

2020 - Sexual Assault Services Formula Program (SASP) Special Conditions

A. Crime Victims Services (CVS) Requirements:

1. **Future Funding:** The capacity for VOCA, S.T.O.P. VAWA, and/or Sexual Assault Services Program (SASP) formula grant funds to provide future continuation dollars for projects is undetermined at this time. Grantee Agencies are advised to seek other funding sources, especially for personnel dollars.
2. Grantee Agency shall notify the Office for Victims Programs (OVP) if the agency has obtained funding for a specific (CVS) funded position that totals more than 100% of the cost for that position. The agency must resolve the allocation of funds to the satisfaction of the Division of Criminal Justice.
3. Grantee Agency must notify the Office for Victims Programs (OVP) immediately in writing, in the method determined by DCJ, of:
 - any CVS grant funded personnel changes;
 - any CVS grant funded position that is vacant for 45 days;
 - any change of an Official and/or employee who is listed as responsible party on this CVS grant funded project.
4. **State Confidentiality of Victims Information:** The Grantee Agency certifies that the signing authorities, all staff and volunteers assigned to the project have read and understand, state laws and applicable rules of professional conduct related to issues of confidentiality and privilege, particularly with respect to releasing identifying information about victims of crime, include, but not limited to, those found in C.R.S. §13-90-107.
5. **Colorado Victims Rights Act (Applies to Government Agencies only):** The Grantee Agency assures that the application signatories, all staff and all volunteers assigned to the funded project have read and understand the rights afforded to crime victims pursuant to §24-4.1-302.5 C.R.S., and the services delineated pursuant to §24-4.1-303 and 24-4.1-304 C.R.S., commonly known as the Victim Rights Act, and enabling legislation.

B. SASP Award Conditions:

1. Compliance with certifications

The grantee agrees that it must be in compliance with requirements outlined in the solicitation under which the approved application was submitted, and any program-specific frequently asked questions (FAQs) on the OVW website (<https://www.justice.gov/ovw/resources-and-faqs-grantees>).

2. Performance progress reports and final report submission

The grantee agrees to provide DCJ with specific information made under this award. The grantee agrees to submit a quarterly narrative report that includes: a) an assessment of whether stated goals and objectives were achieved; b) information on the effectiveness of

activities carried out with grant funds, including the number of persons served and the number of persons seeking services who could not be served; and c) such other information as DCJ may prescribe. Grantees are required to submit this report after the end of each quarter. Grantees must use the designated forms and/or systems made available by DCJ for performance reporting, which identify the information that grantees and subgrantees must collect and report as a condition of receiving funding under this award.

3. Grantee program income

The grantee understands and agrees that it has responsibility to report program income earned. Program income, as defined by 2 C.F.R. 200.80, means gross income earned by a non-federal entity that is directly generated by a supported activity or earned as a result of the federal award during the period of performance. Without prior approval, program income must be deducted from total allowable costs to determine the net allowable costs. In order to add program income to the award, grantees must seek approval from DCJ prior to generating any program income. Any program income added to the award must be used to support activities that were approved in the budget and follow the conditions of the grant agreement. Any program income approved by DCJ must be reported by the grantee to DCJ. If the program income amount changes (increases or decreases) during the project period, DCJ must provide approval by the end of the project period. Failure to comply with these requirements may result in audit findings.

4. Subgrantee product monitoring

The grantee agrees to monitor subgrantees to ensure that materials and products (written, visual, or sound) developed with OVW formula grant program funding fall within the scope of the grant program and do not compromise victim safety.

5. Publication disclaimer

The grantee agrees that all materials and publications (written, web-based, audio-visual, or any other format) resulting from award activities shall contain the following statement: "This project was supported by Grant No. _____ awarded by the Office on Violence Against Women, U.S. Department of Justice. The opinions, findings, conclusions, and recommendations expressed in this publication/program/exhibition are those of the author(s) and do not necessarily reflect the views of the U.S. Department of Justice." The grantee also agrees to ensure that any subgrantee at any tier will comply with this condition.

6. Publication disclaimer for SAS Formula subgrantees

The grantee agrees that all materials and publications (written, web-based, audio-visual, or any other format) resulting from subaward activities shall contain the following statement: "This project was supported by Subgrant No. _____ awarded by the state administering office for the Office on Violence Against Women, U.S. Department of Justice's SAS Formula Grant Program. The opinions, findings, conclusions, and recommendations expressed in this publication/program/exhibition are those of the author(s) and do not necessarily reflect the views of the state or the U.S. Department of Justice."

7. Copyrighted works

Pursuant to 2 C.F.R. 200.315(b), the grantee may copyright any work that is subject to copyright and was developed, or for which ownership was acquired, under this award. DCJ

and OVW reserves a royalty-free, nonexclusive, and irrevocable right to reproduce, publish, or otherwise use the work, in whole or in part (including in the creation of derivative works), for federal purposes, and to authorize others to do so.

DCJ and OVW also reserves a royalty-free, nonexclusive, and irrevocable right to reproduce, publish, or otherwise use, in whole or in part (including in the creation of derivative works), any work developed by a subgrantee ("subgrantee") of this award, for federal purposes, and to authorize others to do so.

In addition, the grantee (or subgrantee, contractor, or subcontractor of this award at any tier) must obtain advance written approval from DCJ, and must comply with all conditions specified by the program manager in connection with that approval, before: 1) using award funds to purchase ownership of, or a license to use, a copyrighted work; or 2) incorporating any copyrighted work, or portion thereof, into a new work developed under this award.

It is the responsibility of the grantee (and of each subgrantee, contractor, or subcontractor as applicable) to ensure that this condition is included in any subaward, contract, or subcontract under this award.

8. Use of funds for direct intervention and related assistance

The grantee agrees that funds will only be used for the provision of direct intervention and related assistance to victims of sexual violence and their family and household members, including 24-hour crisis line services, medical and criminal justice/civil legal accompaniment, advocacy, and short term individual and group support counseling. Funds cannot be used towards prevention education efforts, projects focused on training allied professionals and/or communities, or the establishment or maintenance of Sexual Assault Response Teams.

9. Nonprofit status of subgrantees

The grantee will verify that subgrantees ("subgrantees"), except governmental rape crisis centers and tribal governmental programs, are organizations that are described in section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and are exempt from taxation under section 501(a) of that Code.

10. Categorical Exclusion for Colorado Division of Criminal Justice

The Sexual Assault Services Formula Program (SAS Formula Program) was created by the Violence Against Women and Department of Justice Reauthorization Act of 2005 (VAWA 2005), 34 U.S.C. § 12511. The SAS Formula Program directs grant dollars to states and territories to assist them in supporting rape crisis centers (including governmental rape crisis centers not in territories and tribal governmental programs) and nonprofit, nongovernmental organizations that provide core services, direct intervention, and related assistance to victims of sexual assault, regardless of age. Funds provided through the SAS Formula Program are designed to supplement other funding sources directed at addressing sexual assault on the state and territorial levels. Rape crisis centers and other nonprofit organizations, such as dual programs providing both domestic violence and sexual assault intervention services, play a vital role in assisting sexual assault victims through the healing process, as well as assisting victims through the medical, criminal justice, and other social support systems. In order to provide comprehensive services to victims of sexual assault, the SAS Formula Program

assists states and territories in supporting rape crisis centers and other nonprofit organizations in the provision of direct intervention and related assistance.

1. New construction.
2. Any renovation or remodeling of a property located in an environmentally or historically sensitive area, including property (a) listed on or eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places, or (b) located within a 100-year flood plain, a wetland, or habitat for an endangered species.
3. A renovation which will change the basic prior use of a facility or significantly change its size.
4. Research and technology whose anticipated and future application could be expected to have an effect on the environment.
5. Implementation of a program involving the use of chemicals.

In addition, the OVW federal action is neither a phase nor a segment of a project that, when reviewed in its entirety, would not meet the criteria for a categorical exclusion.

Consequently, the subject federal action meets the Office on Violence Against Women's criteria for a categorical exclusion as contained in paragraph 4(b) of Appendix D to Part 61 of Title 28 of the Code of Federal Regulations (adopted by OVW at 28 CFR § 0.122(b)). Also, no further analysis is required under the National Historic Preservation Act or other related statutes and regulations.