GOVERNOR'S GRANTS CONFERENCE 2017

GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF CRIME CONTROL & PREVENTION







State Administering Agency (SAA):

The Governor's Office of Crime Control & Prevention is Maryland's State Administering Agency in the application for, and administration of, Federal and State funds for public safety, victims of crime, crime control & prevention.

The Office is responsible for comprehensive criminal justice planning and policy development, and seeks to leverage state and federal grant dollars to address the needs of statewide and local criminal justice systems.

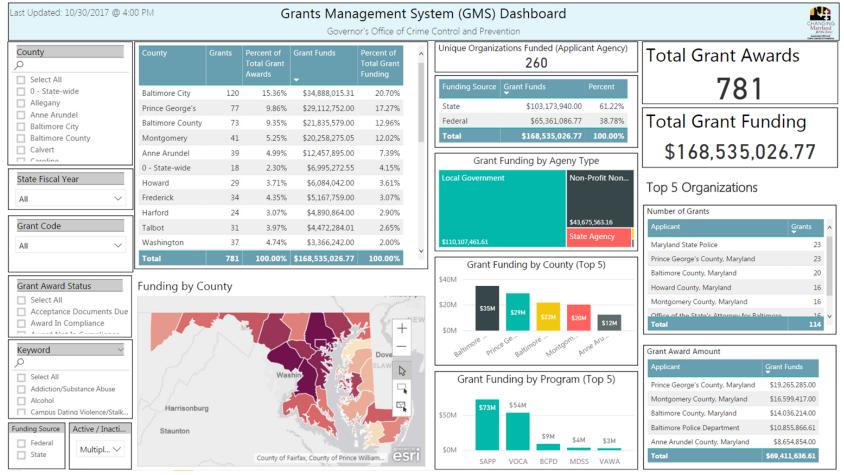


GRANT PROCESS OVERVIEW

- 1) Notice of Funding Availability
- 2) Technical Assistance Training & Videos
- 3) Acceptance of Applications
- 4) Application Review
- 5) Pre-award
- 6) Sub-award Monitoring

GRANT FUNDING





OBJECTIVE 1: IMPROVE VICTIM SERVICES FOR MARYLAND RESIDENTS



Victims of crime play a vital role in the criminal justice system. Maryland's programs and policies should acknowledge that victims have the right to information, the right to be present and provide input at criminal justice proceedings, the right to be heard in the criminal justice process, including the right to submit a victim impact statement at sentencing, parole, and other similar proceedings, the expectation of being treated with dignity and respect, and the right to receive restitution.





The Office administers several victim-centered federal and state funding sources that work to provide core and enhanced services to Maryland's victims and afford them these rights. You can find our grants posted with other state grant programs at www.grants.maryland.gov.

- Byrne Justice Assistance Grant (BJAG)
- Domestic Violence Unit Pilot program (DVUP)
- •Family Violence Prevention Services (FVPS)
- Improving Criminal Justice Responses (ICJR)
- Legal Services for Crime Victims (LSCV)
- •MD Victims of Crime Fund (MVOC)
- Community Sexual Assault Prevention and Awareness (RFPA)
- Sexual Assault Rape Crisis Center program (SARC)
- Sexual Assault Services Program (SASP)
- Survivors of Homicide Grant (SOHG)
- Violence against Women Act (VAWA)
- Victims of Crime Assistance (VOCA)





Governor Hogan wants Maryland to be a State in which decisions are driven by data. Further, he has asked the State to invest in evidence-based practices. To this end, it is the Office's intent to look for opportunities to collect, collate, and analyze data in order to produce accurate, timely, and actionable results throughout the State.

We believe by finding ways to increase and enhance data sharing while being mindful of legal, ethical, and privacy related concerns, we can better affect change to be fiscally responsible aqmd increase the quality of life for all Marylanders.





The Office administers federal and state funding sources that work to increase the availability of Data to Support Data-Driven Approaches to Criminal Justice Issues.

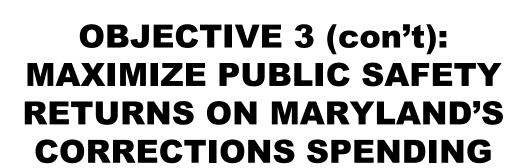
- Byrne Justice Assistance Grant (BJAG)
- Justice Information Sharing Solutions (JISS)
- Maryland Safe Streets Initiative (MDSS)
- Maryland Safe Streets Heroin Coordinators





In order to maximize the public safety return on taxpayers' corrections investment, the criminal justice system must differentiate between those offenders who should be behind bars to protect our streets, and those individuals who can be safely supervised in the community, often with better outcomes.

The Justice Reinvestment Initiative is a nationwide, data-driven approach to improve public safety, reduce corrections spending, and reinvest savings in strategies that can decrease crime and reduce recidivism.





The Office serves as the primary entity responsible for the oversight and implementation of the Justice Reinvestment Act. Local jurisdictions will play a large role in the justice reinvestment process.

The law establishes a Performance Incentive Grant Program Fund which will use averted corrections spending to reinvest in programs proven to reduce recidivism and lead to better public safety outcomes. While these reinvestments will occur several years down the road, the Office is currently funding programs that align with the principles of justice reinvestment.

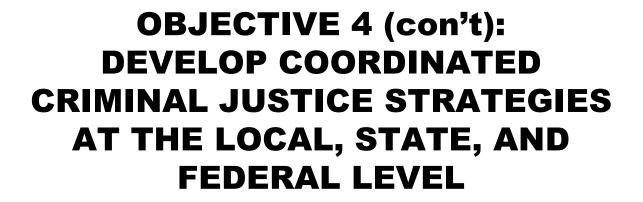
- Byrne Justice Assistance Grant (BJAG)
- Day Reporting Center (DRCE)
- •JRI Fund



OBJECTIVE 4: DEVELOP COORDINATED CRIMINAL JUSTICE STRATEGIES AT THE LOCAL, STATE, AND FEDERAL LEVEL

The Office coordinates with public safety partner agencies across the State, and within jurisdictions, to ensure the programs and initiatives funded are in sync for reducing crime and victimization. The Office views public safety partners at the local, state, and federal level as vital allies in our efforts to reduce crime and victimization. Through gathering local public safety priorities, the Office informs its statewide strategies.

The impact of the opioid crisis in Maryland has highlighted the need for information sharing and service coordination between all first responders, and specifically between public health and public safety to adequately address the issues impacting justice-involved citizens with substance use disorder.





The Office administers Federal and State funding that assists in reducing violent crime and addressing the opioid crisis that Maryland is facing.

- Byrne Justice Assistance Grant (BJAG)
- Community Grant Program Fund (CGPF)
- •Gun Violence Reduction Grant (GVRG)
- MD Safe Streets Initiative (MDSS)
- •OOCC Funding (Vivitrol)
- Project Safe Neighborhoods (PSNM)
- Residential Substance Abuse Treatment (RSAT)
- School Safety Enforcement (SBSE)
- Sex Offender Compliance and Enforcement (SOCM)
- Technology Improvement for Public Safety (TIPS)





The Office, in collaboration with our federally-mandated State Advisory Group, has aligned its federal juvenile justice priorities with diversion (which includes programs that address Disproportionate Minority Contact), alternatives to detention, probation, and aftercare/reentry.

Through these initiatives, youth are held accountable for their actions and are provided with resources that will ensure that they lead a successful, productive life as a law-abiding citizen. These initiatives offer restorative justice practices which includes the victim and community in the process and allows for accountability and healing.





Additionally, the Office supports system improvement projects for the administrative, judicial, and investigative handling of child abuse and neglect cases; forensic interviewing; human trafficking; internet crimes against children; and supports Children's Advocacy Centers.

The Office administers several federal and state funding sources that work to improve services to Maryland's children.

- Byrne Justice Assistance Grant (BJAG)
- Child Advocacy Centers (CACS)
- Children's Justice Act Committee (CJAC)
- Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC)
- •Title II Formula (JJAC)





The Governor's Office of Crime Control and Prevention is a participating member of the state Opioid Operational Command Center through its Public Safety branch.

- Manage and track the outcomes of the Heroin Coordinator program, a law enforcement-public health partnership.
- Participate in the data analysis unit, contributing data sets and guiding state focus of analysis.
- Coordinate the administration's opioid-related spending with the OOCC strategic spend plan to enable public safety response to the crisis.
- Contribute to the furtherance of Medication Assisted Treatment access, treatment in corrections, and improving outcomes for justice-involved individuals through grants and JRA efforts.