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**BJS RELEASES STATE GOVERNMENT INDIGENT DEFENSE EXPENDITURES,
FY 2008–2012 AND INDIGENT DEFENSE SERVICES IN THE UNITED STATES,
FY 2008–2012**

WASHINGTON – The Department of Justice’s Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS) has released *State Government Indigent Defense Expenditures, FY 2008–2012*, and *Indigent Defense Services in the United States, FY 2008–2012*. The state government report details trends in spending and comparisons with total state government judicial-legal expenditures. It provides both indigent defense expenditures for services directly provided by the state and those that were intergovernmental transfers to fund local services. The indigent defense services report provides a breakdown of the indigent defense system for each state and the District of Columbia, including information on administration, methods of operation, and funding. Both reports use data from the U.S. Census Bureau’s Annual Survey of Government Finances and state government budget and appropriation documents.

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