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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:

For this resource, the grant programs that include priority language around advancing equity, supporting rural jurisdictions, or serving underserved populations are indicated by language highlighted on the grant program description page. See specific instructions in each solicitation/notice of funding to determine what information is required to receive the priority consideration. The priorities are defined below:

Advancing Equity Priority

Some grant programs will give priority consideration to applicants that propose project(s) that are designed to meaningfully advance equity and remove barriers to accessing services and opportunities for communities that have been historically underserved, marginalized, adversely affected by inequality, and disproportionately impacted by crime, violence, and victimization.

Underserved Community Priority

Some grant programs will give priority consideration to applicants that demonstrate that their capabilities and competencies for implementing their proposed project(s) are enhanced because they (or at least one proposed subrecipient that will receive at least 40 percent of the requested award funding, as demonstrated in the Budget web-based form) are a population-specific organization that serves communities that have been historically underserved, marginalized, adversely affected by inequality, and disproportionately impacted by crime, violence, and victimization.

Rural Priority

This indicates if a grant program includes language indicating a priority for funding rural jurisdictions.

Rural-Specific Category

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 read through each solicitation/notice of funding carefully to determine if your jurisdiction or target audience is eligible.

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
OVC	Office for Victims of Crime
OVW	Office on Violence Against Women
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.

- [Bureau of Justice Assistance Funding Webinars](#)
- [Office for Victims of Crime Funding Webinars](#)
- [Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention How to Apply for Funding](#)
- [Office on Violence Against Women Resources for Applicants](#)
- [Applying for a New SAMHSA Grant](#)

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](#)

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ADDRESSING HATE CRIMES

Community-based Approaches to Prevent and Address Hate Crime



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: June 4, 2024
JustGrants: June 11, 2024

Eligible entities:

- 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, and community-based organizations and civil rights organizations that are tribal, non-profit, and academic.

Total Available Funding: \$4,400,000

Length of Project: 3 years

Anticipated Number of Awards: 11

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$400,000

Complete details are available at [Community-based Approaches to Prevent and Address Hate Crime](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to support comprehensive community-based approaches to addressing hate crimes that promote community awareness and preparedness, increase victim reporting, and improve responses to hate crimes. This program is also designed to develop community-informed models for responding to hate speech and incidents and facilitate reconciliation and community healing. Note that applications that include letters of support, memorandums of understanding (MOUs), and/or letters of intent to partner will receive priority consideration under this solicitation.

What can be funded?

Category 1: Community-based Organizations:

- Support individual organizations seeking to pilot prevention strategies, facilitate dialogue and community healing to de-escalate tensions arising from hate speech and hate incidents, and prevent hate crimes at the local level. These programs should be tailored to a particular community or geographic area.

ADDRESSING HATE CRIMES

Emmett Till Cold Case Investigations and Prosecution Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 28, 2024
JustGrants: June 4, 2024

Eligible entities:

- State, local, and tribal law enforcement agencies, including prosecutors' offices

Total Available Funding: \$2,250,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 3

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$750,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Emmett Till Cold Case Investigations and Prosecution Program](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to support state, local, and tribal law enforcement and prosecution agencies to support activities and expenses associated with the investigation and prosecution of cold case murders involving civil rights violations, as authorized by the Emmett Till Unsolved Civil Rights Crimes Reauthorization Act of 2016. This program supports state and local efforts to address hate crimes and to enhance the investigative skills of law enforcement and prosecution, as well as enhance the rule of law through the resolution of unsolved homicides.

What can be funded?

- Programming to enhance:
 - The capacity of state, local, and tribal law enforcement and prosecutors and their partners to identify, investigate, and prosecute these cases.
 - Collaboration between federal, state, and local law enforcement and prosecution agencies in investigating and prosecuting unsolved civil rights cold case murders.
- Translate this learning through information sharing, training, and tools to assist the field in identifying, investigating, and prosecuting additional cases, as well as supporting victims' families, stakeholders, and entire communities.
- Develop an inventory of potential cases.
- Creating an action plan to build a strong and focused strategy.

CRISIS RESPONSE STRATEGIES

Collaborative Crisis Response and Intervention Training Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 15, 2024
JustGrants: May 22, 2024

Eligible entities:

- State governments, city or township governments, Public or state-controlled institutions of higher education (with on-campus police departments, public or state-controlled hospitals with on-campus police departments), county governments, public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities (with public safety/peace officers or campus police), Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Native American tribal governments (federally recognized), and others (Units of local government, such as towns, boroughs, parishes, villages or other general purpose political subdivisions of a state)

Total Available Funding: \$2,000,000
Anticipated Number of Awards: 8
Anticipated Award Amount(s): \$250,000

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

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

Description:

This program provides funding to support law enforcement, correctional officers, probation and parole, and sheriff's departments in effectively partnering with mental health, substance use, community service professionals and agencies to promote public safety and make sure that appropriate responses are provided to individuals in crisis who have behavioral health conditions, intellectual disabilities, developmental disabilities, physical disabilities, and/or traumatic brain injuries.

What can be funded?

There are two categories of funding:

- Category 1: Training Program for Law Enforcement Officers, including campus-based police; law enforcement agencies, including probation and parole (field-based); and Sheriff's Departments (Patrol-Based).
- Category 2: Training Program for Correctional Officers, Probation and Parole, and Sheriff's Department (Facility-Based).

Funds can support:

- Plan, develop, or enhance a patrol or institutional confinement training program to improve crisis response and intervention for people in crisis, including collaborative training with community service providers.
- Evaluate a training program based on BJA's CRIT Curriculum. BJA's CRIT Curriculum can be found here: <https://www.informedpoliceresponses.com/>.

CRISIS RESPONSE STRATEGIES

Connect and Protect: Law Enforcement Behavioral Health Response Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 1, 2024
JustGrants: May 6, 2024

Eligible entities:

- State governments, special district governments, city or township governments, public- and state-controlled institutions of higher education, county governments, Native American tribal governments (federally recognized).
- Other: Agencies with a different legal status (e.g., nonprofit or for-profit mental health agencies) are eligible to apply only if they meet two requirements:
 - The applicant is designated by the state mental health authority to provide services as a unit of the state or local government.
 - The applicant must attach documentation to support this designation.

Total Available Funding: \$10,450,000
Anticipated Number of Awards: 19
Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$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 opportunity will support law enforcement-behavioral health cross-system collaboration to improve public health and safety as well as responses to and outcomes for individuals with mental health disorders (MHDs) or co-occurring mental health and substance use disorders (MHSUDs). Funding is available to help entities prepare, create, or expand comprehensive plans and then implement these collaborative projects to target people who qualify.

On March 21, 2024, at 2 p.m. ET, BJA will host a webinar to provide a detailed overview of this opportunity and allow interested applicants to ask questions. Register [here](#).

What can be funded?

Funding can be used to:

- Design and implement a crisis response program based on current best practice to assist law enforcement officers to improve encounters with individuals who have MHDs or co-occurring MHSUDs. These could include any of the following:
 - Crisis Intervention Teams (CIT)
 - Co-Responder Teams
 - Law Enforcement-based Case Management Services
 - Law Enforcement Assisted Diversion (LEAD)
 - Mobile Crisis Teams
 - Crisis Resolution and Home Treatment Teams
 - EMS and Ambulance-based Responses
 - Community Responder Programs
- Plan and deliver a crisis response program, through coordination between law enforcement and a mental health agency, that includes services to improve or enhance the response.
- Enhance officer knowledge and skills in responding to community members with MHDs or co-occurring MHSUDs.
- Engage residents through outreach and education to improve public health and public safety.
- Build positive community relations and trust through public communication strategies.
- See pages 17-18 for additional allowable funding uses.

CRISIS RESPONSE STRATEGIES

Improving Adult and Youth Crisis Stabilization and Community Reentry Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: April 25, 2024
JustGrants: April 30, 2024

Eligible entities:

- State governments, 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, Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education.

Total Available Funding: \$8,250,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 10

Anticipated Award Amount(s): \$825,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Improving Adult and Youth Crisis Stabilization and Community Reentry Program](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to state, local, and tribal governments, as well as community-based nonprofit organizations, to support cross-system collaboration between criminal and juvenile justice agencies, mental health and substance use agencies, community-based organizations that provide reentry services, and community-based behavioral health providers to improve clinical stabilization pretrial, during confinement, and support continuity of care and recovery during the transition to the community through clinical and other evidence-based activities or services for individuals with serious mental illness, substance use disorders, and co-occurring disorders.

The goal of these efforts is to minimize potential for experiencing crisis and improve recovery outcomes for people with serious mental illness, substance use disorders, and co-occurring disorders who are currently involved with the criminal or juvenile justice systems or reentering the community from these systems.

What can be funded?

Programs can be funded under two categories:

- Category 1: Improving Adult and Youth Crisis Stabilization and Community Reentry Programs—State and Local Governments
- Category 2: Improving Adult and Youth Crisis Stabilization and Community Reentry Programs—Nonprofit Organizations and Tribal Governments

Allowable activities include:

- Screening, assessment, and identification for program participation and clinical services (e.g., education, medication, therapy, behavioral counseling) during pretrial detention or as early as possible upon incarceration and prior to release.
- [Collaborative case planning](#) that supports delivery of age-appropriate, trauma-informed, and evidence-based treatment, recovery, and transitional programming during incarceration.
- Continued case management that supports wraparound services (e.g., housing, transportation, developing a support network) based on the screening and assessment results and that supports continuity of care (i.e., continued access to treatment and clinically indicated medications), crisis stabilization (e.g., intensive counseling, relapse prevention), peer support services, and long-term recovery in the community.
- [Crisis response services](#) in the community to support crisis stabilization during reentry, which may be delivered by the 988 Suicide and Crisis Lifeline, mobile crisis teams, crisis stabilization and triage centers, peer support specialists, public safety officers, community-based behavioral health providers, or other stakeholders.
- Benefit enrollment and care coordination among government stakeholders, community-based organizations, behavioral health providers such as community mental health centers and certified community behavioral health clinics, hospitals, crisis center, and juvenile assessment centers.

CRISIS RESPONSE STRATEGIES

Justice and Mental Health Collaboration Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 9, 2024
JustGrants: May 14, 2024

Eligible entities:

- State governments, special district governments, city or township governments, public- and state-controlled institutions of higher education, county governments, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
- Agencies with a different legal status (e.g., nonprofit or for-profit mental health agencies) are eligible to apply only if they meet two requirements:
 - The applicant is designated by the state mental health authority to provide services as a unit of the state or local government.
 - The applicant must attach documentation to support this designation.

Total Available Funding: \$13,750,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: Category 1: 13
Category 2: 12

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$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 provides funding for programs that support cross-system collaboration to improve public safety responses and outcomes for individuals with mental health disorders (MHDs) or co-occurring mental health and substance use disorders (MHSUDs). This year's solicitation focuses on pretrial, prosecution, courts, probation/parole, and addressing the needs directly related to the criminal activity of adults with mental health conditions, living in homelessness or marginalized communities with minimal access to treatment, needing wrap-around services, in the criminal justice system and leaving incarceration.

This solicitation is one of two solicitations available as part of the Justice and Mental Health Collaboration Program funding in FY 2024. For law enforcement-focused projects, see the separate [Connect and Protect: Law Enforcement Behavioral Health Response Program](#).

On March 19, 2024, at 2 p.m. ET, BJA will host a webinar to provide a detailed overview of this opportunity and allow interested applicants to ask questions. Register [here](#).

What can be funded?

Programs can be funded under two categories:

- Category 1: Criminal Justice System Collaboration: Pretrial, Prosecution, Courts, Behavioral Health
- Category 2: Community Justice and Collaboration: Jails & Prisons, Probation & Parole, Behavioral Health

Allowable activities include:

- Connecting individuals who have MHDs or MHSUDs with treatment and social services through support for the 988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline.
- Connect individuals with MHDs or MHSUDs with programs and services, including case management, crisis stabilization units, and pre-arrest diversion.
- Creating or expanding mental health courts or other court-based approaches to preliminarily qualified individuals.
- Increasing prosecutor- or defense-led diversion strategies.

- Creating connections with entities and/or providing supported employment services for people with behavioral health conditions.
- Utilizing specialized caseloads for probation.
- Cross-system training of public safety officials and mental health providers.
- Increasing intergovernmental cooperation between state and local governments to support individuals with MHDs or MHSUDs.

EXPANDING TREATMENT ACCESS

Adult Treatment Court Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 2, 2024
JustGrants: May 9, 2024

Eligible entities:

- Category 1 and 2: State governments, special district governments, city or township governments, public- and state-controlled institutions of higher education, county governments, other units of local government, such as towns, boroughs, parishes, villages, or other general purpose political subdivisions of a state, public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities, Native American tribal governments (federally recognized), public or private entities acting on behalf of a single treatment court through agreement with state, city, township, county, or tribal governments.
- Category 3: State agencies such as the state administering agency, the administrative office of the courts, and the state substance abuse agency or state criminal justice agencies and other state agencies involved with the provision of substance use and/or mental health services, or related services.

Total Available Funding: \$47,450,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: Category 1: 9
Category 2: 33
Category 3: 3

Length of Project: Up to 2 years

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

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Category 1: \$900,000
Category 2: \$1,000,000
Category 3: \$2,500,000

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

Description:

This program provides funding to adult drug courts (ADCs), driving while intoxicated (DWI)/driving under the influence (DUI), courts, co-occurring courts (participants diagnosed with both substance use and mental health disorders), and tribal healing to wellness courts (THWCs) are eligible. The applicant is required to describe a plan to provide access to medication-assisted treatment (MAT) in serving individuals with substance use disorders (SUDs), consistent with the requirements outlined below.

What can be funded?

Funding can be used to:

- Category 1: Planning and Implementation: Funding is available for jurisdictions ready to commit to a six-month planning phase followed by an implementation phase for an evidence-based adult treatment court.
- Category 2: Enhancement: Funding is available to jurisdictions with an operational adult treatment court. Funding may 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, expand or enhance court services, build or enhance collection and use of key drug operation and outcome data, or improve the quality and/or intensity of services based on needs assessments.
- Category 3: Statewide: Funding is available to improve, enhance, or expand adult treatment court services statewide. Activities can include: scaling up capacity for one or more local, state, or tribal ATC programs, helping a local/rural jurisdiction to launch a new ATC as a grant subrecipient, conducting an audit of the practice and technical assistance for adherence to the key components and best practice standards, collecting data and conducting analyses, delivering statewide training and technical assistance, support a treatment court alumni network and/or peer recovery programs to serve treatment court participants, supporting a statewide management information system, and supporting the staff needed to expand services statewide.

EXPANDING ACCESS TO TREATMENT

Campus Suicide Prevention Grant Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 6, 2024

Eligible entities:

- Institutions of higher education.

Total Available Funding: \$2,426,758

Anticipated Number of Awards: 23

Anticipated Award Amount(s): \$102,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? Yes, this program requires a 100% cash or in-kind match.

Complete details are available at [GLS Campus Suicide Prevention Grant Program](#)

Description:

This program provides support for a comprehensive public health and evidence-based approach that: (1) enhances behavioral health services for all college students, including those at risk for suicide, depression, serious mental illness (SMI)/serious emotional disturbances (SED), and/or substance use disorders that can lead to school failure; (2) prevents and reduces suicide and mental and substance use disorders; (3) promotes help-seeking behavior and reduces stigma; and (4) improves the identification and treatment of at-risk college students so they can successfully complete their studies.

What can be funded?

- Develop a plan to provide mental health and substance use disorder prevention and treatment services to college students by employing appropriately trained staff. Services may include recovery support services and programming and early intervention, treatment, and management, including telehealth services.
- Develop supportive policies addressing students who need a medical leave of absence due to the presence of SED, SMI, or co-occurring disorder (COD).
- Support college student groups on campus, including athletic teams, that engage in activities to educate college students, including activities to reduce negative attitudes about behavioral health disorders and to promote mental health.
- Conduct research through a counseling or health center at the institution of higher education involved to improve the behavioral health of students through clinical services, outreach, prevention, and promotion of mental health or academic success in a manner that complies with all applicable personal privacy laws.
- Develop and support evidence-based and emerging best practices, focusing on culturally and linguistically appropriate and trauma-informed practices.

EXPANDING ACCESS TO TREATMENT

Cooperative Agreements for the Garrett Lee Smith State/Tribal Youth Suicide Prevention and Early Intervention Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: June 3, 2024

Eligible entities:

- States and territories; a public organization or private non-profit organization designated by a State or Indian Tribe to develop or direct a statewide youth suicide, early intervention, and prevention strategy; or a Federally recognized Indian tribe, tribal organization, or an urban Indian organization that is actively involved in the development and continuation of a tribal youth suicide early intervention and prevention strategy.

Total Available Funding: \$14,932,933

Anticipated Number of Awards: 20

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$735,000

Length of Project: Up to 5 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Cooperative Agreements for the Garrett Lee Smith State/Tribal Youth Suicide Prevention and Early Intervention Program](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to support states and Tribes with implementing youth (up to age 24) suicide prevention and early intervention strategies in schools, educational institutions, juvenile justice systems, substance use and mental health programs, foster care systems, pediatric health programs, and other child- and youth-serving organizations.

What can be funded?

Funds must be used primarily for capacity building to address youth (up to age 24) suicide and prevention, and allowable activities include:

1. Provide trauma-informed, evidence-based, and culturally and linguistically appropriate early intervention, assessment services, and screening programs to youth.
2. Provide immediate support and information resources to families of youth who are at risk or who have attempted suicide.
3. Implement a response system to ensure timely referrals.
4. Ensure treatment and prevention services for diverse cultural populations address the cultural-specific risk and protective factors of the various populations they are serving.
5. Provide post-suicide intervention services, care, and information.
6. Provide evidence-based training.
7. Implement strategies to reduce access to lethal means among youth with identified suicide risk.
8. Obtain input from individuals with lived experience in planning, implementing, and evaluating the project.
9. Secure prior written, informed consent from the child's parent or legal guardian for assessment services, school-sponsored programs, and treatment involving medication related to youth suicide conducted in elementary and secondary schools.
10. Collect and analyze data and report to SAMHSA on state-sponsored statewide or tribal youth suicide or early intervention and prevention strategies.

See pages 10-11 for additional allowable uses.

JUSTICE-INVOLVED CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILIES PROGRAMS

Family Treatment Court Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 6, 2024
JustGrants: May 20, 2024

Eligible entities:

- State governments, city or township governments, county governments, other units of local government, such as towns, boroughs, parishes, villages, or other general-purpose political subdivisions of a state, Native American Tribal governments (Federally recognized), Native American Tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized Tribal governments)

Total Available Funding: \$7,800,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 8

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Category 1: Up to \$750,000
Category 2: Up to \$850,000
Category 3: \$1,500,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? Yes, this solicitation requires a 25% cash or in-kind match.

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

Description:

This program provides funding to build the capacity of local courts, units of local government, and federally recognized Tribal governments to establish new family treatment courts or enhance existing family treatment courts.

What can be funded?

There are three categories for this solicitation:

- Category 1: Establishing New Family Treatment Courts
- Category 2: Enhancing Family Treatment Courts
- Category 3: Statewide or Countywide Family Treatment Courts Expansion

Funds can be used to:

- All applicants are expected to provide a coordinated, multisystem approach that combines the oversight authority of family treatment courts with evidence-based interventions that focus on parental substance use disorder treatment and recovery, parenting, child and parent trauma, and parent-child relationships.
- See pages 19-21 for allowable funding uses for each category.

EXPANDING TREATMENT ACCESS

Juvenile Drug Treatment Court Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 14, 2024
JustGrants: May 28, 2024

Eligible entities:

- City or township governments, County governments, State governments, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), State governments, Native American Tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized Tribal governments)

Total Available Funding: \$4,000,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 5

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Category 1: Up to \$1,000,000
Category 2: Up to \$650,000

Length of Project: Up to 4 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? Yes, this solicitation requires a 25% cash or in-kind match.

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

Description:

This program provides funding to build the capacity of states, state and local courts, units of local government, and federally recognized Tribal governments to implement new and innovative approaches to enhance existing juvenile drug treatment courts (JDTC) and improve outcomes for youth with substance use or co-occurring mental health disorders, including histories of trauma.

On April 19, 2024, at 1 p.m. ET, OJJDP will host a webinar to provide details about this opportunity and offer a chance for participants to ask questions. Register [here](#) to participate.

What can be funded?

There are two categories of funding:

- Category 1: Juvenile Drug Treatment Court Planning and Implementation Program
 - The goal of this category is to support jurisdictions that identified a need to establish a court.
- Category 2: Juvenile Drug Treatment Court Enhancement Program
 - The goal of this category is to enhance existing JDTCs by enhancing one or more of the following areas using the evidence-based Juvenile Drug Treatment Court Guidelines:
 - Implement workforce development strategies to increase substance use and mental health providers, as well as peer recovery supports.
 - Develop effective strategies to increase access to and the availability of adolescent substance use and mental health treatment.
 - Enhance adolescent substance use disorder treatment services in existing JDTCs.
 - Enhance monitoring of the court's behavioral health progression of services.
 - Build or enhance the jurisdiction's data management system.
 - Develop effective case management.
 - Deliver effective incentives and sanctions.

EXPANDING TREATMENT ACCESS

Promoting the Integration of Primary and Behavioral Health Care: Collaborative Care Model



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 20, 2024

Eligible entities:

- Eligibility for this program is statutorily limited to a State or appropriate State agency. Appropriate state agencies include the State Mental Health Authority, the Single State Agency (SSA) for substance abuse services, the State Medicaid agency, or the State Health Department.

Total Available Funding: \$5,200,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 5

Anticipated Award Amount(s): \$900,000 per year

Length of Project: Up to 5 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Promoting the Integration of Primary and Behavioral Health Care: Collaborative Care Model](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to support the implementation of the Collaborative Care Model (CoCM). The CoCM is an evidence-based, integrated care approach that addresses mental and substance use conditions in primary care settings. Care is provided by a primary care team and includes a case manager, consulting psychiatrist, and other mental health professionals. Recipients will be expected to work with at least three primary care practices to develop the staffing and systems necessary to implement the CoCM. With this program, SAMHSA aims to increase the identification and treatment of mental health conditions for individuals who access care through primary care practices that too often go untreated and cause disability.

What can be funded?

Conduct a program readiness review to identify barriers, current or potential opportunities, and areas that need improvement in providing integrated primary and behavioral health care.

Develop and implement an Integration Program Plan that includes the activities to be conducted.

Develop and/or add to an Existing State-wide Planning Council.

Develop and implement Program Agreements.

Implement a Sustainability Plan.

Support partnerships with local health care providers providing services to special populations.

Please see pages 7-12 for additional allowable activities.

EXPANDING TREATMENT ACCESS

Promoting the Integration of Primary and Behavioral Health Care: States



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 20, 2024

Eligible entities:

- Eligibility for this program is statutorily limited to a State or appropriate State agency. Appropriate state agencies include the State Mental Health Authority, the Single State Agency (SSA) for substance abuse services, the State Medicaid agency, or the State Health Department.

Total Available Funding: \$6,000,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 3

Anticipated Award Amount(s): \$2,000,000 per year

Length of Project: Up to 5 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Promoting the Integration of Primary and Behavioral Health Care: States](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to (a) promote full integration and collaboration in clinical practices between physical and behavioral health care; (b) support the improvement of integrated care models for physical and behavioral health care to improve overall wellness and physical health status; and (c) promote the implementation and improvement of bidirectional integrated care services, including evidence-based or evidence-informed screening, assessment, diagnosis, prevention, treatment, and recovery services for mental and substance use disorders, and co-occurring physical health conditions and chronic diseases through integrated care.

State recipients must partner with qualified community programs, health centers, rural health clinics, or Federally Qualified Health Centers to develop and implement an integration program plan.

What can be funded?

- Conduct a program readiness review to identify barriers, current or potential opportunities, and areas that need improvement in providing integrated primary and behavioral health care.
- Develop and implement an Integration Program Plan that includes the activities to be conducted.
- Develop and implement Program Agreements.
- Develop and implement a Training and Workforce Development Plan.
- Develop or maintain an existing Provider-level Steering and Implementation Committee
- Develop and/or maintain an existing State Planning Council.

Please see pages 10-15 for additional allowable activities.

FORENSIC SCIENCE RELATED SERVICES

Competitive DNA Capacity Enhancement for Backlog Reduction (CEBR) Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 22, 2024
JustGrants: June 3, 2024

Eligible entities:

- City or township governments, county governments, Public and state-controlled institutions of higher education, State governments

Total Available Funding: \$5,000,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: Up to 10

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$1,000,000

Length of Project: Up to 2 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Competitive DNA Capacity Enhancement for Backlog Reduction \(CEBR\) Program](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to states and units of local government with existing crime laboratories that conduct DNA analysis to solve crimes and protect public safety by maximizing the effective utilization of DNA technology to process DNA samples for entry into the Combined DNA Index System (CODIS). Priority consideration will be given to applicants falling into the highest percentiles of performance measures (e.g., longest turnaround times) reported by CEBR laboratories in the preceding year. This data is posted on the BJA website at <https://bja.ojp.gov/program/dna-cebr/performance-measures>.

On April 23, 2024, at 3 p.m. ET, BJA will host a webinar to provide details about this opportunity and offer a chance for participants to ask questions. Register [here](#) to participate.

What can be funded?

- Purchasing/implementing new and more efficient instruments/robotics to automate routine laboratory processing steps.
- Evaluating, validating, and implementing improved workflows for efficient laboratory processing or improved testing results (e.g., enhanced techniques to recover higher quantities of DNA).
- Purchasing and upgrading software (e.g., LIMS) to more efficiently manage laboratory operations.

FORENSIC SCIENCE RELATED SERVICES

Postconviction Testing of DNA Evidence



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: April 29, 2024
JustGrants: May 6, 2024

Eligible entities:

- State governments, city or township governments, public- and state-controlled institutions of higher education, county governments

Total Available Funding: \$12,000,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: Category 1: 10
Category 2: 2

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Category 1: Up to \$1,000,000
Category 2: Up to \$500,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Postconviction Testing of DNA Evidence](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to assist in defraying the costs associated with postconviction case review, evidence location, and DNA testing in violent felony cases (as defined by state law) where the results of such testing might show actual innocence. The program ensures the availability of fair and impartial administration of justice to individuals who may have been unjustly convicted.

What can be funded?

Category 1: Case reviews and DNA testing. Activities can include:

- Identify potential postconviction DNA testing cases.
- Review appropriate post-conviction cases to identify those in which DNA testing could prove the actual innocence of a person convicted of a violent felony offense as defined by state law.
- Locate biological evidence associated with such postconviction cases.
- Perform DNA analysis of appropriate biological evidence and report and review the DNA test results.

Category 2: Improve preservation of biological evidence and/or modernization of record storage systems. Activities can include:

- Locate, record, store, and retain biological evidence in adjudicated cases in accordance with best practices.
- Modernize evidence retention practices for biological evidence in accordance with best practices.
- Modernize and digitize the storage of existing files and records in adjudicated cases.
- Implement modern, digitized file and record retention systems.

FORENSIC SCIENCE RELATED SERVICES

Prosecuting Cold Cases Using DNA



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: April 25, 2024
JustGrants: May 2, 2024

Eligible entities:

- City or township governments, county governments, Native American tribal governments (federally recognized), Native American tribal organizations (other than federally recognized tribal governments), special district governments, State governments, and Other (State and local prosecuting agencies, Law enforcement, State agencies).

Total Available Funding: \$8,000,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 16

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$500,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Prosecuting Cold Cases Using DNA](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to support the prosecution of violent cold case crimes where a suspect (known or unknown) has been identified through DNA evidence. Provided a DNA profile attributed to a known or unknown suspect has been developed from crime scene evidence, this funding also supports investigative activities, as well as crime and forensic analyses, that could lead to the successful prosecution of violent cold case crimes. Note that funding through this program may not be used for investigations in which a suspect's DNA profile does not already exist. Funding may also not be used to work missing and/or unidentified human remains cases unless there are suspect DNA profiles already developed in the case.

What can be funded?

The following activities are allowed:

- Resources to investigate and prosecute cases where a suspect's DNA profile has already been developed, leading to fewer unresolved cases and safer communities.

The following activities are permissible as secondary objectives, but they must directly relate to cases where a DNA profile from a known or unknown suspect has been developed. The applicant's proposal should demonstrate clearly that these activities can be successfully performed:

- Increase the capacity for state and local prosecution agencies to address/close violent cold case crimes.

Identify, locate, collect, process, and analyze evidence, including non-DNA evidence, to assist prosecutors with the litigation of violent cold case crimes where a suspect has already been identified with DNA evidence (suspect may be known or unknown).

IMPROVING POLICING PRACTICES

Community Policing Development: Community Policing Development Microgrants Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 4, 2024
JustGrants: May 21, 2024

Eligible entities:

- Law enforcement agencies, state law enforcement agencies, tribal law enforcement agencies, territorial law enforcement agencies.

Total Available Funding: \$5,000,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 28

Anticipated Award Amount(s): \$175,000

Length of Project: Up to 2 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Community Policing Development \(CPD\) Microgrants Program](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to develop law enforcement's capacity to implement community policing strategies by providing funding to local, state, tribal, and territorial law enforcement agencies. When properly applied, community policing improves the identification and prioritization of community problems; builds trust and relationships between law enforcement and the communities they serve; and enables an agency to build a culture toward accountability, transparency, open communication, and mutual trust.

What can be funded?

Under this solicitation, the COPS Office will fund projects in the following subcategories:

1. Community Violence Intervention
2. Officer Recruitment, Retention, and Workforce Diversification
3. Hate Crimes and Domestic Extremism
4. Underserved Populations
5. Building Trust and Legitimacy with the Community
6. Open Topic Areas: Law enforcement agencies are invited to propose projects that offer highly innovative solutions to address complex, locally identified community issues.

IMPROVING POLICING PRACTICES

Law Enforcement Mental Health and Wellness Act (LEMHWA) Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: April 23, 2024
JustGrants: April 30, 2024

Eligible entities:

- Law enforcement agencies, State law enforcement agencies, Federally recognized Indian tribes and their public agencies, Territorial law enforcement agencies

Total Available Funding: \$9,800,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 47

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$200,000

Length of Project: Up to 2 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Law Enforcement Mental Health and Wellness Act \(LEMHWA\) Program](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to law enforcement agencies seeking to implement new or enhance existing programs that offer training and services on officer emotional and mental health, peer mentoring, suicide prevention, stress reduction, and support services for officers and their families. Proposed projects may serve one agency, a consortium of agencies, or personnel from agencies located within a county or state.

What can be funded?

Funding can be used to:

- Mental health and wellness services for law enforcement through the implementation of peer support
- Training
- Family resources
- Suicide prevention
- Promising practices for wellness programs

IMPROVING POLICING PRACTICES

Local Law Enforcement Grants for Enforcement of Cybercrimes Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: April 29, 2024
JustGrants: May 1, 2024

Eligible entities:

- States, Indian Tribes, and units of local government in the United States or U.S. territories.

Total Available Funding: \$5,000,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 10

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$500,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Local Law Enforcement Grants for Enforcement of Cybercrimes Program - Solicitation](#)

Description:

This program provides funding for training for State, Tribal, or local law enforcement personnel, prosecutors, judges, and judicial personnel relating to cybercrimes against individuals, as well as assistance to State, Tribal, or local law enforcement agencies in enforcing laws that prohibit cybercrimes against individuals, educating the public, supporting victim assistants, establishing task forces, and acquiring computers and equipment necessary to conduct investigations and forensic analysis of evidence.

What can be funded?

Funding can be used to:

- Training for State, Tribal, or local law enforcement, prosecutors, judges, judicial personnel, or emergency dispatch personnel relating to cybercrimes against individuals.
- Assistance to law enforcement agencies in enforcing laws that prohibit cybercrimes against individuals, including expenses incurred in performing enforcement operations, such as overtime payments.
- Assistance to law enforcement agencies in educating the public in order to prevent, deter, and identify violations of laws that prohibit cybercrimes against individuals.
- Assistance to law enforcement agencies to support the placement of victim assistants to serve as liaisons between victims of cybercrimes against individuals and personnel of law enforcement agencies.
- Assistance to law enforcement agencies to establish task forces that operate solely to conduct investigations, forensic analyses of evidence, and prosecutions in matters involving cybercrimes against individuals.
- Assistance to law enforcement agencies and prosecutors in acquiring computers, computer equipment, and other equipment.

IMPROVING POLICING PRACTICES

Promoting Access to Crisis Teams - Community Policing Development



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 14, 2024
JustGrants: May 21, 2024

Eligible entities:

- Law enforcement agencies, state law enforcement agencies, tribal law enforcement agencies, territorial law enforcement agencies

Total Available Funding: \$4,000,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 10

Anticipated Award Amount(s): \$400,000

Length of Project: Up to 2 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Community Policing Development: Promoting Access to Crisis Teams \(formerly CIT\)](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to support the implementation of crisis intervention teams, including embedding behavioral or mental health professionals with law enforcement agencies, training for law enforcement officers, and embedding behavioral or mental health professionals in crisis intervention response, or a combination of these.

What can be funded?

- Overtime for sworn personnel
- Salaries and contracts for mental health professionals
- Purchase or lease of nonpatrol vehicles for crisis response programs
- Costs associated with training for and equipping personnel.

The solicitation states that small, rural, tribal, and regional agencies are encouraged to apply.

IMPROVING POLICING PRACTICES

Strengthening ICAC Technological Investigative Capacity



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 14, 2024
JustGrants: May 28, 2024

Eligible entities:

- State governments, city or township governments, public- and state-controlled institutions of higher education, county governments, public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities, Native American Tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized Tribal governments), Native American Tribal governments (federally recognized), 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

Total Available Funding: \$3,000,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 5

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Category 1: Up to \$625,000
Category 2: Up to \$625,000
Category 3: Up to \$500,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Strengthening ICAC Technological Investigative Capacity](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to support the increase in the technological investigative capacity and associated training of Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force personnel nationwide through the development, refinement, and advancement of widely used investigative tools, methods, and technologies that address child pornography (herein referred to as child sexual abuse material - CSAM), exploitation, and sex trafficking.

What can be funded?

There are three categories of funding under this solicitation:

- Category 1: Investigative Tool and Technology Development
- Category 2: Investigative Tool and Technology Enhancement
- Category 3: Investigative Tool and Technology Training

See pages 7-8 for allowable uses for each category.

IMPROVING PROSECUTION PROGRAMS

Smart Prosecution - Innovative Prosecution Services



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: April 24, 2024
JustGrants: May 6, 2024

Eligible entities:

- State and local prosecutorial agencies, Federally recognized Indian tribal governments that perform prosecution functions, Tribal consortia consisting of two or more federally recognized Indian tribes (including tribal consortia operated as nonprofit organizations) acting as a fiscal agent for one or more prosecutor agencies

Total Available Funding: \$5,000,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 14

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$350,000

Length of Project: Up to 2 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Smart Prosecution – Innovative Prosecution Solutions](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to state, local, and tribal prosecutors and agencies to use data in the development of their strategies and projects and to develop fair, effective, cost-effective, and innovative responses to crime within their jurisdictions. The program's goal is for prosecutorial agencies to incorporate innovative or evidence-based prosecution strategies as a fundamental component of their efforts to reduce crime and ensure public safety.

What can be funded?

Funding can be used to:

- Test, establish, and/or expand programming that enhances prosecutors' ability to effectively and sustainably prevent and respond to crime, especially violent crime, which could include the hiring of new prosecutors.
- Foster innovative, effective, formalized, and consistent collaborations with external agencies, and the communities they serve, to increase public safety and trust.
- Use technology, intelligence, and data in innovative ways that enable prosecutors' offices to focus resources on the people and places associated with high concentrations of crime and to allow state and local prosecutors' offices to improve their operations to more efficiently and effectively work with communities in reducing crime.
- Enable prosecutors' offices to reduce caseloads to manageable levels by modernizing offices, hiring analytical or support staff, and updating information technology.

IMPROVING PROSECUTION PROGRAMS

Upholding the Rule of Law and Preventing Wrongful Convictions Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 14, 2024
JustGrants: May 22, 2024

Eligible entities:

State governments, special district governments, 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, State governments, County, state, or local public defender offices that have in-house post-conviction representation programs that show demonstrable experience and competence in litigating post-conviction claims of innocence. If the applicant is not a Wrongful Convictions Program entity, they must be partnered with one.

Total Available Funding: \$7,800,000
Anticipated Number of Awards: 12
Anticipated Award Amount(s): \$600,000

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

Complete details are available at [Upholding the Rule of Law and Preventing Wrongful Convictions Program](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to support efforts by both wrongful conviction review (WCR) entities that represent individuals with postconviction claims of innocence to review individual cases and conviction integrity or review units (CIUs) to enhance criminal justice system integrity.

A solicitation webinar on April 11 at 3:00 pm ET that will provide a detailed overview of the funding opportunity and allow interested applicants to ask questions. Register [here](#).

What can be funded?

There are two categories of funding:

- Category 1: Wrongful Conviction Review (WCR) Entity-Led Strategy
 - A strategy lead by a WCR entity that focuses on review of post-conviction claims of innocence. Jurisdictions with new or established WCR entities are encouraged to apply. Each applicant must describe how it will devote resources to coordinate the intake screening, investigation, and representation of post-conviction and appeal stages of innocence claims.
- Category 2: Prosecutor/Conviction Integrity Unit-Led Partnerships with Wrongful Conviction Review Entities
 - A strategy led by state or local prosecutor offices or conviction integrity units (CIUs) that focuses on the prevention of wrongful convictions and the review of post-conviction claims of innocence, which may include partnerships with WCR entities.

JUSTICE-INVOLVED CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILIES PROGRAMS

Family-Based Alternative Justice Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: April 29, 2024
JustGrants: May 13, 2024

Eligible entities:

- Law enforcement agencies, state law enforcement agencies, tribal law enforcement agencies, territorial law enforcement agencies

Total Available Funding: \$2,300,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 3

Anticipated Award Amount(s): \$750,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

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

Description:

This program provides funding to build the capacity of states, communities, state and local courts, units of local government, and federally recognized Tribal governments to implement new, or enhance existing, diversion and alternative justice programs for parents/primary caregivers in the criminal justice system to mitigate the harmful impacts of incarceration on children and their families to improve child, parent, and family outcomes.

A solicitation webinar on April 2 at 1:00 pm ET will provide a detailed overview of the funding opportunity and allow interested applicants to ask questions. Register [here](#).

What can be funded?

- Develop and implement family-based interventions with a parent and youth component that support and serve justice-involved parents/caregivers and their children, expand the understanding of the scope and impact of parental/caregiver incarceration, and test the efficacy of these interventions and models in mitigating the harmful impacts of incarceration on children and their families to begin to develop promising practices.

JUSTICE-INVOLVED CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILIES PROGRAMS

Opioid Affected Youth Initiative



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: April 30, 2024
JustGrants: May 14, 2024

Eligible entities:

- State governments, city or township governments, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, county governments, other units of local government, such as towns, boroughs, parishes, villages, or other general purpose political subdivisions of a state, Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities, 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, Independent school districts.

Total Available Funding: \$7,658,800
Anticipated Number of Awards: 10
Anticipated Award Amount(s): \$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 provides funding to support the efforts of communities to develop prevention and intervention responses that identify, respond to, treat, and support children, youth, and families impacted by opioid use and other substance use disorders. OJJDP asks applicants to integrate youth and family partnership strategies into projects and partner with law enforcement, education, mental health service providers, child welfare agencies, community health agencies, and community-based organizations that address the needs of individuals and families experiencing substance use.

A solicitation webinar on April 16 at 3:00 pm ET will provide a detailed overview of the funding opportunity and allow interested applicants to ask questions. Register [here](#).

What can be funded?

- Implement prevention, intervention, diversion, treatment, and recovery programs and strategies that respond to both opioid and substance use disorders and ensure sustainable outcomes for youth and families.

JUSTICE-INVOLVED CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILIES PROGRAMS

Arts Programs for Justice-Involved Youth



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 21, 2024
JustGrants: June 6, 2024

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, units of local government, such as towns, boroughs, parishes, villages, or other general purpose political subdivisions of a state.

Total Available Funding: \$200,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 4

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$50,000

Length of Project: 2 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Arts Programs for Justice-Involved Youth](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to support and strengthen collaborations between arts-based organizations and juvenile justice systems to develop, expand, or enhance promising and effective interventions that provide access to high-quality arts programs with and for current or previous justice-involved youth to reduce juvenile delinquency, recidivism, and/or other problem and high-risk behaviors. OJJDP defines justice-involved youth as those participating in court-ordered diversion programs in detention, correctional, or other residential facilities and/or are on probation due to a delinquency finding by juvenile court.

What can be funded?

- Strengthened collaborative partnerships between juvenile justice systems and arts-based resources to provide justice-involved youth with high-quality, culturally relevant, and responsive arts programs.
- Collaborative partnerships between juvenile courts and arts-based resources to provide justice-involved youth with high-quality arts programs for diversion and probation.
- Collaborative partnerships between juvenile detention, correctional, and other residential facilities and arts-based resources to provide high-quality arts programs for justice-involved youth.
- High-quality community-based arts programs for current or previous justice-involved youth.
- Community-based programs for justice-involved youth, including those that are culturally relevant and responsive to racial and ethnic minority justice-involved youth.

JUSTICE-INVOLVED CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILIES PROGRAMS

Emergency Planning Demonstration Program for Juvenile Justice Residential Facilities



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: April 30, 2024
JustGrants: May 14, 2024

Eligible entities:

- State government, special district governments, city or township governments, public and state-controlled institutions of higher education, 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, private institutions of higher education, for-profit organizations other than small businesses, small businesses, and tribal institutions of higher education are also eligible to apply.

Total Available Funding: \$500,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 2-4

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$250,000

Length of Project: Up to 2 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Emergency Planning Demonstration Program for Juvenile Justice Residential Facilities](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to support emergency planning for state, local, and Tribal juvenile justice residential facilities. For youth who reside in residential facilities, applicants must plan for and facilitate continued meaningful engagement with family and other supportive members of their community. Applicants are encouraged to ensure that these activities and strategies are prioritized in any emergency planning effort. The safety and well-being of youth and staff is paramount as well as ensuring that youth residing in facilities can maintain meaningful contact with family and supportive community members during an emergency.

What can be funded?

- Develop and refine juvenile justice facility emergency preparedness plans that address the principles outlined in the Emergency Planning for Juvenile Justice Residential Facilities guide.
- Depending on the nature of an applicant's proposed project, youth and family partnership could consist of one or more of the following:
 - Individual-level partnership in case planning and direct service delivery (before, during, and after contact with youth-serving systems).
 - Agency-level partnership (e.g., in policy, practice, and program development, implementation, and evaluation; staffing; advisory bodies; budget development).
 - System-level partnership (e.g., in strategic planning activities, system improvement initiatives, advocacy strategies, reform efforts)

JUSTICE-INVOLVED CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILIES PROGRAMS

Family Treatment Court Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 6, 2024
JustGrants: May 20, 2024

Eligible entities:

- State governments, city or township governments, county governments, other units of local government, such as towns, boroughs, parishes, villages, or other general-purpose political subdivisions of a state, Native American Tribal governments (Federally recognized), Native American Tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized Tribal governments)

Total Available Funding: \$7,800,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 8

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Category 1: Up to \$750,000
Category 2: Up to \$850,000
Category 3: \$1,500,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? Yes, this solicitation requires a 25% cash or in-kind match.

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

Description:

This program provides funding to build the capacity of local courts, units of local government, and federally recognized Tribal governments to establish new family treatment courts or enhance existing family treatment courts.

What can be funded?

There are three categories for this solicitation:

- Category 1: Establishing New Family Treatment Courts
- Category 2: Enhancing Family Treatment Courts
- Category 3: Statewide or Countywide Family Treatment Courts Expansion

Funds can be used to:

- All applicants are expected to provide a coordinated, multisystem approach that combines the oversight authority of family treatment courts with evidence-based interventions that focus on parental substance use disorder treatment and recovery, parenting, child and parent trauma, and parent-child relationships.
- See pages 19-21 for allowable funding uses for each category.

JUSTICE-INVOLVED CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILIES PROGRAMS

Juvenile Drug Treatment Court Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 14, 2024
JustGrants: May 28, 2024

Eligible entities:

- City or township governments, County governments, State governments, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), State governments, Native American Tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized Tribal governments)

Total Available Funding: \$4,000,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 5

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Category 1: Up to \$1,000,000
Category 2: Up to \$650,000

Length of Project: Up to 4 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? Yes, this solicitation requires a 25% cash or in-kind match.

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

Description:

This program provides funding to build the capacity of states, state and local courts, units of local government, and federally recognized Tribal governments to implement new and innovative approaches to enhance existing juvenile drug treatment courts (JDTC) and improve outcomes for youth with substance use or co-occurring mental health disorders, including histories of trauma.

On April 19, 2024, at 1 p.m. ET, OJJDP will host a webinar to provide details about this opportunity and offer a chance for participants to ask questions. Register [here](#) to participate.

What can be funded?

There are two categories of funding:

- Category 1: Juvenile Drug Treatment Court Planning and Implementation Program
 - The goal of this category is to support jurisdictions that identified a need to establish a court.
- Category 2: Juvenile Drug Treatment Court Enhancement Program
 - The goal of this category is to enhance existing JDTCs by enhancing one or more of the following areas using the evidence-based Juvenile Drug Treatment Court Guidelines:
 - Implement workforce development strategies to increase substance use and mental health providers, as well as peer recovery supports.
 - Develop effective strategies to increase access to and the availability of adolescent substance use and mental health treatment.
 - Enhance adolescent substance use disorder treatment services in existing JDTCs.
 - Enhance monitoring of the court's behavioral health progression of services.
 - Build or enhance the jurisdiction's data management system.
 - Develop effective case management.
 - Deliver effective incentives and sanctions.

JUSTICE-INVOLVED CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILIES PROGRAMS

Juvenile Justice System Reform and Reinvestment Initiative



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 28, 2024
JustGrants: June 10, 2024

Eligible entities:

- State governments

Total Available Funding: \$2,900,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 2

Anticipated Award Amount(s): \$1,450,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Juvenile Justice System Reform and Reinvestment Initiative](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to support states in implementing innovative and/or research-based, data-informed policies to improve youth justice system outcomes and implement sustainable strategies for reinvesting resulting costs saved or averted into effective youth justice prevention and intervention programs.

On May 9, 2024, at 1 p.m. ET, OJJDP personnel will hold a webinar to provide a detailed overview of this solicitation and allow interested applicants to ask questions. Register [here](#) to participate.

What can be funded?

- Conducting intensive and objective agency-spanning data analysis.
- Engaging all relevant stakeholders in the process and building the collaboration necessary to examine data statewide while considering all aspects of the justice system, including local perspectives.
- Crafting and implementing innovative, data-driven approaches to improving public safety, contemplating policies to reduce offending, recidivism, and costs.
- Identifying and aligning state and local resources to meet those ends.
- Implementing and testing the proposed responses.
- Measuring outcomes and program performance.
- Developing and implementing a sustainable strategy for reinvesting resulting costs saved or averted into proven, effective prevention and intervention programs and services for youth.

JUSTICE-INVOLVED CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILIES PROGRAMS

Mentoring for Youth Affected by Opioid and Other Substance Misuse



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 21, 2024
JustGrants: June 3, 2024

Eligible entities:

- Category 1: 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.
- Category 2: States, Federally recognized Tribal governments, National organizations (defined as organizations that have active affiliates or sub-awardees in at least 45 states), Organizations having a statewide reach that provide mentoring services.

Total Available Funding: \$16,500,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 14

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Category 1: Up to \$650,000
Category 2: Up to \$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 Substance Misuse](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to enhance and expand mentoring services for children and youth impacted by opioids and other substance misuse. This program supports mentoring programs to reduce juvenile delinquency, substance misuse, and problem and high-risk behaviors such as truancy.

On April 29, 2023, at 2 p.m. ET, OJJDP will hold a webinar to provide a detailed overview of this opportunity. Register [here](#) to participate.

What can be funded?

This program supports the implementation and delivery of mentoring services to youth who are currently misusing or dependent on substances (including opioids, stimulants, and other licit or illicit substances), youth at risk for misusing substances, and youth with family members who are currently misusing or dependent on substances. Mentoring services can be one-to-one, group, peer, or a combination. There are categories of funding:

- Category 1: Mentoring Strategies for Youth Affected by Opioid and Other Substance Misuse (Project Sites)
- Category 2: Statewide and Regional Mentoring Strategies for Youth Affected by Opioid and Other Substance Misuse

JUSTICE-INVOLVED CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILIES PROGRAMS

Mentoring Programs for Youth in the Juvenile Justice System



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 28, 2024
JustGrants: June 11, 2024

Eligible entities:

- 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, For-profit organizations other than small businesses

Total Available Funding: \$2,500,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 5

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$500,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Mentoring Programs for Youth in the Juvenile Justice System](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to implement and deliver mentoring services to youth populations involved in the juvenile justice system (including youth currently placed within a juvenile correctional facility or recently released from a juvenile facility). This program supports mentoring programs to reduce juvenile delinquency, truancy, drug abuse, victimization, and other problems and high-risk behaviors.

On May 6, 2024, at 1 p.m. ET, OJJDP personnel will hold a webinar to provide a detailed overview of this solicitation and allow interested applicants to ask questions. Register [here](#) to participate.

What can be funded?

- Provide high-quality mentoring services that meet the needs associated with the target population(s) and that will reduce delinquency or other problem behaviors in juvenile justice system-involved youth.
- Identify and implement program design enhancements in one or more of the six core practice areas listed in the Elements of Effective Practice for Mentoring.
- Develop a plan for recruiting, screening, and training mentors who have lived experience to ensure that adequate supports exist to maximize success for the mentor and the mentee.

JUSTICE-INVOLVED CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILIES PROGRAMS

Reducing Risk for Girls in the Juvenile Justice System



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 28, 2024
JustGrants: June 10, 2024

Eligible entities:

- State governments, special district governments, city or township governments, public- and State-controlled institutions of higher education, 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, Independent school districts

Total Available Funding: \$2,900,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 5

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$580,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

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

Description:

This program provides funding to support communities to assist girls age 17 and younger who are at risk of involvement and/or involved in the juvenile justice system. Funding will support communities in developing, enhancing, or expanding early intervention programs and/or treatment services for girls in the juvenile justice system. The goal of this program is to reduce risk factors and promote protective factors for girls who come in contact with the juvenile justice system and place them on a path toward success, stability, and long-term contribution to society.

On April 26, 2024, at 1 p.m. ET, OJJDP personnel will hold a webinar to provide a detailed overview of this solicitation and allow interested applicants to ask questions. Register [here](#) to participate.

What can be funded?

- Expand the skills of program providers and other stakeholders working with the target population of girls in the juvenile justice system.
- Assist program providers with improving juvenile justice system responses for girls in contact with the system.

REENTRY AND SUPPORT SERVICES

Community Supervision Strategies



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: April 29, 2024
JustGrants: May 6, 2024

Eligible entities:

- State governments, special district governments, city or township governments, county governments, Native American tribal governments (federally recognized)
- Other: for the purposes of this solicitation, “other” refers to an organizing body or association of supervision agencies that may submit a single application for a project engaging more than one supervision office, district, or agency (“entity”). The applicant must have capacity to administer the award and include a Memorandum of Understanding or Letter of Intent from each entity’s chief executive.

Total Available Funding: \$4,500,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 7

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$900,000

Length of Project: 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Community Supervision Strategies](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to improve responses to client behavior per the principles of swiftness, certainty, and/or fairness. Guided by one or more of those principles, supervision agencies will engage in collaborative problem-solving with stakeholders using data and research-informed strategies to improve supervision outcomes and promote the fair administration of justice. Under this solicitation, “community supervision agencies” include adult probation, parole, or pretrial supervision or their equivalents such as prosecutor-led post-adjudication diversion.

There will be a solicitation webinar on March 28 at 2:30 pm ET. Register [here](#).

What can be funded?

- Identify a target population for the proposed project using a collaborative, data-driven process responsive to local circumstances.
- Develop and implement supervision strategies based on principles of swiftness, certainty, and/or fairness, including responses to both positive and negative client behaviors.
- Reduce recidivism and improve outcomes for people under supervision.
- Evaluate the effectiveness of strategies to reduce recidivism and improve outcomes for individuals under community supervision through an external research partner.
- Develop an inventory of potential cases.
- Create an action plan to build a strong and focused strategy.

REENTRY AND SUPERVISION SUPPORT SERVICES

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



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 6, 2024
JustGrants: May 13, 2024

Eligible entities:

- State governments, special district governments, city or township governments, county governments, Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Native American tribal governments (federally recognized), 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

Total Available Funding: \$5,000,000
Anticipated Number of Awards: 6
Anticipated Award Amount(s): \$833,000

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

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

Description:

This program provides funding to support state, local, and tribal governments, as well as community-based nonprofit organizations, to establish, expand, or improve treatment and recovery support services for people with substance use disorders during their incarceration and upon reentry into the community. Note that BJA will give priority to programs that propose to implement or expand access to medications for substance use disorders, counseling, and behavioral therapies (sometimes called MAT in the corrections setting for those with OUD).

A solicitation webinar will be held on April 2, 2024, at 2:00 pm ET. Register [here](#).

What can be funded?

- Use validated tools to screen all individuals entering a corrections setting for substance use and assess those that screen positive for SUDs and any co-occurring mental health disorder.
- Provide evidence-based SUD treatment services, including FDA-approved medications for substance use disorder, counseling, and behavioral therapies, to individuals in prisons and jails and continue care upon return to the community.
- Provide prison-based family SUD treatment programs to incarcerated parents of minor children and pregnant/postpartum women.
- Provide recovery support services that start pre-release and continue through the reentry process.

REENTRY AND SUPPORT SERVICES

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



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: April 25, 2024
JustGrants: May 2, 2024

Eligible entities:

- City or township governments, county governments, Native American tribal governments (federally recognized), Native American tribal organizations (other than federally recognized tribal governments), special district governments, State governments, and Other (State and local prosecuting agencies, Law enforcement, State agencies).

Total Available Funding: \$3,750,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 5

Anticipated Award Amount(s): 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 provides funding for activities that foster positive family engagement between incarcerated parents and their children within detention and correctional facilities, including juvenile detention and correctional facilities with young parents and implements 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.

A solicitation webinar will be held on March 28, 2024, at 3:00 pm ET. You can register [here](#).

What can be funded?

The following activities are allowed:

- Expand relationships with community-based service providers and adult and juvenile detention and correctional facilities.
- Develop strategies and approaches to strengthen the relationships between incarcerated parents and their children.
- Seek to reduce the incarcerated parent's behavioral infractions during incarceration and recidivism post-release.
- Provide services to foster positive youth development for children of incarcerated parents.
- Support adult and juvenile detention or correctional facilities, prisons, and jails in rural areas that meet the needs of incarcerated parents and their minor children.

REENTRY AND SUPPORT SERVICES

Second Chance Act Community-based Reentry Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: April 29, 2024
JustGrants: May 6, 2023

Eligible entities:

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

Total Available Funding: \$9,750,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 15

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$750,000

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 provides funding for activities that foster positive family engagement between incarcerated parents and their children within detention and correctional facilities, including juvenile detention and correctional facilities with young parents and implements 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?

A wide range of support and services for individuals/participants at moderate to high risk for recidivism may be provided using funds from this program. Services should be informed by risk and needs assessments and be articulated in individualized case plans. Supports and services can include, but are not limited to: Expand relationships with community-based service providers and adult and juvenile detention and correctional facilities.

- Service coordination and tracking.
- Gender-specific and trauma-informed programming and services.
- Individual and/or group mentoring.
- Peer support.
- Educational, literacy, and vocational services.
- Substance use and mental health disorder treatment and recovery services.
- Connections to physical health care.
- Services to support family reunification and restoration.
- Assistance in securing safe and affordable housing.
- Civil legal assistance services
- Staff training to improve competency in working with and supporting the needs of individuals who are, or have been, incarcerated.

REENTRY AND SUPPORT SERVICES

Second Chance Act Pay for Success Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: April 25, 2024
JustGrants: April 30, 2024

Eligible entities:

- State governments, Special district governments, city or township governments, County governments, public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

Total Available Funding: \$6,000,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 6

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Category 1: up to \$1,000,000
Category 2: up to \$1,000,000

Length of Project: 4.5 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

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

Description:

This program provides funding to improve reentry, reduce recidivism, and address the treatment and recovery needs of people who are currently involved in the criminal justice system or were formerly involved that ties payment for services to reaching agreed-upon goals.

What can be funded?

Programs can be funded under two categories:

Category 1 focuses on performance-based and outcomes-based contracts to provide reentry services that:

- Enhance or establish individualized reentry services for people leaving incarceration and assessed as medium or high risk to recidivate.
- Deliver individualized services based on risk and needs identified through a validated criminogenic risk and need assessment tool.
- Include a range of performance-based or outcomes-based reentry services contract elements, such as data and report collection, regular performance and outcome review between governments and service providers, on- and offsite monitoring, outcomes validation, and [incentivizing payment approvals and results](#).
- Ensure government staff and service providers have adequate training on performance-based or outcomes-based procurement, reentry services, data collection, and outcomes validation.

Category 2 focuses on performance-based and outcomes-based contracts to provide permanent supportive housing that requires the awardee to:

- Enter into contracts to provide evidence-based, high-quality permanent supportive housing (PSH) to formerly incarcerated individuals who have a substance use disorder.
- Manage 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.
- Ensure government staff and service providers have adequate training on performance-based or outcomes-based procurement, PSH, data collection, and outcomes validation.

REENTRY AND SUPPORT SERVICES

Second Chance Act Smart Supervision Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 15, 2024
JustGrants: May 22, 2024

Eligible entities:

State governments, special district governments, city or township governments, county governments, Native American tribal governments (federally recognized), and Other (For the purposes of this solicitation, “other” refers to an organizing body or association of supervision agencies that may submit a single application for a Smart Supervision project engaging more than one supervision office, district, or agency (“entity”). The applicant must have the capacity to administer the award and include a Memorandum of Understanding or Letter of Intent from each entity’s chief executive.)

Total Available Funding: \$5,100,000
Anticipated Number of Awards: 8
Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$850,000

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

Complete details are available at [Second Chance Act Smart Supervision Program](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to improve the capacity and effectiveness of probation and parole agencies to increase supervision success rates by more effectively addressing individuals’ risks and needs and reducing recidivism. This program facilitates policy and practice changes by community supervision agencies that address drivers of high rates of incarceration, supervision, and disparities.

A solicitation webinar on March 28 at 1:00 pm ET that will provide a detailed overview of the funding opportunity and allow interested applicants to ask questions. Register [here](#).

What can be funded?

- Support the development of community supervision agencies throughout the country by: (a) improving the quality and capacity of programs and services to meet the identified needs of clients, (b) increasing collaboration among justice and other agencies relevant to the supervision population, (c) examining and revising policies and practices to align with best and promising practices, and (d) focusing agency resources where they can have the greatest impact.
- Support the development of community supervision staff throughout the country by: (a) increasing training and other skill-building opportunities to achieve client success; (b) improving supervision officer health and wellness; (c) exploring and facilitating use of technology (e.g., artificial intelligence, machine learning, other advanced applications) or tool adoption to strengthen supervision effectiveness; and (d) strengthening the organization’s culture to reduce recidivism through committed staff engagement.

SUPPORT FOR TRIBAL COMMUNITIES

Grants to Indian Tribal Governments Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: April 24, 2024
JustGrants: April 25, 2024

Eligible entities:

- Indian Tribal Governments, authorized designees of Indian Tribal Governments, and Tribal Consortiums in the United States or U.S. territories.

Total Available Funding: \$52,000,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 60

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$1,200,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Grants to Indian Tribal Governments Program Solicitation](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to respond to domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, sex trafficking, and stalking in tribal communities. Priority will be given to applicants that propose to strengthen efforts to prevent and end sexual assault, including victim services and civil and criminal justice responses.

What can be funded?

Funding can support the following purpose areas:

- Develop and enhance effective governmental strategies to curtail violent crimes against women and increase the safety of Indian women consistent with tribal law and custom.
- Increase tribal capacity to respond to domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, sex trafficking, and stalking crimes against Indian women.
- Strengthen tribal justice interventions including tribal law enforcement, prosecution, courts, probation, and correctional facilities.
- Enhance services to Indian women victimized by domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, sex trafficking, and stalking.
- Work in cooperation with the community to develop education and prevention strategies.
- Provide programs for supervised visitation and safe visitation exchange of children.
- Provide transitional housing for victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, sex trafficking, or stalking, including rental or utilities payment assistance.
- Provide legal assistance necessary to provide effective aid to victims.
- Provide services to address the needs of youth (ages 11-24 years old) who are victims.
- Develop and promote legislation and policies that enhance best practices.
- Develop, strengthen, and implement policies, protocols, and training for law enforcement.

SUPPORT FOR TRIBAL COMMUNITIES

Grants to Indian Tribal Governments Program: Strengthening Tribal Advocacy Responses Track (START)



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: April 24, 2024
JustGrants: April 25, 2024

Eligible entities:

- Indian Tribal Governments, authorized designees of Indian Tribal Governments, and Tribal Consortiums in the United States or U.S. territories.

Total Available Funding: \$52,000,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 60

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$1,200,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Grants to Indian Tribal Governments Program: Strengthening Tribal Advocacy Responses Track \(START\) Solicitation](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to assist tribal governments and authorized designees of tribal governments to respond to domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, sex trafficking, and stalking in tribal communities. This program is targeted toward Tribal governments, or their designees, that have never, or not recently, received funding through the OVW Grants to Indian Tribal Governments Program. Tribal Governments START grantees will focus on capacity building early in the project and will receive additional training, technical assistance, and support. Priority will be given to applicants that propose to strengthen efforts to prevent and end sexual assault, including victim services and civil and criminal justice responses.

What can be funded?

Funding can support the following purpose areas:

- Develop and enhance effective governmental strategies to curtail violent crimes against women and increase the safety of Indian women consistent with tribal law and custom.
- Increase tribal capacity to respond to domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, sex trafficking, and stalking crimes against Indian women.
- Strengthen tribal justice interventions including tribal law enforcement, prosecution, courts, probation, and correctional facilities.
- Enhance services to Indian women victimized by domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, sex trafficking, and stalking.
- Work in cooperation with the community to develop education and prevention strategies.
- Provide programs for supervised visitation and safe visitation exchange of children.
- Provide transitional housing for victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, sex trafficking, or stalking, including rental or utilities payment assistance.
- Provide legal assistance necessary to provide effective aid to victims.
- Provide services to address the needs of youth (ages 11-24 years old) who are victims.
- Develop and promote legislation and policies that enhance best practices.
- Develop, strengthen, and implement policies, protocols, and training for law enforcement.

VICTIM SUPPORT SERVICES

Anti-Trafficking Housing Assistance Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 6, 2024
JustGrants: May 20, 2024

Eligible entities:

- State government, city or township governments, public and state-controlled institutions of higher education, county governments, public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities, Native American Tribal governments (Federally recognized), Native American Tribal organizations (other than Federally **recognized**)

Total Available Funding: \$16,800,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 17

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Purpose Area 1: Up to \$600,000, Purpose Area 2: Up to \$1,200,000

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 [Anti-Trafficking Housing Assistance Program](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to support the development or expansion of programs so they can provide housing and associated support services to victims of human trafficking.

What can be funded?

There are two purpose areas for this funding:

- Purpose Area 1: Developing Capacity to Serve Human Trafficking Victims
 - The purpose of these awards is to support organizations that have experience providing housing services but that have limited or no prior experience in serving victims of human trafficking, anti-trafficking organizations that have limited or no prior experience in providing housing services to victims of human trafficking, or organizations that have no prior experience in receiving direct federal funding to serve victims of human trafficking.
- Purpose Area 2: Enhancing Scope of Housing Assistance for Human Trafficking Victims
 - The purpose of these awards is to support organizations with a demonstrated history of providing human trafficking victims with housing assistance and support services or that have a formal partnership with a victim service provider with demonstrated experience.
 - Purpose Area 2 grantees will be expected to have or develop partnerships to enable survivors to access various housing options in their community.

VICTIM SUPPORT SERVICES

Demonstration Program on Trauma Informed, Victim-Centered Training for Law Enforcement on Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking (Abby Honold) Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 17, 2024
JustGrants: May 21, 2024

Eligible entities:

- State, territorial, local, and/or Tribal law enforcement agencies that investigate crimes of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and/or stalking

Total Available Funding: \$4,500,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 9

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$550,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Abby Honold Program Solicitation](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to support efforts to improve law enforcement's response to allegations of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking from the time of a victim's initial report throughout the entire investigation and to promote the efforts of law enforcement in improving the response to these crimes. The Abby Honold Program awards grants to law enforcement agencies to train officers to conduct trauma-informed and victim-centered investigations, with the goal of incorporating trauma-informed techniques designed to prevent re-traumatization of the victim and to increase communication between victims and law enforcement as well as stakeholders in a coordinated community response. The purpose of this program is also to evaluate the effectiveness of the training.

What can be funded?

- Train covered individuals within the demonstration site of the eligible entity to use evidence-based, trauma-informed, and victim-centered techniques and knowledge of crime victims' rights throughout an investigation into domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking.
- Promote the efforts of the eligible entity to improve the response of covered individuals to domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking through various communication channels, such as the website of the eligible entity, social media, print materials, and community meetings, to ensure that all covered individuals within the demonstration site of the eligible entity are aware of those efforts and included in the training, to the extent practicable.

VICTIM SUPPORT SERVICES

Enhanced Collaborative Model (ECM) Task Force to Combat Human Trafficking



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: April 24, 2024
JustGrants: May 6, 2024

Eligible entities:

- State governments, city or township governments, county governments, 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

Total Available Funding: Up to \$22,000,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 20 to 30 awards (10 to 15 task forces)

Anticipated Award Amount(s):

- Purpose Area 1: \$500,000 to \$700,000 per award (for a MAXIMUM of \$1.2 million per task force)
- Purpose Area 2: \$600,000 to \$900,000 per award (for a MAXIMUM of \$1.5 million per task force)
- Purpose Area 3: \$800,000 to \$1,000,000 per award (for a MAXIMUM of \$2 million per task force)

Length of Project: 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? Yes, this solicitation requires a 25 % cash or in-kind match.

Complete details are available at [Enhanced Collaborative Model \(ECM\) Task Force to Combat Human Trafficking](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to develop, expand, or strengthen a multidisciplinary approach to better respond to human trafficking. This collaborative approach must include victim and social service providers, law enforcement, prosecution personnel, individuals with lived experience, and a range of other governmental and nongovernmental partners that work together to provide access to a diverse set of services for trafficking victims and to seek justice on their behalf.

What can be funded?

Programs can be funded under two categories:

- Purpose Area 1: Development of New Local or Tribal Human Trafficking Task Forces
 - Provides support for starting a multidisciplinary task force and establishing a strong foundation of task force co-leadership structure, clear roles and responsibilities, and internal processes and protocols.
- Purpose Area 2: Expansion of Local or Tribal ECM Human Trafficking Task Forces Previously Funded by OJP
 - Provided funding will help previously funded local or Tribal ECM task forces that can demonstrate clear task force co-leadership roles and structure with:
 - Regular use of data to inform and assess task force effectiveness and increased victim identification (all forms) of sex and labor trafficking victims.
 - Service provision and prosecution of traffickers.
 - Supporting expanded task force partnerships.
 - Refinement and implementation of existing and new protocols.
 - Meaningful survivor engagement.
 - Continued commitment to implement a diverse set of strategic approaches that are victim-centered and trauma- and survivor-informed.
- Purpose Area 3: Enhanced Support for Statewide Task Forces (New or Previously OJP-funded)
 - Provides funding to assist with a statewide, multidisciplinary response to human trafficking for a statewide task force at any stage of development (new or previously OJP-funded).

VICTIM SUPPORT SERVICES

Enhancing Investigation and Prosecution of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking (EIP) Initiative



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: April 30, 2024
JustGrants: May 2, 2024

Eligible entities:

- State, territorial, county, local, and/or Tribal law enforcement agencies and prosecutors' offices that investigate or prosecute crimes of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and/or stalking in the United States or U.S. territories.
- States, units of local government, and Tribal governments may apply on behalf of law enforcement agencies and prosecutors' offices that lack authority to apply on their own.

Total Available Funding: \$5,000,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 10

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$500,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Enhancing Investigation and Prosecution of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking \(EIP\)](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to support law enforcement agencies and/or prosecutors' offices to expand and improve their capacity to effectively investigate and/or prosecute domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking, and in so doing, support victim safety and autonomy, hold offenders accountable, and promote agency trust within the surrounding community.

What can be funded?

- Enhance law enforcement and prosecution responses to domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking as part of a coordinated community response.
- Support staffing (law enforcement officers, prosecutors, investigators, and victim assistants dedicated to handling cases involving domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking).
- Identify, implement, and evaluate trauma-informed investigation and prosecution strategies.
- Develop policies, practices, and protocols designed to ensure that domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking are promptly and thoroughly investigated and appropriately charged and prosecuted.
- Foster greater accountability, transparency, and building of community trust related to the investigation and prosecution of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking.
- Provide training for law enforcement officers and prosecutors who handle investigations related to domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking, including but not limited to providing strategies to build a case based on trauma-informed, victim-centered, and offender-focused practices.

VICTIM SUPPORT SERVICES

Grants to Engage Men and Boys as Allies in the Prevention of Violence Against Women and Girls Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: April 26, 2024
JustGrants: April 30, 2024

Eligible entities:

- Nonprofit, nongovernmental entities including community-based organizations, population-specific organizations, and culturally-specific organizations, such as Urban Indian organizations and Native Hawaiian organizations (other than institutions of higher education); tribal organizations; Indian tribal governments; and units of local government or agencies of units of local government in the United States or U.S. territories

Total Available Funding: \$3,100,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 9

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$350,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Grants to Engage Men and Boys as Allies Program Solicitation](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to support the implementation of education, training, or other programming that enables men and boys to serve as allies in the prevention of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, stalking, and sex trafficking. See pages 6-7 for program-specific priority considerations for applicants.

What can be funded?

Develop and/or implement strategies that engage and mobilize men and boys at individual, group, relational, and societal levels to prevent domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, stalking, and/or sex trafficking through one or more of the following purpose areas:

- Identify males to serve as role models, positive influencers, change agents, and/or mentors.
- Adopt a specific model and/or strategies that will be utilized to meet the goals and objectives of the proposed project.
- Identify and adopt project goals and objectives that will integrate education on domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, stalking, and/or sex trafficking, into existing male-focused programs.

VICTIM SUPPORT SERVICES

Grants to Enhance Culturally Specific Services for Victims of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault and Stalking Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 2, 2024
JustGrants: May 7, 2024

Eligible entities:

- Private nonprofit/tribal organizations for which the primary purpose of the organization is to provide culturally specific services to one or more of the following racial and ethnic communities: 1) American Indians (including Alaska Natives, Eskimos, and Aleuts); 2) Asian Americans; 3) Native Hawaiians and other Pacific Islanders; 4) Blacks; and 5) Hispanics.

Total Available Funding: \$22,500,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 50

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$450,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Culturally Specific Services Program Solicitation](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to support the maintenance and replication of existing successful services in domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking community-based programs providing culturally specific services, as well as the development of innovative culturally specific strategies and projects to enhance access to services and resources for victims who face obstacles to using more traditional services and resources. The program has three programmatic priorities (see pages 6-7 for more information):

1. Advance equity and tribal sovereignty as essential components of ending sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking by improving outreach, services, civil and criminal justice responses, prevention, and support for survivors from historically marginalized and underserved communities, particularly those facing disproportionate rates or impacts of violence and multiple barriers to services, justice, and safety.
2. Strengthen efforts to prevent and end sexual assault, including victim services and civil and criminal justice responses.
3. Expand economic justice and financial advocacy for survivors of sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking, including as a tool for violence prevention.

What can be funded?

- Working with state and local governments and social service agencies to develop and enhance effective strategies to provide culturally specific services to victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking.
- Increasing communities' capacity to provide culturally specific resources and support for victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking crimes and their families.
- Strengthening criminal justice interventions by providing training for law enforcement, prosecution, courts, probation, and correctional facilities.
- Enhancing traditional services to victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking through the leadership of culturally specific programs offering services to victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking.
- Working in cooperation with the community to develop education and prevention strategies.
- Providing culturally specific programs for children exposed to domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking.
- Examining the dynamics of culture and its impact on victimization and healing.

VICTIM SUPPORT SERVICES

Grants to Improve the Criminal Justice Response (ICJR) Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: April 30, 2024
JustGrants: May 2, 2024

Eligible entities:

- States; Indian tribal governments (Federally recognized); State and local courts (including juvenile courts); units of local government; or State, tribal, or territorial domestic violence or sexual assault coalitions or victim service providers in the United States or U.S. territories.

Total Available Funding: \$23,000,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 35

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$1,000,000 (based on population)

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Grants to Improve the Criminal Justice Response \(ICJR\)](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to support state, local, and tribal governments, and courts to improve the criminal justice response to domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking as serious violations of criminal law, and to seek safety and autonomy for victims.

What can be funded?

- To implement offender accountability and homicide reduction programs and policies in police departments, including policies for protection order violations and enforcement of protection orders across State and tribal lines.
- To develop policies, educational programs, protection order registries, data collection systems, and training in police departments to improve the tracking of cases and classification of complaints involving domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking.
- Develop policies, educational programs, protection order registries, and training described in this paragraph shall incorporate confidentiality, and privacy protections for victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking.
- To centralize and coordinate police enforcement, prosecution, or judicial responsibility for domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking cases in teams or units of police officers, prosecutors, parole and probation officers, or judges.
- To coordinate computer tracking systems and provide the appropriate training and education about domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking to ensure communication between police, prosecutors, parole and probation officers, and both criminal and family courts.
- See pages 7-10 for additional purpose areas.

VICTIM SUPPORT SERVICES

Grants to Prevent and Respond to Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, Stalking, and Sex Trafficking Against Children and Youth Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: April 26, 2024
JustGrants: April 30, 2024

Eligible entities:

- Nonprofit, nongovernmental entities including communitybased organizations, population-specific organizations, and culturally-specific organizations such as Urban Indian organizations and Native Hawaiian organizations (other than institutions of higher education); tribal organizations; Indian tribal governments; and units of local government or agencies of units of local government in the United States or U.S. territories.

Total Available Funding: \$9,500,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 19

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$500,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Grants to Prevent and Respond to Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, Stalking, and Sex Trafficking Against Children and Youth Program Solicitation](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to support comprehensive, community-based efforts to develop or expand prevention, intervention, treatment, and response strategies to address the needs of children and youth impacted by domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, stalking, and sex trafficking. See pages 6-7 for program-specific priority considerations for applicants.

What can be funded?

Applicants may apply for funding under only one of the following purpose areas:

1. Providing services and Training to Address Children Exposed to Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, Stalking, and Sex Trafficking (within ages 0-10).
2. Creating Safer Communities for Youth: Prevention, Intervention, Treatment, and Response Services for Youth Impacted by Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, Stalking, and Sex Trafficking (within ages 11-24).
3. Providing School-Based Services: Prevention, Intervention, and Response to Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, Stalking, and Sex Trafficking (within ages 5-19).

VICTIM SUPPORT SERVICES

Preventing Trafficking of Girls



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: April 24, 2024
JustGrants: May 8, 2024

Eligible entities:

- State governments, city or township governments, public- and State-controlled institutions of higher education, private institutions of higher education, county governments, public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities, Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), 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: \$3,500,000
Anticipated Number of Awards: 7
Anticipated Award Amount(s): \$500,000

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

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

Description:

This program provides funding to support prevention and early intervention services for girls who are at risk of or are victims of, sex and/or labor trafficking. Services may be provided to girls and young women up to and including age 25. Consideration of the unique needs of LGBTQI+ individuals is encouraged. Additionally, due to the high rates of trafficking reported among certain populations—specifically, Native Hawaiian, American Indian/Alaska Native, Black, and Latino populations—organizations primarily serving these communities are encouraged to apply.

A solicitation webinar will be held on March 27, 2024, at 3:00 pm ET. Register [here](#).

What can be funded?

- Replicate and scale up prevention and early intervention programs for girls and young women who are at risk of, or are victims of, sex and/or labor trafficking.
- Implement or enhance efforts to identify and provide comprehensive, trauma-informed, developmentally appropriate, and culturally responsive services to girls/young women who are at risk of, or are victims of, sex and/or labor trafficking. This may include street outreach efforts, partnerships with culturally specific organizations, partnerships with organizations that serve youth, partnerships with juvenile justice and child welfare systems, and/or collaboration with key community stakeholders.
- Participate in an annual peer-to-peer learning (in-person meeting) opportunity hosted by the OVC-funded training and technical assistance provider.

VIOLENCE PREVENTION

Community Based Violence Intervention and Prevention Initiative Site-Based



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 30, 2024
JustGrants: June 10, 2024

Eligible entities:

Category 1:

- 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 tribal organizations (other than federally recognized tribal governments)
- For-profit organizations other than small businesses
- Small businesses
- Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities

Category 2:

- City or township governments
- County governments
- Special district governments
- Native American tribal governments (federally recognized)
- Other units of local government, such as towns, boroughs, parishes, villages, or other general-purpose political subdivisions of a state

Category 3:

- State governments

Category 4:

- Public- and state-controlled institutions of higher education
- Private institutions of higher education
- 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

Total Available Funding: \$72,000,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 32

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Categories 1-2: Up to \$2,000,000
Categories 3-4: Up to \$4,000,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Office of Justice Programs Community Based Violence Intervention and Prevention Initiative Site-Based](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to support efforts to prevent and reduce violent crime in communities by supporting comprehensive, evidence-based, community-based violence intervention and prevention programs. These programs include 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. OJP's Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) is administering the opportunity, working in partnership with OJP's Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP) and Office for Victims of Crime (OVC). See page 16 for additional priority language.

On April 25, 2024, at 1 p.m. ET, BJA personnel will hold a webinar to provide a detailed overview of this solicitation and allow interested applicants to ask questions. Register [here](#) to participate.

What can be funded?

There are four funding categories under this solicitation:

- Categories 1 and 2 focus on local or tribal community violence intervention (CVI) projects led by either community-based organizations (CBO) or local government units. Categories 1 and 2 are divided by applicant type to allow applicants to be evaluated against similar applicant types.
- Category 3 focuses on state governments that will coordinate and support CVI strategies in one or more localities within the state.
- Category 4 focuses on regional or national intermediary organizations seeking to provide intensive training and technical assistance, oversight, and subawards to build the capacity of local CBOs.

VIOLENCE PREVENTION

Rural and Small Department Violent Crime Reduction Program



Application Due Dates:
Grants.gov: May 15, 2024
JustGrants: May 22, 2024

Rural Priority

Eligible entities:

- City or township governments, County governments, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)
- This solicitation is limited to rural and small law enforcement agencies, as well as prosecutors' offices serving rural communities or small departments. The following entities are eligible to apply for this opportunity:
 - A small agency, defined under this initiative, is any law enforcement agency with 250 or fewer sworn officers.
 - A "rural agency," as defined under this initiative, is (a) an agency serving 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 or (b) any agency serving one or more rural census tracts.
 - A tribal agency is any federally recognized tribe with a designated law enforcement agency.

Total Available Funding: \$6,000,000

Anticipated Number of Awards: 15

Anticipated Award Amount(s): Up to \$300,000

Length of Project: Up to 3 years

Cost Sharing/Match Required? No

Complete details are available at [Rural and Small Department Violent Crime Reduction Program](#)

Description:

This program provides funding to support small and rural agencies in their efforts to combat violent crime by implementing a comprehensive violent crime reduction strategy. This program will provide funding to increase the capacity of police departments or prosecutors' offices to fully implement programming and activities that reflect critical elements found in the [Violent Crime Reductions Operations Guide](#) or the [Prosecutors' Guide to Reducing Violence and Building Safer Communities](#).

What can be funded?

- Implement programming and activities that reflect an enhanced capacity in the critical elements.
- Support agency resources such as personnel, services, or analytical tools that meet the capacity enhancement goal.
- Develop a comprehensive VCR Strategy that incorporates recent and relevant agency data and identifies specific violent crime challenges in the jurisdiction, as well as outline approaches that the agency will take to address those issues throughout the life of this grant.
- Partner with a researcher or subject matter expert to plan, execute, and monitor the capacity enhancement activities selected to ensure organizational growth within the capacity area and a direct link to the Violent Crime Reduction (VCR) Strategy.
- Purchase technology but note that technology purchases may not exceed more than 30 percent of the total budget. Any technology purchases should serve as part of a larger comprehensive plan and should be adequately justified in the implementation stage.