

Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency Anticipated Funding Announcements

Funding Stream	Funding Type	Funding Announcement Title	Funding Objectives	Type of Funding Announcement	Agencies Eligible to Apply	Anticipated Release Date	Anticipated Maximum award amounts	Anticipated Funding Available	Match Requirements
Victims of Crime Act (VOCA)	Federal Fund	Victim's of Crime Act 2020-2023 Non-Competitive	Under this solicitation, VOCA funds may only be used to provide direct services, which respond to the emotional and physical needs of crime victims by helping them stabilize their lives after victimization, assisting them in navigating the criminal and juvenile justice process, and/or provide victims of crime with a safe and secure environment.	Formula	VOCA-funded Community-based victim service programs or county prosecutor's offices approved by VSAC	Closed	formula based	TBD	None
Intermediate Punishment Treatment Programs (IP)	State Appropriation	County Intermediate Punishment Treatment Programs	The County Intermediate Punishment Treatment (IP) Program provides funding support to participating counties for programs offering restrictive intermediate punishments. Only non-violent offenders who would have been sentenced to incarceration under Levels 3 and 4 of Pennsylvania's Sentencing Guidelines are eligible for program participation.	Competitive/ Formula	County Government	Feb-20	variable by county, identified in announcement	\$18 million	None
Violence Prevention Programs (VPP)	State Appropriation	Research Based Violence and Delinquency Prevention Program	Eligible activities under this solicitations could include: costs related to the implementation of targeted delinquency prevention programs (set list of 15 evidence-based programs).	Competitive/ Targeted	Private non-profit organizations, public agency, or unit of local government	Jan-20	\$200,000	\$2 million (over two years)	None
Justice Assistance Grant (JAG)	Federal Fund	2019-2020 Justice Assistance Grant Local Initiatives	The Single Solicitation for Local Initiatives Funding Announcement requests applications from eligible governmental and non-governmental agencies and organizations wishing to implement projects and programs that directly address the PCCD Objectives and Strategies outlined in PCCD's Strategic Plan. This solicitation general makes funding available for a wide range of projects to include juvenile justice, criminal justice, delinquency prevention and victim services initiatives. Funded projects are typically connected to well formulated, localized planning efforts.	Competitive	Local units of government (includes counties) and non-profit organizations	Jan-20	TBD	\$4.7 million	None
Paul Coverdell Forensic Science Improvement (COVERDELL)	Federal Fund	Paul Coverdell Forensic Science Improvements Fiscal Year 2019/2020	Funds are available for applications from state, county or municipal forensic crime laboratories, county district attorneys, medical examiners and county coroners to improve the quality, timeliness and credibility of forensic science services to the criminal justice system.	Competitive	State, county or municipal forensic crime laboratories, county district attorneys, medical examiners and county coroners	Sep-19	\$150,000	\$730,000	None
Rights and Services Act (RASA) & Victims of Juvenile Offenders (VOJO)	State Appropriation/Fund	Victims Rights and Services Act & Victims of Juvenile Offenders 2021-2022	Under this solicitation, funds are made available to support the continuation of procedural services to crime victims. RASA funding is to be directed to the activities that are consistent with the prosecutor's and juvenile probation's responsibilities as outlined in the Crime Victims Act (Act 85 of 2002). VOJO funds are made available to support the continuation of VOJO Programs for procedural services to victims of juvenile offenders. Victims Of Juvenile Offenders funding is to be directed to the activities that are consistent with the prosecutor's and juvenile probation's responsibilities as outlined in the Crime Victims Act (Act 85 of 2002), as well as for activities outlined in Pennsylvania's Rules of Juvenile Court Procedure.	Formula	County prosecutor's offices, juvenile probation offices, or community-based victim service programs, or a combination of the three, are eligible applicants.	Jul-20	formula based	TBD	None
Substance Abuse Education and Demand Reduction (SAEDRF)	State Fund	Addressing the Link Between Trauma due to Victimization and Substance Abuse	To provide support for collaborative projects between community-based victim service programs and licensed drug and alcohol programs to address the interrelated issues of trauma due to victimization and substance abuse.	Competitive	Local Non-Profit Organizations	August/Sept. 2019	\$75,000	\$275,000	None
		Research-Based Programs for Children and Families	Under Category One-Research Based, funding is available to nonprofit organizations to provide research-based approaches to prevention, intervention, training, treatment and education services to reduce substance abuse or to provide resources to assist families in accessing these services.	Competitive	Local Non-Profit Organizations	August/Sept. 2019	\$150,000	\$1,165,000	None
		Drug and Alcohol Education and Training	Under Category Two, funding is to be used to educate youth, caregivers of youth and employers about the dangers of substance abuse and increase the awareness of the benefits of a drug-free Pennsylvania through media-related efforts that may include public service announcements, public awareness campaigns and media literacy. Under Category Three, funding is to be used to educate employers, unions and employees about the dangers of substance abuse in the workplace and provide comprehensive drug-free workplace programs and technical resources for businesses, including, but not limited to, training for working parents to keep their children drug-free.	Competitive	Statewide non-profit organizations	August/Sept. 2019	\$450,000	\$1.3 million	None
Child Advocacy Centers (CAC)	State Fund	CAC Operations and Development	To provide funding assistance to communities to operate Child Advocacy Centers	Targeted / Competitive	Non-profit organizations, public agency, or local units of government as per funding announcement	July/August 2019 and each year thereafter	\$47,000	\$2 million	None
Endowment Act (EA)	State Fund	Endowment Act	Act 1 of 2013 requires that funds must be spent for the benefit of the residents of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and may be spent on the following categories: 1) Programs or projects preventing child sexual abuse and/or assisting the victims of child sexual abuse; 2) multidisciplinary investigative teams (MDITs); 3) child advocacy centers; 4) victim service organizations that provide services to children subjected to sexual abuse; and 5) training of persons who are mandated by law to report child sexual abuse or to treat victims of child sexual abuse.	Competitive	Non-profit organizations, public agency, or local units of government as per funding announcement	Rolling throughout the year	Depends on the Announcement	Approx. \$3 million, annually	None
School Safety and Security Grant Program (SSSC)	State Fund	School Safety and Security Grant Program (Meritorious or Competitive)	Act 44 of 2018 allows school entities to apply and receive funding for a wide variety of school safety improvements.	Targeted / Competitive	School districts, charter schools, cyber charter schools, regional charter schools, intermediate units, area vocational-technical schools, approved private schools, and private residential rehabilitation institutions.	Sept. 2019 and each year thereafter	\$450,000 (exceptions for Philadelphia SD and Pittsburgh SD)	\$52.5 million	None
School Safety and Security - Community Violence Prevention/Reduction (CVPP)	State Fund	Community Violence Prevention/Reduction	Act 44 of 2018 allows municipalities, institutions of higher education and community organizations to apply and receive funding for programs that reduce or prevent community violence.	Competitive	Municipalities (including counties), institutions of higher education and community organizations.	Sept. 2019 and each year thereafter	\$300,000	\$7.5 million	None