Apply for Funding

Getting a federal grant doesn’t have to be complicated. These resources make it as easy as 1 – 2 – 3.

1. FIND. Search for funding opportunities using the DOJ Program Plan, available at justice.gov/grants.

2. LEARN. Learn how to use the Grants.gov registration and application site at the Grants.gov YouTube channel (search “Grants Gov”).

3. APPLY. Follow the instructions in the OJP Grant Application Resource Guide, available at OJP.gov/funding.

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Explore the evidence at CrimeSolutions.gov.
OJP Program Offices

**Bureau of Justice Assistance**
BJA strengthens American communities by providing grants, training and technical assistance, and policy development services that—
- Support law enforcement
- Reduce violent and drug-related crime
- Combat victimization

Learn more at BJA.ojp.gov

**Bureau of Justice Statistics**
BJS is the principal source for statistics on crimes, offenders, victims, and the justice system. BJS can help you—
- Stay up-to-date on crime statistics
- Support improvements to state and local criminal justice information systems
- Improve criminal-history records

Learn more at BJS.gov

**National Institute of Justice**
NIJ is the leader in researching what works in criminal justice. The agency helps—
- Explore the dynamics of crime and advance the national response to crime using science
- Evaluate justice program effectiveness
- Establish law enforcement technology standards

Learn more at NIJ.ojp.gov

**Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention**
OJJDP provides national leadership and resources to help states and tribes prevent and respond to juvenile delinquency and child victimization. OJJDP’s work helps—
- Enhance public safety
- Ensure youth are held accountable to both crime victims and communities
- Empower youth to live productive, law-abiding lives

Learn more at OJJDP.ojp.gov

**Office for Victims of Crime**
OVC raises awareness of crime victims’ issues and supports programs that help all victims in the aftermath of crime. The office supports—
- Critical direct services
- Victim assistance training
- Technical assistance with implementing programs
- Capacity building that enhances victim services

Learn more at OVC.gov

**Office for Sex Offender Sentencing, Monitoring, Apprehending, Registering, and Tracking**
SMART helps jurisdictions meet federal sex offender registration and notification standards. SMART supports states, tribes, principal U.S. territories, and local jurisdictions by—
- Supporting efforts to implement and maintain sex offender registration and notification systems
- Providing technical assistance

Learn more at SMART.gov

Your Partner for Safer Communities

OJP is the federal government’s leading source of funding for state, tribal, and local criminal and juvenile justice agencies. Through its six program offices, OJP helps agencies improve their ability to enforce laws, prosecute offenders, protect their officers, and support crime victims.

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