

# **FFY 2020 Coronavirus Emergency Supplemental Funding Program (CESF)**



## **Crimes Against Children/Sex Crimes COVID-19 Funding**

### **Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO)**

#### **Grant Issued By:**

U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ), Office of Justice Programs (OJP), Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA)

#### **Grant Issued Through:**

Missouri Department of Public Safety (DPS)

#### **Assistance Listing:**

16.034

#### **Funding Opportunity Title**

FFY 2020 Crimes Against Children/Sex Crimes COVID-19 Funding

#### **Funding Instrument:**

Grant

#### **Introduction**

The Missouri Department of Public Safety is pleased to announce the funding opportunity for the FFY 2020 Crimes Against Children/Sex Crimes COVID-19 Funding. This state administered, but federally funded program, is made available through the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ), Office of Justice Programs (OJP), Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA).

#### **Program Description**

The FFY 2020 Crimes Against Children/Sex Crimes COVID-19 Funding is being made available to law enforcement agencies and prosecutors involved in the investigation and prosecution of crimes against children, which increased during the COVID-19 pandemic. Eligible entities must demonstrate an increase in crimes against children in their application.

**Period of Performance:** 12 months

**Period of Performance Start Date:** October 1, 2021

**Period of Performance End Date:** September 30, 2022

**Maximum Award Amount:** \$300,000.00

**Eligible Applicants:**

The following Missouri entities are eligible to apply for the FFY 2020 Crimes Against Children/Sex Crimes COVID-19 Funding:

- Law Enforcement Agencies (State and Local)
- Prosecutors (State and Local)

**Application and Submission Information**

**1. Key Dates and Times**

- a. **Application Start Date:** August 2, 2021
- b. **Application Submission Deadline:** August 31, 2021 5:00 pm CST
- c. **Agreeing to Terms and Conditions of the Award**

By submitting an application for this opportunity, applicants agree to comply with the requirements of this NOFO and the terms and conditions of the award, should they receive an award.

**Applications will only be accepted through the Missouri Department of Public Safety (DPS) online WebGrants System. <https://dpsgrants.dps.mo.gov/index.do>**

As part of the FFY 2020 Crimes Against Children/Sex Crimes COVID-19 Funding application, eligible applicants must complete all application forms and provide all required documents:

- 1. Contact Information Form**
- 2. Project Package**
- 3. Budget**
- 4. Named Attachments**
  - a. **Audit/Financial Statement (REQUIRED)**
  - b. **Federal Fund Schedule (REQUIRED, if not included in Audit)**
  - c. **Other Supporting Documentation**

**Allowable Costs:**

- Personnel
- Benefits
- Overtime
- Travel/Training
- Equipment/Software
- Supplies
- Contractual

**Unallowable Costs**

- Items not listed on the approved budget
- Costs that are already included on an agencies current budget
- Costs incurred prior to the grant period of performance start date

**Supplanting**

Federal grant guidance prohibits supplanting, which is defined as deliberately reallocating state, local or agency funds because of the existence of the federal funds. Federal funds must increase or supplement the funding available for approved projects.

**Contact Information:**

Additional information and resources can be located on the Missouri Department of Public Safety, Office of Homeland Security website: <https://dps.mo.gov/dir/programs/ohs/grantstraining/>

WebGrants System, application submission site: <https://dpsgrants.dps.mo.gov/index.do>

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