

PUBLIC NOTICE

LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

Notice of Availability and Award of Funds

Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2017 Victims of Crime Act Grant Program

Take notice that in compliance with the Federal Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) of 1984, 42 U.S.C. §§ 10601 et seq., the Department of Law and Public Safety (Department) announces the availability and award of the following non-competitive subawards funded by FFY17 VOCA program funds:

New Jersey Department of Human Services – Jersey City Trauma Recovery

and Resiliency Project

\$136,550

Under this program, \$136,550 in grant funding will be offered and awarded to the New Jersey Department of Human Services to support their Jersey City Trauma Recovery and Resiliency Project. The funding supports trauma recovery and resiliency programs for all victims affected and traumatized by the domestic terrorist attack in Jersey City on December 10, 2019 including children and their families, first responders and the community. Funding is provided on a reimbursement basis only and is contingent upon subrecipient application submission, compliance with grant conditions, and satisfactory performance of services. The funding allocation is for a 7-month period from March 1, 2020 to September 30, 2020.

New Jersey Department of Corrections – Saving Our Sisters Program

\$96,000

Under this program, \$96,000 in grant funding will be offered and awarded to the New Jersey

Department of Corrections to provide supplemental funding for their Saving Our Sisters Program. Funding is provided for services to female victims of domestic violence and/or sexual assault who are incarcerated in the Edna Mahan Correctional Facility. Funding is provided on a reimbursement basis only and is contingent upon subrecipient application submission, compliance with grant conditions, and satisfactory performance of services. The funding is for a 12-month period from October 1, 2019 through September 30, 2020.

The College of New Jersey – “Am I OK” Project **\$347,108**

Under this program, \$347,108 in grant funding will be offered and awarded to the College of New Jersey to support their “Am I OK” Project. Funding provides services and education to students who have experienced sexual violence. Funding is provided on a reimbursement basis only and is contingent upon subrecipient application submissions, compliance with grant conditions, and satisfactory performance of services. The funding is for a 17-month period from May 1, 2019 to September 30, 2020.

New Jersey Juvenile Justice Commission –Victims of Trauma Training **\$52,000**

Under this program, \$52,000 in grant funding will be offered and awarded to the New Jersey Juvenile Justice Commission (“JJC”) to support their Victims of Trauma Training. Funding provides training to JJC staff to enable them to serve youth who have been exposed to trauma and/or are the victims of trauma. Funding is provided on a reimbursement basis only and is contingent upon subrecipient application submissions, compliance with grant conditions, and satisfactory performance of services. The funding is for a 12-month period from May 1, 2019 to April 30, 2020.

Eligible recipients of the non-competitive FFY17 VOCA program funds will receive application guidelines and all required application forms, via mail or e-mail, that must be completed and submitted by the established due date. Upon approval of project narrative and budget, applicants will receive subaward contract documents for approval and signature. Subrecipients must comply with programmatic and fiscal reporting requirements for approval and/or reimbursement of costs incurred during the project period. All subrecipients will be required to supply matching funds of twenty percent toward their project.

Please note that funding allocations and individual subaward amounts are subject to change. Subrecipients shall recognize and agree that both the initial provision of funding and the continuation of such funding under a grant agreement is expressly dependent upon the availability to the Department of funds appropriated by the State or Federal legislature from State and/or Federal revenue to such other funding sources as may be applicable. A failure of the Department to make any payment under a grant agreement or to observe and perform any condition on its part to be performed under a grant agreement as a result of the failure of the State or Federal legislature to appropriate funds shall not in any manner constitute a breach of a grant agreement by the Department or an event of default under a grant agreement because of the absence of available funding appropriations. In addition, future funding shall not be anticipated from the Department beyond the duration of the award period set forth in a grant agreement and in no event shall a grant agreement be construed as a commitment by the Department to expend funds beyond the termination date set forth in a grant agreement.