Develop, sustain, and strengthen a collaborative research and knowledge-building enterprise in DOJ

- Information sharing
- New collaborative activities
- Strengthen knowledge-building and research efforts
- Develop innovative research strategies
RCC Is Now Active

• Ten agencies compose the membership
  – Six OJP program agencies, OAAG, OVW, COPS, NIC

• Initial meetings are monthly

• Chair rotates among members with NIJ providing organizational support

• Potential to form committees
  – Dissemination, research training, open access
Members Have Been Sharing Hopes

- Increase the quantity and quality of research projects, particularly cross-agency collaborations
- Improve identification of areas in need of scientific inquiry
- Exchange information on the expertise and capabilities of staff
- Engage with research activities outside of OJP
- Avoid redundancy
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