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# E-BULLETIN

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Training & Technical Assistance Providers for the Office for Victims of Crime, Comprehensive Tribal Victims Assistance, Children's Justice Act, and Tribal Victim Services Set-Aside Program Grantees



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## CURRENT NEWS

### **Extended Deadline for the Fiscal Year (FY) 2021 Coordinated Tribal Assistance Solicitation (CTAS)**

The application period for the U.S. Department of Justice's FY 2021 CTAS, which is administered by the Department's Office of Justice Programs (OJP) and Office of Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS Office), has been extended until **Tuesday, April 20, 2021 at 9pm ET**. This extension applies only to the Justice Grants System (JustGrants). Applicants are strongly encouraged to submit their application materials before the April 20th deadline. For questions about submitting the full application, contact the JustGrants service desk at [JustGrants.Support@usdoj.gov](mailto:JustGrants.Support@usdoj.gov) or (833) 872-5175. Find more JustGrants resources [here](#). For programmatic questions and general assistance with the solicitation requirements, contact the Response Center at [tribalgrants@usdoj.gov](mailto:tribalgrants@usdoj.gov) or (800) 421-6770. Download key CTAS documents [here](#).



### **Extended Deadline for Performance Reports in JustGrants**

The deadline for performance reports that were due in JustGrants between October 1, 2020, and February 28, 2021, has been extended to **Thursday, April 15, 2021**. The only role within JustGrants that can submit a performance report is the Grant Award Administrator. Subscribe to JustGrants for information about extended deadlines and other important updates [here](#).

### **No Cost Extensions for FY 2018 Tribal Victim Services Set-Aside (VSSA) Awards**

Many of our 2018 grant awards are approaching their end dates. As you plan to sustain your victim services programs and consider future funding sources, the OVC Tribal Division wishes to remind you about the requirements regarding no cost extension requests for FY 2018 grantees. FY 2018 awards made with Tribal VSSA funds may be extended at the request of the grantee. These awards are identified by the "VO" in their award numbers (e.g., 2018-VO-GX-0001). However, in 2018 some Tribal grants were made using other available funds, not Tribal VSSA funds. Those other funds have award numbers that include a "V4" or "V6" (e.g., 2018-V6-GX-0002 or 2018-V4-GX-0003) and principally are awards under the FY 2018 CTAS Purpose Areas 6 and 7. These



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grants are not extendable because of the specific statutory laws governing the timeline for the expenditure of these funds. OVC cannot change the law that governs those funds, and therefore cannot make exceptions or grant extensions for those awards. Please review your current FY 2018 Tribal awards numbers to look for the VO or V4 or V6 code to assess if you are eligible for a no cost extension. If you have a VO-coded award and you believe you will require more time to fully implement your grant project, please contact your grant manager to discuss the process for requesting an extension. If your non-extendable 2018 award is ending, and your tribe is looking for supplemental funding to continue or expand your current OVC-funded projects, you can find more funding opportunities [here](#).

### **Save the Date for the Office for Victims of Crime (OVC) Tribal Division Grantee Orientation**

OVC invites all current OVC Tribal Victim Services Set-Aside (VSSA) and CTAS grant recipients to a four-day virtual meeting. The meeting will cover several topics such as grant administration and reporting, JustGrants, Tribal victim



services program development and implementation, information about serving specific crime victim populations, and more! Grantees are not limited in the number of attendees.

**Find more information and register [here](#). Registration Deadline:** Friday, April 23, 2021

**Dates:** April 28 and 29, May 5 and 6, 2021 from 12pm-5pm ET

### **Please Participate in the OVC Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) Tribal Experience Survey Today!**

In partnership with OVC, Unified is conducting a survey of all federally recognized Tribes regarding their experience with VOCA Victim Assistance Formula Grants and the Crime Victims' Compensation Fund in your state. This survey asks about Tribes' current understanding and experiences with the VOCA programs and suggestions to improve awareness and access. The information gathered from this survey will be presented to OVC, a subdivision of the Office of Justice Programs, U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ), to inform potential updates and improvements to VOCA resources. This survey should take less than 15 minutes to complete. Access the survey [here](#).



### **2021 National Crime Victims' Service Awards Ceremony and 2021 National Crime Victims' Rights Week (NCVRW) Resources**

OVC is hosting a virtual National Crime Victims' Service Awards Ceremony, and registration for the Ceremony is now open. Additionally, NCVRW resources for 2021 are available online to help your organization plan its public awareness activities before and during the commemoration of NCVRW April 18-24, 2021. Access the 2021 NCVRW Resource Guide complete with various materials such as information on how to participate in NCVRW, posters, artwork, and color palettes, [here](#). Visit the [events list](#) to find NCVRW activities hosted by service providers and allied professionals from across the Nation. You can also sign up for the NCVRW [subscription list](#) to receive important email updates.

**Register for the National Crime Victims' Service Awards Ceremony [here](#). Date:** Friday, April 23, 2021 from 3pm-4:30pm ET

## **DOJ Releases an Online Journal on Missing and Murdered American Indians and Alaska Natives (AI/ANs)**

DOJ published the first of two issues of the *Department of Justice Journal of Federal Law and Practice* addressing missing or murdered AI/AN people. The present issue focuses on law enforcement and prevention surrounding missing or murdered AI/AN individuals. Featured articles highlight the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention's (OJJDP's) AMBER Alert in Indian Country Initiative and the OJJDP-supported National Center for Missing & Exploited Children and its role in helping Native American communities. Read the issue [here](#).

## **An Ongoing Commitment to Victims of Human Trafficking Report**

OVC has a longstanding commitment to ensuring all trafficking victims can access the services they need. As of 2021, OVC manages the largest amount of funding across the Federal Government dedicated to providing services to victims of human trafficking, supporting human trafficking grantees in at least 47 states, one territory, and the District of Columbia. To demonstrate their funding's profound impact on victims of trafficking, OVC released a report detailing the number of active victim services grants, the number of clients served, and the types of services provided between 2015 and 2021. The report reveals that from July 2015 to June 2020, OVC human trafficking grantees provided a total of 1,035,307 incident-based services. From FY 2019 to FY 2020, the number of incident-based services provided increased by 290%, with housing and rental assistance accounting for the most significant increase. Read the report [here](#).



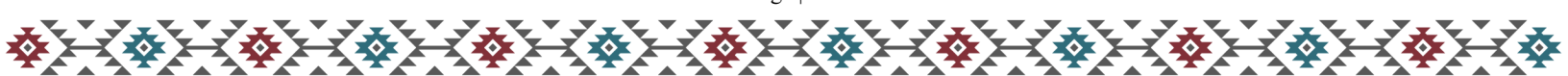
## **New Training Toolkit on Supporting Crime Victims with Disabilities**

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention estimates that 61 million adults in the United States live with a disability. Therefore, the crime victims' field must be equipped to provide services to victims with disabilities. The recently released *Supporting Crime Victims with Disabilities Online Training Toolkit* includes videos, educational resources, tools, and examples of culturally responsive best practices on effectively identifying, reaching, and serving victims of crime with disabilities. With support from OVC, the Vera Institute of Justice's Center on Victimization and Safety designed this Toolkit for various professionals, including crime victim service providers, law enforcement, and forensic interviewers. Access the Toolkit [here](#).

## **AI/AN Student Travel Scholarships**

The National Institute of Justice (NIJ) will support 15 AI/AN undergraduate or graduate interested in issues related to public safety, crime, and justice to explore science in criminal justice and public safety through conference scholarships. Students will explore how their educational backgrounds apply to issues of crime and justice. They will meet researchers and practitioners engaged in similar work. While applications from all academic disciplines (e.g., social and behavioral sciences) will be accepted, priority will be given to students in STEM, such as anthropology (physical), biology, chemistry, neuroscience, mathematics, pathology, physics, and engineering. Conferences will expose students to innovative and evidence-based scientific and technological solutions to justice issues. Funding covers the costs of conference registration, round-trip airfare, lodging, ground transportation, baggage, meals, and incidental expenses. Scholarship recipients are expected to attend the entirety of the conference. Potential conferences to attend include:

1. International Association of Chiefs of Police (September 11-14, 2021)
2. American Society of Criminology (November 17-20, 2021)
3. American Academy of Forensic Sciences (February 21-26, 2022)





#### 4. National Missing and Unidentified Persons (Moved to 2022)

NIJ encourages students to review the eligibility and application requirements and apply or share this opportunity with anyone who may be interested in applying.

**Find more information** [here](#). **Application Deadline:** Monday, May 10, 2021 at 11:59pm ET

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## RESOURCES

### **New Publication from the International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP): Establishing or Enhancing Law Enforcement-Based Victim Services – Effective Partnership**

The IACP is known for its commitment to shaping the future of the police profession. Through timely research, programming, and unparalleled training opportunities, the IACP is preparing current and emerging police leaders and the agencies and communities they serve to address the most pressing current issues, threats, and challenges. This publication series identifies key considerations for establishing or enhancing direct services to victims within law enforcement-based systems. Read the publication [here](#).



### **Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Approves \$50 Monthly Internet Subsidies for Low-Income Households During the Pandemic**

The Emergency Broadband Benefit is an FCC program to help households struggling to pay for internet service during the pandemic. This new benefit will connect eligible households to jobs, critical healthcare services, and virtual classrooms. The Emergency Broadband Benefit will provide a discount of up to \$50 per month towards broadband service for eligible households and up to \$75 per month for households on Tribal lands. Eligible households can also receive a one-time discount of up to \$100 to purchase a laptop, desktop computer, or tablet from participating providers if they contribute \$10-\$50 toward the purchase price. Find more information [here](#).

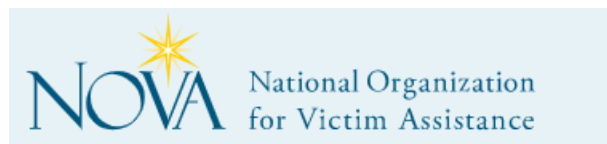
### **Submit your nomination for National Indigenous Women's Resource Center's (NIWRC's) Tillie Black Bear Memorial Award**

The NIWRC honors the legacy of Wa Wokiya Win (Tillie Black Bear), Sicangu Lakota, through an award during its Women Are Sacred Conference to recognize outstanding grassroots advocates and direct service providers that exemplify the teachings and dedication Tillie instilled in restoring safety for Native women. This year's award will be presented virtually during the Women are Sacred Conference, June 8-10, 2021. Consider nominating someone who embodies the teachings of Women as Sacred, We are all Relatives, or integrity, is making connections beyond domestic violence shelter doors, or providing exemplary service. The nominee should embody advocacy in action, grassroots organizing, or leadership in the movement to restore safety for Native women. Submit your nomination [here](#).



## **Core Competencies for Human Trafficking Response in Health Care and Behavioral Health Systems Report**

The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Office on Trafficking in Persons (OTIP) has released the *Core Competencies for Human Trafficking Response in Health Care and Behavioral Health Systems* report. These core competencies pinpoint skill sets that health care and behavioral health practitioners should acquire to identify, respond to, and serve individuals who have experienced trafficking and individuals at risk of trafficking. OTIP developed these core competencies in partnership with HEAL Trafficking, the International Centre for Missing & Exploited Children, and the National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners. The National Human Trafficking Training and Technical Assistance Center facilitated a 3-year process to develop the competencies. Access the report [here](#).



### **National Organization for Victim Assistance (NOVA) Office for Victim Advocacy Ethics**

The NOVA Office for Victim Advocacy Ethics (OVAE) is a comprehensive resource for victim assistance professionals.

The OVAE offers innovative training on ethics, engaging events, professional consultation on ethical dilemmas, and relevant resources for all those who serve victims/survivors of crime. Ensuring ethical practice is imperative to pushing the field forward and creating a standard of dignity and respect for all those impacted by crime and crisis. NOVA is excited to offer its resources to support victim assistance professionals in doing their critical work. Find more information [here](#).

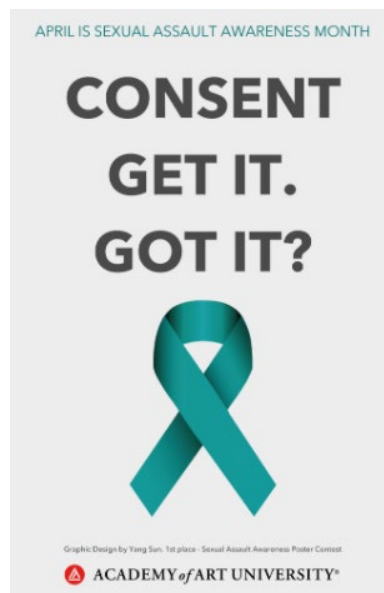
## **SPECIAL FEATURE RESOURCES: APRIL IS SEXUAL ASSAULT AWARENESS AND CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH**

### **StrongHearts Native Helpline Online Chat Advocacy is Now Available 24/7**

StrongHearts Native Helpline is a safe, confidential, and anonymous domestic, dating, and sexual violence helpline for AI/AN victims/survivors, offering culturally appropriate support and advocacy. Their website also provides education about domestic and sexual violence and general information about jurisdiction and legal advocacy referrals. Advocates are available 24/7 via online chat to help all AI/AN affected by domestic, dating, and sexual violence. Access the chat helpline and find more information [here](#).

### **National Sexual Violence Resource Center**

Make a difference this April by organizing an online event in honor of Sexual Assault Awareness Month (SAAM). SAAM activities have different goals; some intend to educate and teach skills such as consent, while other activities can provide spaces to support survivors. Decide what goal might be suitable for your audience and what type of online activity they would find the most engaging. You can choose from the event template options or create your own online SAAM activity. Find more information [here](#).



### **National Indigenous Women's Resource Center's (NIWRC's) Webinar in Honor of SAAM**

In recognition of SAAM, NIWRC will highlight the Ogitchidakwe Council's work in St. Paul, MN, in creating a Circle of Safety for victims/survivors of rape and sexual violence. Although there is huge public outcry and federal

policy reform in response to the high rates of rape and sexual violence against Indigenous women, far too many victims/survivors are still not believed, and perpetrators are not held accountable. This webinar focuses on the work of a group of Indigenous Elders in one community that created a safe place to talk about sexual violence while continuously providing community awareness, education, and prevention activities, and offering traditional healing and cultural sharing opportunities. Engaging the entire community is central to their work in addressing sexual violence. Please join the founders and organizers of the Ogitchidakwe Council on this vital webinar to see what one community is doing and what your community can do to end the rape and sexual violence of our relatives.

**Find more information or register [here](#). Date:** Wednesday, April 14, 2021 from 3pm-4:30pm ET

### **Children's Bureau's Theme for National Child Abuse Prevention Month - Thriving Children and Families: Prevention with Purpose**

The Children's Bureau, within the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, funds the National Child Abuse Prevention Month initiative each April. National Child Abuse Prevention Month recognizes the importance of communities working together to help families thrive and prevent child maltreatment. During April and throughout the year, communities are encouraged to increase awareness about child and family well-being and work together to implement effective strategies that support families and prevent child abuse and neglect. The Children's Bureau webpage provides National Child Abuse Prevention Month resources, toolkits, and more! Access resources and information [here](#).



## **TRAINING AND EVENTS**



### **Response to At-Risk Missing and High-Risk Endangered Missing Children**

The National Criminal Justice Training Center of Fox Valley Technical College (NCJTC) hosts this live, instructor-led online training. The training provides information on engaging and constructing a collaborative response to at-risk missing and high-risk endangered missing children. Participants will explore how a missing child's path to becoming a victim of exploitation intersects with the child protection, law enforcement, and juvenile justice

systems and acts as a risk factor to abductions. Participants will also identify opportunities within those systems for prevention and engagement. Additionally, the training will examine the complex, layered exploitation these victims endure and how exploiters capitalize on this victimization. Each training day offers the same material and content. Attendance of one full training day is required to receive a certificate.

**Find more information and register [here](#). Date:** Thursday, April 1, 2021 from 9am-6pm ET

**Find more information and register [here](#). Date:** Thursday, April 15, 2021 from 9am-6pm ET

### **Virtual Forensic Interview Clinic**

The American Professional Society on the Abuse of Children (APSAC) hosts this four-day, beginner Virtual Forensic Interview Clinic. APSAC pioneered the Forensic Interview Training Institute model to focus on the needs of professionals responsible for conducting forensic/investigative interviews with children in suspected abuse cases. Their comprehensive Institute offers a unique opportunity to participate in an intensive training experience and have direct interaction with leading experts in child forensic interviewing. The four-day clinic costs \$1095 for APSAC members and \$1350 for non-members. Scholarships are available upon inquiry.

**Find more information [here](#).**

**Register [here](#). Dates:** April 5, 9, 12, and 16, 2021 from 9:30am-6:30pm ET





### **Justice Grants System (JustGrants) Application Submission Webinar**

To provide targeted assistance to applicants applying for Department of Justice (DOJ) funding opportunities, DOJ's JustGrants team offers multiple webinar sessions on the application submission process. DOJ funding opportunities follow a two-part application process. Applicants must begin the application process within Grants.gov. After applying in Grants.gov, the application information and forms are transferred to JustGrants and automatically appear when users access their application in JustGrants. There are two remaining dates for the webinars. Each webinar offers the same content. Registration is limited.

**Find more information** [here](#).

**Register** [here](#). **Date:** Thursday, April 8, 2021 from 1pm-2:30pm ET

**Register** [here](#). **Date:** Monday, April 12, 2021 from 3pm-4:30pm ET

### **Multidisciplinary Team (MDT) Response to Child Sex Trafficking (CST)**

Hosted by NCJTC, this team-based training will guide existing MDTs in improving their response to child sex trafficking and assist those who seek to establish a formal MDT in their communities to respond more effectively to CST cases. Subject matter experts will work with teams to identify gaps and develop short and long-term response plans. To attend this training, you must be part of an MDT and your team members must attend with you. The April and May trainings provide the same content.

**Find more information or register** [here](#). **Date:** April 12-15, 2021 from 9am-12pm ET and 1pm-4pm ET

**Find more information or register** [here](#). **Date:** May 17-20, 2021 from 9am-12pm ET and 1pm-4pm ET

### **Running for Justice: Remembering Missing and Murdered Indigenous Relatives (MMIR) Virtual Run**

Rising Hearts is honored and grateful to host the 4th annual Running for Justice Virtual Run to support the NIWRC, the Native Women's Society of the Great Plains, and Kola Shippentower Thompson of Enough Iz Enough. This virtual run event brings the community together to honor, uplift, and send

prayers for MMIR, their families, and the advocates within these spaces that dedicate their hard work to support families and communities and find solutions to end this epidemic.

**Find more information or register** [here](#). **Date:** May 5-9, 2021



### **VIRTUAL MEETINGS HOSTED BY YOUR TRAINING AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE (TTA) PROVIDERS**

#### **NCJTC's Grantee Community of Practice (CoP) Program Highlights Series**

**Host:** National Criminal Justice Training Center of Fox Valley Technical College

**Overview:** The CoP meeting series features current OVC grantees and their unique approaches to providing victim services in Tribal communities. The CoP includes a presentation from grantees with time for facilitated Q&A. CoP meetings are not recorded and will not be available for future viewing. Registrants will use one registration link to register for any of the dates listed below.

**Find more information or register** [here](#). **Dates:** April 1, 14, 15, and 16, 2021

- **Bay Mills Indian Community (Michigan)**

The Bay Mills Indian Community Tribal Court Advocacy Program staff will discuss their experience with establishing a new Tribal victim services program. The Tribal Court Advocacy Program will share information on collaborating, communicating, and the importance of self-care.

**Date:** Thursday, April 1, 2021 from 1pm-2:30pm ET

- **Bishop Paiute Tribe (California)**

Bishop Paiute Tribe staff will discuss their approach to community outreach. Their innovative practices include developing and launching a community podcast to inspire and encourage victims and survivors to reach out for services.

**Date:** Wednesday, April 14, 2021 from 2pm-3:30pm ET

- **Comanche Nation and Choctaw Nation (Oklahoma)**

Comanche Nation staff will discuss inventive ways they provided direct services to victims during the COVID-19 pandemic. Choctaw Nation staff will speak about their longevity, spanning over two decades, and their success in sustaining outreach to victims of crime.

**Date:** Thursday, April 15, 2021 from 2pm-3:30pm ET

- **Native Alliance Against Violence (Oklahoma) and Native Village of Ft. Yukon (Alaska)**

Native Alliance Against Violence staff will detail how they developed a strategic plan for their program. The Native Village of Ft. Yukon staff will discuss services they provide to crime victims to increase the access and variety of services through using their guiding concepts.

**Date:** Friday, April 16, 2021 from 2pm-3:30pm ET

**Alaska Native Women's Resource Center (AKNWRC)**  
**Symposium to Develop Tribally Derived Victim/Survivor**  
**Services/Programs**

AKNWRC invites current Alaska OVC grantees or Alaska Tribes interested in OVC grants to attend the AKNWRC Symposium to Develop Tribally Derived Victim/Survivor Services/Programs. The Symposium is a three-day virtual training opportunity to share information to support and enhance Tribal victim service programs to operate programs that are Alaska Native specific. AKNWRC's goal is to support Tribal capacity for the development of crime victim services. For more information, contact [tiana.teter@aknwrc.org](mailto:tiana.teter@aknwrc.org).

**Register [here](#). Date:** April 6-8, 2021 from 9am-2pm AKT



**OVC Grantee Virtual Cross-Site Meeting: Victim Advocacy**  
**Services**

**Host:** National Criminal Justice Training Center of Fox Valley Technical College

**Overview:** Attend this interactive opportunity focused on victim advocacy services. This live, instructor-led event will provide participants with information on building stakeholder support for victims, developing legal advocacy, utilizing culture and traditional practices in programming for victim services, and safety planning and crisis response.

**Find more information or register [here](#). Date:** Tuesday, April 13, 2021 from 11:30am-6pm ET





### **April 2021 Monthly OVC Grantee Forum – Virtual Meeting: Missing and Murdered Indigenous People**

**Host:** National Criminal Justice Training Center of Fox Valley Technical College

**Overview:** Attend this meeting to discuss providing direct services to victims, survivors, and families of missing and murdered Indigenous people, challenges of delivering services, and ideas to bring awareness to missing and murdered Indigenous people.

**Find more information or register** [here](#). **Date:** Tuesday, April 20, 2021 at 12pm ET

### **Unified's April 2021 CoP Virtual Gathering: The Importance of Data Collection in Providing MMIP Services**

**Host:** Unified Solutions Tribal Community Development Group, Inc.

**Overview:** Data collection is an important aspect of managing OVC grant award programs. But data is about more than meeting funding requirements. Subject Matter Expert (SME) and Featured Grantee Program presenters will discuss the importance of data in making effective decisions on how to support MMIP families and survivors, identifying the data to collect and how best to collect it, and best practices in using and caring for your data.

**Find more information or register** [here](#) **Date:** Tuesday, April 27, 2021 from 2pm-3:30pm ET

## **FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES**



### **National Congress of American Indians Fund (NCAI Fund) Victim Services Micro-Grant Program**

The NCAI Fund has entered into a cooperative agreement with the DOJ to provide micro-grants to eligible Tribal governments to support crime victim services programs and activities. The 2021 NCAI Fund Victim Services Micro-Grant Program is open to federally recognized Tribal nations outside of Alaska who did not receive victim services funding from the NCAI

Fund in 2020. (Interested Alaska Tribal communities should see the Denali Commission Micro-Grant Program below). Applicants can apply for up to \$150,000, and the project period is from July 1, 2021 to June 30, 2022. Tribal nations can use available funding to support victim service activities across a range of Tribal departments. If your Tribal nation is interested in applying for funds, please review the Request for Proposals (RFP). Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis, beginning Thursday, April 1, 2021 until all funds are expended. Please direct any questions to [microgrants@ncai.org](mailto:microgrants@ncai.org).

**Solicitation Materials are available** [here](#). **Application Deadline:** Rolling basis beginning Thursday, April 1, 2021

## **Denali Commission Tribal Victim Services Micro-Grant Program Round 2**

The Denali Commission solicits grant applications for Round 2 of the Tribal Victims of Crime Micro-Grant Program. Round 2 is open to all Tribal communities in Alaska. Round 2 will distribute approximately \$5.8 million in grant funds. Applicants may apply in one of two purpose areas:



1. Purpose Area 1: Planning for a New Victim Services Program  
Applicants in this area will conduct planning activities to establish a new program. This area includes activities such as completing a community needs assessment, developing a strategic plan, and developing a performance measurement reporting plan. Purpose Area 1 applicants will receive ten preference points as this program's primary goal is to establish new Tribal Victims of Crime programs.
2. Purpose Area 2: Coordination and Expansion of Existing Victim Services Programs  
For already existing victims of crime programs, applicants will use these funds to expand types of services provided, populations served (elders, youth, etc.), and/or types of crimes addressed. Purpose Area 2 applicants who were part of a consortium and apply to this funding opportunity on their own will receive three preference points as a goal of the program is to build local capacity to apply directly to DOJ's grants.

Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) questions may be submitted to the Tribal Victims of Crime Program Manager at [communitywellness@denali.gov](mailto:communitywellness@denali.gov). Applicants may access training and technical assistance (TTA) to develop an application for this NOFO by reaching out to the Alaska Micro-Grant Program Training and Technical Assistance Provider – The Rural Alaska Community Action Program, Inc. (RurAL CAP) at [vchadwick@ruralcap.org](mailto:vchadwick@ruralcap.org) or (907) 865-7378. The TTA provider may not write the grant application, but the team may provide tailored technical assistance for the application.

**NOFO Materials are available [here](#). Application Deadline:** Friday, May 21, 2021



### **FY2021 Tribal Homeland Security Grant Program (THSGP)**

The FY2021 THSGP is one of three grant programs that constitute the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) and Federal Emergency Management Agency's (FEMA's) focus on enhancing the ability of state, local, Tribal, and territorial governments, and nonprofits, to prevent, protect against, respond to, and recover from terrorist attacks. These grant programs are part of a comprehensive set of measures authorized by Congress and implemented by DHS to help strengthen the Nation's communities against potential terrorist attacks. Among the five basic homeland security missions noted in the DHS Strategic Plan, the THSGP supports the goal to strengthen national preparedness and resilience. The 2018-2022 FEMA Strategic Plan creates a shared vision for reducing the risks posed by terrorism and sets an ambitious, yet achievable, path

forward to unify and further professionalize emergency management across the country.

**Solicitation Materials are available [here](#). Application Deadline:** Friday, May 14, 2021

**Find funding opportunities from the OJP [here](#).**

**For a complete list of current funding solicitations, visit the Grants.gov website [here](#)!**

