FY 2020 Coronavirus Emergency Supplemental Funding

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OCJS — Office of Criminal Justice Services

Introduction and Agenda Overview

- Purpose of Funding

- How to Apply

- Grantee Selection Process

- Application Components

- Questions about the funding

OCJS and Grant Programs

The Ohio Office of Criminal Justice Services (OCJS) is a division of the Ohio Department of Public Safety.

By statute, OCJS is the lead justice planning and assistance office for the state, and is responsible for administering millions of dollars in state and federal criminal justice funding every year.

How to Apply

Read the CESF RFP

Verify organization eligibility

Develop project strategy

Write application

Submit application

Applicants must submit an electronic version through
www.ocjsgrants.com

Assistance and Notification

- **Application:** For technical assistance on any part of the application process you may email Melissa Darby mbdarby@dps.ohio.gov or your regional grant coordinator. The Regional contact list is accessed at http://www.ocjs.ohio.gov/grants.stm

- **Award:** If awarded, notifications will be mailed electronically via the OCJS grants management system to selected projects; and before final approval, all required forms and pre-award conditions must be completed and returned to OCJS through the grants management system.

Eligibility

- **A unit of local government**

- **State agencies, state-supported university law enforcement**

- **Statewide and local nonprofit or faith-based associations**

Eligibility

- ✓ Ohio Incident-Based Reporting System or Uniform Crime Reporting Summary System, per Ohio Revised Code Section *5502.62(C)(6).*

- ✓ System for Award Management Profile (SAM.gov)

- ✓ Reporting Requirements Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act

Funding Information

- OCJS grants are reimbursement grants

- All costs must directly relate to preparation for, prevention of and/or response to the Coronavirus

- OCJS reserves the right to modify project budgets or provide partial funding

- Funding of projects through OCJS is subject to availability of federal pass-through funding resources

Funding Requirements

- Additional funding requirements will be issued as Pre-Award Conditions if funding is approved

- A list of the requirements is provided in the RFP under the Notification section

- Failure to complete forms and/or properly complete forms could result in funding being revoked

- Review the Federal Subgrant Conditions Handbook on www.ocjs.ohio.gov

Program Areas
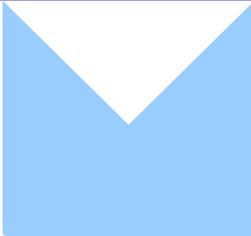
- Law Enforcement Programs (LEF)

- Adult and Juvenile Corrections, Community Corrections (CCF)

- Probation and Parole Programs (PPF)

Program Areas

- Court Programs (CTF)
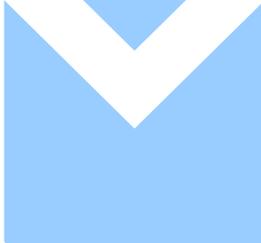
- Victim Services Programs (VSF)
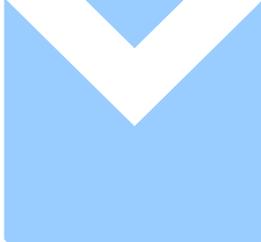
- Other (OTH)

CESF – Length of Funding / Match

The length of funding can be between six (6) months and one (1) year.

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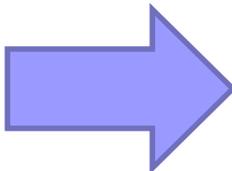
Submission

- **There is no deadline**
  - Proposals must be in **Application Submitted** status to be considered for review

  - OCJS will be accepting applications on a continual basis

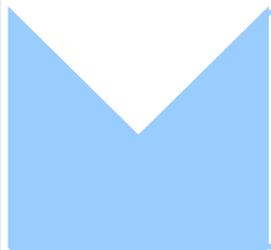# Format and Submission

Direct Federal Allocations

Local allocations are determined by the Bureau of Justice Assistance
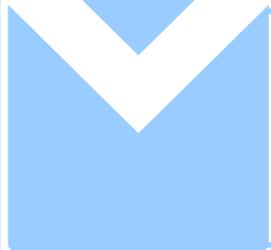
Amounts can be found in Appendix A of RFP

Agencies are not excluded from receiving OCJS funding in addition to federal funding
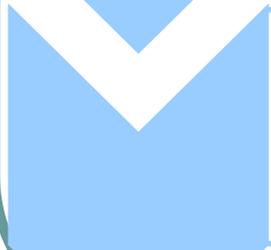
Grantee Selection Process

- Internal Compliance Review

- Internal Subject Matter Expert

- OCJS Director's Review

Narrative

Provides relevant local data/statistics, as well as agency statistics related to the Coronavirus. Identify a target population and detail the demographics

Identifies other resources in the community that are currently available to address the problem and/or explains why existing resources are not sufficient and discuss the gaps in services

Describes proposed activities and approach to be taken

Narrative

Describes how the activities will be reasonably achieved

Provides details of the organization and staff responsible for implementing the project

Describes collaboration with local emergency management agencies

Describes how various parts of project looks for larger agencies

Budget

Presents a clear and detailed budget with a narrative that explains and justifies

Justifies the costs of the proposed program and that the costs are considered reasonable and cost-effective in view of the types and range of activities to be conducted, the number of participants to be served, and the expected results and benefits

Includes information on related funding the agency may be applying for or receiving

Additional Questions?

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