizations*, eligible applicants are limited to:

- Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
- Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education
- For-profit organizations including small businesses
- Native American and Alaska Native tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments)

For *Category 2: CVI Planning and Implementation for City/County/Tribal Governments* and *Category 4: CVI Expansion and Enhancement for City/County/Tribal Governments*, eligible applicants are limited to:

- City or township governments
- County governments
- Native American and Alaska Native tribal governments (Federally recognized), Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act ("ANCSA") Regional Corporations
- Special District governments
- Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities
- Independent School Districts

Total Available Funding: \$46.5 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 34

Anticipated Award Amount: \$1,500,000 - \$2,000,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Community Based Violence Intervention and Prevention Initiative](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to prevent and reduce violent crime in communities by supporting comprehensive, evidence-based violence intervention and prevention programs, including efforts to address gang and gun violence, based on partnerships among community residents, local government agencies, victim service providers, community-based organizations, law enforcement, hospitals, researchers, and other community stakeholders.

A total of seven funding categories are available under this solicitation. The categories focus on three sets of activities: CVIPI Planning and Implementation, CVIPI Expansion and Enhancement, and CVIPI Capacity Building and Training and Technical Assistance. The CVIPI Planning and Implementation and CVIPI Expansion and Enhancement categories focus on local or tribal projects led by either CBOs or units of government and are each split into two funding categories which allow for applicants to be evaluated against similar applicant types. Category 5 focuses on regional or national organizations seeking to work with and build the capacity of local CBOs. Finally, there are two funding categories that will support national training and technical assistance (TTA).

CBOs and local units of government, such as mayors' and county executives' offices, are often best suited to implement CVI strategies. OJP strongly encourages applications from these entities. Other eligible applicants may also apply with the expectation that a considerable portion of the funding will be directed to implementing CVI strategies through CBOs or local units of government such as mayors' and county executives' offices.

What can be funded?

Categories 1-4 are intended to support local communities.

Categories 1-2 are intended for organizations and units of government that are not currently implementing CVI strategies and are seeking financial and technical support to plan and stand-up new programs.

Categories 1–2: *CVIPI planning and implementation* activities include:

- Develop a multidisciplinary team of stakeholders, which may be an existing, expanded, or new formal working group, committee, or collaboration to guide and inform the planning and implementation process.
- Applicants are strongly encouraged to collaborate with a research partner to assist with conducting a community violence assessment to determine where and why violence is occurring and assess current gaps and barriers in community services.
- BJA has created a CVI Implementation Checklist (<https://bja.ojp.gov/doc/cvi-implementation-checklist.pdf>) that communities may use as a resource to inform planning and implementation.

Categories 3–4 are intended for organizations and units of government that are currently implementing CVI strategies and are seeking financial and technical support to enhance or expand existing strategies.

Categories 3–4: *CVIPI enhancement and expansion* activities include:

- Engage in an initial planning process by engaging residents and key partners, including researchers, to use data and information to assess their current strategies and how well they have addressed the community violence in order to design enhancements to or expansions of their approach.
- Applicants in Categories 3 and 4 are required to collaborate with a research partner to assist with the implementation of the program and its strategies, identify and suggest evidence-based strategies to tailor to the community, and lead the identification and collection of key performance metrics, including ongoing process and outcome assessments of the program.

REENTRY SOLICITATIONS

Second Chance Act Addressing the Needs of Incarcerated Parents and Their Minor Children



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 17, 2022
JustGrants: May 31, 2022

Eligible entities:

- City or township governments, County governments, State governments.

Total Available Funding: \$5 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 7

Anticipated Award Amount: Up to \$750,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Second Chance Act Addressing the Needs of Incarcerated Parents and Their Minor Children](#)

Description:

This program supports states and units of local government to develop programs within detention or correctional facilities to respond to the needs of incarcerated parents who have children younger than age 18. This program supports activities that foster positive family engagement between incarcerated parents and their children within detention and correctional facilities and implement programs and services that support the children of incarcerated parents to reduce the likelihood of antisocial behaviors and future involvement in the juvenile justice system.

What can be funded?

- Providing facilities with staffing, equipment, tools, and resources to create child-friendly spaces that promote continuous quality environments for parent-child visits.
- Enhancing and expanding services to children of incarcerated parents by facilitating access to services that strengthen the relationship between incarcerated parents and their children.
- Developing safety protocols and procedures for children who are visiting their incarcerated parents.
- Identifying experts to build local capacity for the development and implementation of local strategic plans that use multidisciplinary partnerships, balanced approaches, and evidenced-based strategies and help the facilities address issues associated with incarcerated parents and their children and families.
- Developing and expanding services and education programs that strengthen an incarcerated parent's engagement with his or her children and family and encourage prosocial behavior among youth.
- Providing parenting classes or other services to incarcerated parents to promote responsible civic (e.g., becoming a taxpayer) and family (e.g., paying child support) engagement.
- Supporting family counseling services and educational support to help break the cycle of violence among children who have incarcerated parents.
- Developing services that support incarcerated parents' continued involvement in the lives of their minor children when supported by the children's caregiver or guardian (i.e., father-daughter dances, increased communication between incarcerated parents and their minor children, increased visitation opportunities for incarcerated parents who have minor children, reading on tape programs, phone calls, emails, letters, and tele-visiting).

REENTRY SOLICITATIONS

Second Chance Act Community-Based Reentry Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 19, 2022
JustGrants: May 23, 2022

Eligible entities:

- Native American tribal governments (federally recognized).
- Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education.

Total Available Funding: \$13.5 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 18

Anticipated Award Amount: \$750,000 Rural, \$750,000 Nonrural

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Second Chance Act Community-based Reentry Program](#)

Description:

This program supports the provision of comprehensive reentry services to individuals who have been incarcerated. The program encourages strong partnerships with corrections, parole, probation, other reentry service providers, and stakeholders to develop comprehensive case management plans that directly address criminogenic risk and needs, as determined by validated criminogenic risk assessments, and include delivery or facilitation of services.

What can be funded?

- Mentoring adults during incarceration, through transition back to the community, and post-release.
- Transitional services to assist in the reintegration of individuals who have been incarcerated back into the community, including:
 - » Educational, literacy, and vocational services
 - » The Transitional Jobs Strategy: The Transitional Jobs Strategy includes employer and industry engagement integrated with best practices in reentry, innovative skill-building training, and approaches such as contextual learning and bridge programs
 - » Substance use disorder treatment and services
 - » Coordinated supervision and services for program participants, including physical health care, comprehensive housing, and mental health care
 - » Family services
 - » Validated assessment tools to assess the risk factors of returning citizens
 - » Assistance in securing safe and affordable housing
- Training on incarcerated individuals and victims' issues, which may include but are not limited to trainings that support staff in delivering interventions that have evidence of effectiveness, providing robust support services and documented referrals, and replicating promising models that integrate coordination and collaboration across systems.
- Note that the program requires that participants are expected to be screened, assessed, and identified for program participation pre-release.
 - » During the post-release phase of the reentry program, participants will receive case management services and be connected to evidence-based programming designed to assist in the transition from prison or jail to the community so that it is safe and successful. Where feasible, applicants should build prerelease access into the proposed programming plan, including case management services and evidence-based interventions.

REENTRY SOLICITATIONS

Improving Substance Use Disorder Treatment and Recovery Outcomes for Adults in Reentry Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 27, 2022
JustGrants: June 1, 2022

Eligible entities:

- City or township governments, County governments, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Special district governments, State governments.

Total Available Funding: \$7.2 million
Anticipated Number of Awards: 8
Anticipated Award Amount: \$900,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years
Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Improving Substance Use Disorder Treatment and Recovery Outcomes for Adults in Reentry Program](#)

Description:

This program provides grant funding to establish, expand, and improve treatment and recovery support services for people with substance use disorders during their incarceration and upon reentry into the community. The program will enhance corrections systems and community-based service providers' ability to address the substance use disorder treatment and recovery support service needs of people, including parents with minor children and pregnant/postpartum women, who are incarcerated and upon reentry in order to reduce recidivism, promote long-term recovery, and, in the process, improve public safety and public health.

What can be funded?

- Continue and improve substance use disorder treatment programs, including Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT), in prisons or jails.
- Develop, implement, or expand prison-based family substance use treatment programs for incarcerated parents of minor children or pregnant women.
- Develop, implement, and expand programs for supervised people who have long-term substance use disorders that include alcohol and drug use assessments, and individualized coordinated and continuous delivery of substance use disorder treatment and case management services.
- Coordinate between appropriate corrections agencies and service providers to ensure continuation of care after release.
- Strengthen rehabilitation efforts by providing addiction recovery support services.
- Provide for salaries, personnel costs, facility costs, and other costs directly related to the operation of the program.

REENTRY SOLICITATIONS

Improving Reentry Education and Employment Outcomes



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: June 7, 2022
JustGrants: June 13, 2022

Eligible entities:

- City or township governments, County governments, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, State governments.

Total Available Funding: \$21.6 million
Anticipated Award Amount: Up to \$900,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years
Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Improving Reentry Education and Employment Outcomes](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to improve correctional educational and employment programs that serve individuals during incarceration and throughout their period of reentry into the community. It promotes an evidence-based and data-informed approach that will provide meaningful opportunities, interrupt the cycle of unemployment and promote reentry success for formerly incarcerated adults. There are two categories of funding available:

- *Category 1: Improving Correctional Education:* These awards will improve the educational and vocational education programs available to individuals incarcerated in prisons and jails and upon return to the community.
- *Category 2: Improving Employment Services and Connections:* These awards will provide career training, including subsidized employment when part of a training program, to adults incarcerated in prisons and jails and upon return to the community.

What can be funded?

Category 1: Improving Correctional Education

- Establish/improve/expand educational and vocational programming and services for incarcerated adults, including competency-based learning over a range of services from literacy, high school diploma/equivalency, higher education, to labor market needs-informed vocational education.

Category 2: Improving Employment Services and Connections

- Establish/improve/expand career training programs that are informed by the labor market needs in the geographic areas to which incarcerated individuals will return.
- Continually assess local demand for employees in the geographic areas to which incarcerated individuals are likely to return and adjust educational and employment goals accordingly.
- Develop partnerships with local employers. Increase the quality and quantity of training, skills-building, and pre-apprenticeship programs available to incarcerated persons (e.g., programs that respond to new and local labor market demands, jobs with advancement opportunities and good benefits, etc.).
- Conduct individualized reentry career planning programs at the start of incarceration or post-release employment planning programs for program participants.
- Subsidize wages or other employment costs as part of a career training program.
- Provide transitional services to assist in the reintegration of incarcerated individuals into the community.
- Train corrections and service provider leadership and staff in career training programming.
- Track and monitor employment outcomes.

REENTRY SOLICITATIONS

Second Chance Act Pay for Success Initiative



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: June 14 2022
JustGrants: June 21, 2022

Eligible entities:

- County governments, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Public housing authorities/ Indian housing authorities, State governments, Other.

Total Available Funding: \$6 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 6

Anticipated Award Amount: \$1 million

Length of Project: Up to 4.5 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Second Chance Act Pay for Success Initiative](#)

Description:

This program provides funding for state, local, and tribal governments to enhance or implement performance-based and outcomes-based contracts with reentry, permanent supportive housing, or recovery housing providers to reduce recidivism and address the substance use disorders impacting formerly incarcerated people.

What can be funded?

Two categories of funding:

- *Category 1: Performance-based and Outcomes-based Contracting for Reentry Services:* Activities include:
 - » Enhancing already established performance-based and outcomes-based contracts to provide individualized reentry services for people leaving incarceration who are identified through a validated risk tool as being at moderate to high risk to reoffend in the community.
 - » Managing the performance-based or outcomes-based reentry services contract, including data and report collection, regular performance and outcome reviews between governments and service providers, on- and offsite monitoring, outcomes validation, and incentive payment approvals.
 - » Ensuring government staff and service providers have adequate training on performance-based or outcomes-based procurement, reentry services, data collection, and outcomes validation.
- *Category 2: Performance-based and Outcomes-based Contracting for Permanent Supportive Housing:* Activities can include:
 - » Entering into performance-based or outcomes-based contracts to provide evidence-based, high-quality permanent supportive housing (PSH) to formerly incarcerated individuals who have a substance use disorder.
 - » Managing the performance-based or outcomes-based PSH contract, including data and report collection, regular performance and outcome reviews between governments and service providers, on- and offsite monitoring, performance and outcomes validation, and incentive payment approvals.
 - » Ensuring government staff and service providers have adequate training on performance-based or outcomes-based procurement, PSH, data collection, and outcomes validation.
- Up to \$200,000 of each award may be used to research, price, write, negotiate, and finalize the service contracts, and the rest must be used to fund either performance-based or outcomes-based contracted services.

TREATMENT COURT SOLICITATIONS

Adult Drug Court Discretionary Grant Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 20, 2022
JustGrants: May 25, 2022

Eligible entities:

- City or township governments, County governments, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Special district governments, State governments, Other.

Eligible court types:

- Adult Drug Courts
- Driving while intoxicated (DWI)/driving under the influence (DUI) courts
- Co-occurring courts (participants diagnosed with both SUD and MH diagnosis)
- Tribal healing to wellness courts (THWC's)

Total Available Funding: \$43 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 45

Anticipated Award Amount: Planning & Implementation
Category: Up to \$700,000, Enhancement Category: Up to \$750,000

Length of Project:

Up to 5 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required?

No

Complete details are available at [Adult Drug Court Discretionary Grant Program](#)

Description:

This program aims to support efforts to plan, implement, and enhance adult drug court services and operations for nonviolent individuals with substance use disorders who are involved in the criminal justice system. BJA will give priority consideration to applications that seek to provide resources to rural and tribal jurisdictions.

What can be funded?

- *Planning and Implementation grants* are available to:
 - » Participate in a 6-month planning phase followed by an implementation phase of an adult drug court with capacity to provide treatment services, case management and coordination, judicial supervision, sanctions and incentive services, and other key resources such as transitional housing, relapse prevention, and employment to reduce recidivism.
- *Enhancement grants* are available to jurisdictions with an operational adult drug court and funding can be used to:
 - » Assist a jurisdiction to scale up its existing court program's capacity; provide access to or enhance treatment capacity or other critical support services; enhance court operations; or improve the quality and/or intensity of services.
- All applicants are encouraged to provide recovery support services, which include transitional or recovery housing and peer recovery support, to active participants in their drug court programs, but no more than 25 percent of the total budget may be used for these services. In particular, applicants are encouraged to consider strategies to ensure access to MAT, consistent housing, and peer and family support.
- All applicants are required to include cost estimates for travel for three team members to attend up to two BJA-approved conferences or trainings during the grant period.

Please note that court programs that combine or propose to combine any of these drug court types with other court programs or dockets are also eligible for funding, although the funding under this program must be used to address only those clients eligible for drug court services.

TREATMENT COURT SOLICITATIONS

Veterans Treatment Court Discretionary Grant Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 20, 2022
JustGrants: May 25, 2022

Eligible entities:

- City or township governments, County governments, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Special district governments, State governments, Other

Eligible Court Types:

- Adult Drug Courts
- Driving while intoxicated (DWI)/driving under the influence (DUI) courts
- Co-occurring courts (participants diagnosed with both SUD and MH diagnosis)
- Tribal healing to wellness courts (THWC's)

Total Available Funding: \$19.9 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 22

Anticipated Award Amount: Planning & Implementation Category: Up to \$700,000, Enhancement Category: Up to \$750,000

Length of Project: Up to 4 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? Yes: This solicitation requires a 25 percent cash or in-kind match

Complete details are available at [Veterans Treatment Court Discretionary Grant Program](#)

Description:

This program aims to provide veterans treatment courts and criminal justice professionals with the resources needed to implement, enhance, and sustain evidence-based treatment and recovery support programs and systems for eligible veterans in the criminal justice system who have substance use disorders.

What can be funded:

- *Planning and Implementation grants* are available to:
 - » Document that the applicant is ready to commit to a 6-month planning phase followed by an implementation phase that adheres to the requirements of this solicitation, including NADCP's best practice standards and the Ten Key Components of Veterans Treatment Courts.
- *Enhancement grants* are available to jurisdictions with an operational adult drug court and funding can be used to:
 - » Document that the grantee has an operational evidence-based veterans treatment court program consistent with the requirements of this solicitation, including NADCP best practice standards and consistent with the Ten Key Components of Veterans Treatment Courts.
- Funds can be used across both categories to:
 - » Develop tools to provide judicial and community supervision, mandatory and random drug testing, substance use disorder and mental health treatment, and appropriate incentives and sanctions.
 - » Support early and accurate identification of potential veterans.
 - » Enhance recovery support services, including transitional housing assistance.
- All applicants are encouraged to provide recovery support services, which include transitional or recovery housing and peer recovery support, to active participants in their veterans court programs, but no more than 25 percent of the total budget may be used for these services. In particular, applicants are encouraged to consider strategies to ensure access to Medication-Assisted Treatment (MAT), consistent housing, and peer and family support.
- All applicants are required to include cost estimates for travel for three team members to attend up to two BJA approved conferences or trainings during the grant period.

TREATMENT COURT SOLICITATIONS

Family Treatment Court Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 25, 2022
JustGrants: June 8, 2022

Eligible entities:

- City or township governments, County governments, State governments, Other.
- State and local courts or Native American Tribal governments (federally recognized) acting on behalf of a single jurisdiction drug court.

Total Available Funding: \$11 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 14

Anticipated Award Amount: Category 1: Establishing New Family Treatment Courts: Up to \$740,000, Category 2: Enhancing Family Treatment Courts: Up to \$820,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? Yes: This solicitation requires a 25 percent cash or in-kind match

Complete details are available at [Family Treatment Court Program](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to establish new family treatment courts or enhance existing family treatment courts to more effectively intervene with parents, children, and families affected by a substance use and/or co-occurring mental health disorder. The program expects family treatment court applicants to provide services that address the needs of the entire family, including direct services to children of parents served in this program.

What can be funded?

- *Category 1: Establishing New Family Treatment Courts* grants are for jurisdictions where either no family treatment court currently exists or a family treatment court has been operational for less than 1 year. Allowable activities include, but are not limited to:
 - » Provide direct services and supportive services (as appropriate) to children and family members that misuse substances or have a substance use disorder to create a family-centered approach to case management.
 - » Establish a multidisciplinary core team that includes partners from courts, child welfare, and treatment agencies.
 - » Create community linkages to hospitals, physicians, maternal and child health agencies, and early intervention services, as needed.
 - » Implement relationship-based parenting programs and developmental and behavioral interventions to improve family functioning and outcomes.
 - » Incorporate wraparound recovery support services, particularly peer recovery support, to assist parents and families with recovery and wellness.
- *Category 2: Enhancing Family Treatment Courts* grants are available to jurisdictions with a fully operational family treatment court for at least 1 year. Allowable activities include, but are not limited to:
 - » Engage new partnerships to address the needs of infants affected by substance use or withdrawal symptoms resulting from prenatal drug exposure or a fetal alcohol spectrum disorder.
 - » Expand partnerships with medication-assisted treatment providers and other medical professionals to provide high-quality, evidence-based opioid use disorder treatment.
 - » Coordinate outreach services that target family engagement and retention efforts by employing specialized engagement or outreach positions.
 - » Incorporate peer recovery support services.
 - » Develop new policy and practice procedures or revise existing policies.
 - » Offer ongoing cross-training opportunities.

TREATMENT COURT SOLICITATIONS

Juvenile Drug Treatment Court Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 25, 2022
JustGrants: June 8, 2022

Eligible entities:

- City or township governments, County governments, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), State governments, Other.
- Other eligible applicants who propose to provide direct services must not include the provision of services to any person who is older than age 18.

Total Available Funding: \$7.4 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 9

Anticipated Award Amount: Category 1: Juvenile Drug Treatment Court Statewide Program: Up to \$1,100,000, Category 2: Juvenile Drug Treatment Court Enhancement Program: up to \$750,000

Length of Project: Up to 4 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? Yes: This solicitation requires a 25 percent cash or in-kind match

Complete details are available at [Juvenile Drug Treatment Court Program](#)

Description:

This program aims to implement new and innovative approaches to enhance existing juvenile drug treatment courts and improve outcomes for youth with substance use problems or co-occurring mental health disorders, including histories of trauma.

What can be funded?

- *Category 1: Juvenile Drug Treatment Court Statewide Program* grants are available to State Administrative Offices of the Court to enhance fully operational (for at least 1 year) juvenile drug treatment courts by implementing evidence-based practices from the Juvenile Drug Treatment Court Guidelines across the state.
- *Category 2: Juvenile Drug Treatment Court Treatment Court Enhancement Program* grants are available to jurisdictions to enhance fully operational (for at least 1 year) juvenile drug treatment courts. Allowable activities include:
 - » Enhance adolescent substance use disorder treatment services, including screening, assessment, case management, recovery support services, and program coordination to participants.
 - » Develop effective case management.
 - » Deliver effective incentives and sanctions.
 - » Implement evidence-based screening tools.
 - » Develop an innovative approach to serve court-involved youth who are not moderate to high risk to offend but have substance use challenges and can benefit from a brief intervention.

TREATMENT COURT SOLICITATIONS

Community Courts Initiative



Application Due Dates:

Grants.gov: June 21, 2022

JustGrants: June 27, 2022

Eligible entities:

State governments, city or township governments, county governments, Native American tribal governments (federally recognized), or tribal government acting directly or through agreements with other public or private entities on behalf of a single community court.

Total Available Funding: \$4.2 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 8

Anticipated Award Amount: Up to \$600,000

Length of Project: Up to 4 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? Yes: This solicitation requires a 25 percent cash or in-kind match

Complete details are available at [FY 2022 Community Courts Initiative](#)

Description:

This program supports efforts to establish and enhance community courts in their jurisdictions. Community courts are neighborhood-focused court programs that combine the power of the community and the justice system to address local problems. They connect persons committing less serious crimes – often misdemeanor cases – to judicially supervised substance use disorder treatment, alternative sanctions, and other community-based services. There are two categories of funding available: *Category 1: Planning and Implementation* and *Category 2: Enhancement*.

What can be funded?

- Establishing or enhancing court-based intervention programs to prioritize and expedite the provision of treatment and recovery services to individuals who are frequent users of justice, health, and other services who commit low-level misdemeanor offenses.
- Tailoring sentences to each defendant to improve community safety, enhance confidence in justice, and reduce recidivism.
- Building the capacity of jurisdictions to ensure that all participants are identified, assessed, and referred to services.
- Enhancing the use of community services by participants in the community court docket, including case management, housing assistance, and service coordination.
- Developing and maintaining partnerships and collaborations with service providers to enhance the provision of treatment and recovery support services.
- Supporting the development, enhancement, and translation of research and knowledge of researcher-practitioner partnerships.

SUPPORT FOR CRIME VICTIMS SOLICITATIONS

Enhanced Collaborative Model Task Force to Combat Human Trafficking



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: June 9, 2022
JustGrants: June 16, 2022

Eligible entities:

- City or township governments, County governments, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, State governments, Other.
- Purpose Area 2: Eligible applicants must be a previous recipient of an OJP Enhanced Collaborative Model (ECM) Task Force to Combat Human Trafficking award.

Total Available Funding: \$15 million
Anticipated Number of Awards: 18
Anticipated Award Amount: \$800,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years
Cost Sharing/Match Required? Yes: A 25 percent cash or in-kind match is required.

Complete details are available at [OVC FY 2022 Enhanced Collaborative Model Task Force to Combat Human Trafficking \(ojp.gov\)](https://www.ojp.gov/oea/2022/enhanced-collaborative-model-task-force-to-combat-human-trafficking)

Description:

This grant program provides funding to develop, expand, or strengthen a multidisciplinary approach to fight human trafficking. This collaborative approach must include victim and social service providers, law enforcement and prosecution personnel, survivors, and a range of other governmental and non-governmental partners that work together to provide a diverse set of appropriate services for trafficking victims. This program expects a co-leadership model approach, with shared decision making by both the lead law enforcement and the lead victim service provider applicants.

What can be funded?

Purpose Area 1:

- Support task forces with critical first steps related to starting up a multidisciplinary task force and establishing a strong foundation of task force co-leadership structure, clear roles and responsibilities, and internal processes and protocols.
- Successful applicants will dedicate the first 12–18 months of funding to formalize task force structure, develop operational procedures, access professional development and training opportunities, deliver training to key stakeholders, and conduct a community assessment to identify potential areas of the community where sex and labor trafficking may be occurring.

Purpose Area 2:

- Support expanded task force partnerships, refinement and implementation of existing and new protocols, meaningful survivor engagement, and efforts to implement a range of proactive approaches that are victim centered and trauma and survivor informed.

SUPPORT FOR CRIME VICTIMS SOLICITATIONS

Housing Assistance Grants for Victims of Human Trafficking



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: June 9, 2022
JustGrants: June 16, 2022

Eligible entities:

- City or township governments, County governments, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities, State governments, Other.

Total Available Funding: \$22.5 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 30

Anticipated Award Amount: Purpose Area 1:

Development of New Human Trafficking Task Forces: 18 awards (9 per task force) for up to \$750,000 per award (\$1.5 million per task force)

Purpose Area 2: Expansion of Established ECM Human Trafficking Task Forces: 12 awards (6 per task force) for up to \$750,000 per award (\$1.5 million per task force)

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? Yes. A 25 percent cash or in-kind match is required.

Complete details are available at [OVC FY 2022 Housing Assistance Grants for Victims of Human \(ojp.gov\)](#)

Description:

This grant program provides funding to support housing assistance for victims of all forms of human trafficking throughout the United States. Rapid Rehousing is the primary focus of this solicitation. Rapid Rehousing is a type of housing assistance in which supportive services and transitional housing are provided to assist victims to move as quickly as possible into permanent housing and achieve stability.

What can be funded?

This grant program funds services/activities related to the following:

- Emergency shelter, meaning a type of shelter or non-permanent housing in which a victim of human trafficking may be placed for less than 6 months, depending on the immediate need and preference of the victim. Crisis housing can be provided on an emergency, temporary basis, which may include congregate shelter and/or hotel/motel placements as a bridge to imminent shelter openings or other housing.
- Transitional housing assistance, meaning temporary housing offered for at least 6 months and no more than 24 months that helps victims transition into permanent housing. Transitional housing is not an extended shelter stay.
- Short-term housing assistance, meaning rental assistance and/or other financial assistance (e.g., utility assistance, relocation costs) offered for at least 6 months and no more than 24 months that helps victims transition into permanent housing.

SUPPORT FOR CRIME VICTIMS SOLICITATIONS

Field-Generated Strategies to Address the Criminalization of Minor Victims of Sex Trafficking



Application Due Dates:

Grants.gov: June 16, 2022

JustGrants: June 23, 2022

Eligible entities:

City or township governments, County governments, For profit organizations other than small businesses, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities, Small businesses, State governments, Other.

Total Available Funding: \$10 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 10

Anticipated Award Amount: Category 1: Field-Generated Program Sites: Up to \$1,000,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? Yes, a 25 percent cash or in-kind match is required.

Complete details are available at [OVC FY 2022 Field-Generated Strategies to Address the Criminalization of Minor Victims of Sex Trafficking | Office for Victims of Crime \(ojp.gov\)](#)

Description:

The purpose of this program is to end the criminalization of minor victims of sex trafficking and develop, expand, or strengthen victim service programs to support victim-centered, trauma-informed, developmentally appropriate, and evidence-based responses to minor victims of sex trafficking.

What can be funded?

Category 1 applicants are required to identify their strategy and scope of work to end the criminalization of minor victims of sex trafficking through the development or expansion of victim-centered, trauma-informed, developmentally appropriate, evidence-based responses to minor victims of sex trafficking.

Applicants are strongly encouraged to propose a community-based approach working across multiple sectors. Focus areas may include but are not limited to:

- Community-based interventions (i.e., engage stakeholders through community outreach and education to develop a continuum of care that addresses the specific needs of each victim).
- Emergency interventions (e.g., provision of necessities, drop-in shelters, emergency housing, health care, and other direct services that address the immediate needs of minor sex trafficking victims).
- Long-term interventions (e.g., job training, life skills, education, and other direct services).
- Cross-sector training (i.e., the development and provision of training and resources for law enforcement and justice system professionals on victim-centered, trauma-informed, alternative approaches to arrest and confinement).

SUPPORT FOR CRIME VICTIMS SOLICITATIONS

Services for Minor Victims of Labor Trafficking



Application Due Dates:

Grants.gov: June 16, 2022

JustGrants: June 23, 2022

Eligible entities:

City or township governments, County governments, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities, State governments.

Total Available Funding: \$2 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 3

Anticipated Award Amount: \$665,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? Yes, a 25 percent cash or in-kind match is required.

Complete details are available at [OVC FY 2022 Services for Minor Victims of Labor Trafficking | Office for Victims of Crime \(ojp.gov\)](#)

Description:

The purpose of this program is to develop, expand, or strengthen victim service programs for minor victims of labor trafficking, whose victimization occurred when they were under age 18. Organizations funded under this program will provide (directly and through partnerships) services that minor victims of labor trafficking often require to address their needs for safety, security, and healing.

What can be funded?

- Organizations funded under this program will provide (directly and through partnerships) services that minor victims of labor trafficking often require to address their needs for safety, security, and healing.
- Applicants will also be expected to integrate into their programming developmentally appropriate and evidence-based practices. Although this program is focused on providing services to minor victims of labor trafficking, organizations should be aware that these victims could have also been exploited through sex trafficking.
- Applicants should address how they would respond to the needs of victims who are subjected to both sex trafficking and labor trafficking.
- While funds are intended primarily for direct services to minor victims of labor trafficking, services under this program can also extend to the victim's children and supportive non-offending parents, caregivers, sponsors, and guardians, as services for these individuals impact the minor's safety, recovery, and success. Efforts to refer family members to other free and low-cost services prior to using OVC funds must be documented.
- Grantees will be required to separately track and report services provided to minors and services provided to adults under this program.

SUPPORT FOR CRIME VICTIMS SOLICITATIONS

Demonstration Grants to Strengthen the Response to Victims of Human Trafficking in Native Communities Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: June 27, 2022

Eligible entities:

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, City or township governments, Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, State governments, Special district governments, Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification), County governments

Total Available Funding: \$1 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 3

Anticipated Award Amount: Up to \$333,333 per year

Length of Project: Up to 5 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? Yes, the program requires a 25 percent cash or in-kind match.

Complete details are available at [Victims of Human Trafficking in Native Communities Demonstration \(VHT-NC\) Program](#)

Description:

This program supports communities to build, expand, and sustain organizational and local capacity to provide direct services, assistance, and referrals for Native Americans (i.e., American Indians, Alaska Natives, Native Hawaiians, and/or Pacific Islanders) who have experienced severe forms of human trafficking as defined by the TVPA of 2000, as amended. The following activities are required throughout the project:

1. Provide comprehensive, culturally responsive, and linguistically appropriate case management and victim assistance to Native Americans who have experienced human trafficking.
2. Conduct outreach to increase identification of Native Americans who have experienced sex and/or labor trafficking.
3. Deliver training for service providers and community partners on effective and trauma-informed identification, referral, assessment, and service delivery strategies.

What can be funded?

- Incorporate culturally responsive and traditional healing practices into the project design and implementation, if appropriate.
- Develop a viable plan in place to identify individuals who have experienced human trafficking, determine eligibility to enroll clients into the VHT-NC Program, and refer ineligible individuals for services, in compliance with statutory and administrative requirements prior to the initiation of VHT-NC Program-funded services.
- Conduct a comprehensive case management approach throughout the project period.
- Clients that are within 8 months of program discharge may receive one-time financial assistance for transitional costs of up to \$2,000 to cover transitional expenses
- Target outreach to Native Americans developed by prime recipients throughout the project period must be conducted in the identified, geographic region Page 11 of 70 and in venues, markets, and industries where human trafficking is known or suspected to occur.
- Provide training for local partners and community organizations throughout the project period to increase knowledge and understanding of effective and trauma-informed trafficking victim identification, referral, assessment, and service delivery strategies.

SUPPORT FOR CRIME VICTIMS SOLICITATIONS

Expanding Access to Sexual Assault Forensic Examinations



Application Due Dates:

Grants.gov: June 13, 2022

JustGrants: June 27, 2022

Eligible entities:

City or township governments, County governments, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Private institutions of higher education, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Special district governments, State governments.

Total Available Funding: \$4 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: 6

Anticipated Award Amount: Up to \$500,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Expanding Access to Sexual Assault Forensic Examinations](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to establish or expand sexual assault examination programs, including sexual assault nurse examiner (SANE) and sexual assault forensic examiner (SAFE) programs that focus on:

1. Increasing the number and availability of SANEs/SAFEs
2. Expanding access to sexual assault forensic examinations
3. Improving the quality of post-sexual assault care using a hospital-based or community-based approach

OVC will make awards under two program purpose areas:

- Purpose Area 1: Establish and/or expand SANE/SAFE program - The goal of this program is to establish or expand hospital-based or community-based SANE/SAFE programs that offer sexual assault medical forensic exams and sexual assault victim services using coordinated community response strategies.
- Purpose Area 2: Training and Technical Assistance for a national provider to provide training and technical assistance to the Purpose Area 1 awardees.

What can be funded?

- Medical forensic exams and post-sexual assault care
- Establish or increase the use of victim advocates
- Improve the availability of SANEs/SAFEs
- Improve access to training and education
- Develop or enhance policies and procedures
- Collaborate with community advocacy and public safety agencies
- Participate in technical assistance and collaboration activities
- Funding may also support the following activities:
 - Establish or expand SARTs, to include hiring a SANE/SART Coordinator. Using the SANE/SART model will allow communities to implement national best practices in sexual assault response.
 - Review, update, and expand SANE/SART protocol development to improve coordination of patient/victim/survivor services across systems.
 - Develop public awareness and outreach efforts about the SANE/SAFE program and provision of sexual assault care.

SUPPORT FOR CRIME VICTIMS SOLICITATIONS

Preventing Trafficking of Girls



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: June 28, 2022
JustGrants: July 5, 2022

Eligible entities:

City or township governments, County governments, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, State governments.

Total Available Funding: \$4 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: Up to 8

Anticipated Award Amount: Category 1: \$500,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [OVC FY 2022 Preventing Trafficking of Girls](#)

Description:

This program will support experienced organizations to develop or enhance prevention and early intervention services based on best practices to focus on the needs of girls who are at risk or are victims of sex trafficking. OVC expects successful applicants to implement prevention and early intervention programs based upon best practices for girls vulnerable to becoming victims of sex trafficking; to provide direct support services and mentoring services to girls at risk of becoming victims of sex trafficking; and to develop or enhance strategies to help vulnerable girls on a path toward success, stability, and healing. To support prevention efforts, this should include a detailed community outreach and education strategy.

What can be funded?

- Replicate and scale-up prevention and early intervention programs for girls who are at risk of, or are victims of, sex trafficking that have been shown to be effective or promising and/or have a documented track record of producing successful outcomes for participants.
- Implement or enhance efforts to identify and provide services to girls who are at risk of, or are victims of, sexual exploitation or sex trafficking. This may include street outreach efforts, partnerships with organizations that serve youth, partnerships with juvenile justice systems, and/or collaboration with key stakeholders in the community.
- The community outreach and education strategy should include targeted engagement with and training for cross-system stakeholders, including experts in the human trafficking and youth justice fields, professionals and youth with lived experience, law enforcement officers, prosecutors, the judiciary, researchers, and individuals who work in community-based programs.
- Applications submitted by nongovernment organizations should consider the importance of an established partnership with public juvenile justice agencies at the local or state level. This partnership will ensure close collaboration around referrals from the juvenile justice agency for those girls involved in the juvenile justice system and who are eligible for services provided by the proposed project. Evidence of this formal relationship must be a fully executed memorandum of understanding (or analogous document) between the agencies that addresses the objectives of this funding opportunity and the commitment of each agency to the project.
- Grantees will be expected to participate in an annual peer-to-peer learning (cluster meeting) opportunity hosted by the OVC-funded training and technical assistance provider.

SUPPORT FOR CRIME VICTIMS SOLICITATIONS

Field-Generated Solicitation: Increasing Options and Expanding Access for Victims of Crime



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: June 28, 2022
JustGrants: July 5, 2022

Eligible entities:

For profit organizations other than small businesses, Individuals, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Private institutions of higher education, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Small businesses

Total Available Funding: \$4 million

Anticipated Number of Awards: Up to 8

Anticipated Award Amount: Category 1: \$500,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Field-Generated Solicitation: Increasing Options and Expanding Access for Victims of Crime](#)

Description:

This program seeks applications to develop or enhance promising practices, models, and programs that offer innovative solutions to build the capacity of service providers to increase the service options and/or expand access points for victims of crime in underrepresented communities. The overarching goal of this program is to generate proposals that reflect the authentic needs and challenges of the victim services field in responding to the current realities of crime victimization in the United States and its territories. This solicitation provides a vehicle for funding innovative approaches that do not easily fit within the criteria of other OVC solicitations.

What can be funded?

There are no limitations on which victim-related topics the applicant may address; however, the proposal must clearly demonstrate a strong need for what is proposed, using relevant data and research. Innovative approaches can focus on issues that have long vexed the victim services field, or on the identification of new gaps in services or new approaches to addressing existing gaps. OVC is particularly interested in field-generated proposals that will increase the service options available or expand access to underheard and underrepresented victims of crime. Areas of particular interest to OVC include:

- Service interventions that address victims of crime who are often overlooked when it comes to specialized services, e.g., victims of robbery, assault, carjacking, or burglary.
- Innovative approaches to providing culturally relevant and culturally specific services.
- Subaward programs that aim to fund smaller community-based programs that specialize in culturally specific services.
- Demonstration programs that test approaches to increasing service options or expanding access borrowed from other disciplines, such as public health, psychology, social work, forensic science, or others.
- Training or technical assistance models that can potentially reach unprecedented numbers of service providers.
- Innovative methods of information delivery and notification services for victims of crime.
- Co-response approaches that partner service providers and public safety personnel in response to particular crimes, disturbances, or calls for service.

Each application must include a research partner who, working with the applicant organization, can ensure that the project goals are measurable, prepare the project for a process evaluation, and determine appropriate performance measures.

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