

OVW Funding Programs Relevant to State and Local Courts

Activities to Address Limited English Proficiency (LEP) and Access to Justice

FUNDING PROGRAM NAME	STATE COURTS ELIGIBLE (Y/N) ¹	LEP SERVICES ALLOWABLE COSTS? (Y/N) ²	FY09 AWARD RECIPIENTS ³	FUNDING PROGRAM INFORMATION	FY10 APPROPRIATIONS
Grants to Encourage Arrest Policies and Enforcement of Protection Orders Program	Y	Y	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/fy2009-grants-content.htm#0	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/arrest_grant_desc.htm	\$60,000,000
Grants to Reduce Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking on Campus	N	Y	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/fy2009-grants-content.htm#0	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/campus_desc.htm	\$9,500,000
Grants to Assist Children and Youth Exposed to Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking	N	Y	N/A	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/youth-violence.htm	\$3,000,000
Grants to Enhance	N	Y	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/fy2009-grants-content.htm#0	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/cultural_ly-specific.htm	\$7,650,000 (funded by 5% set-aside from Arrest,

¹ State courts are among the entities eligible to receive direct OVW funding from the four programs listed below. Most of the funding from these programs (other than the Court Training and Improvements Program) does not go to courts; the funding is allocated through a competitive process to a variety of projects and entities allowable under the rules of a given program. LEP services might be a main, or even significant, component of only a small subset of these projects.

² LEP activities/services must pertain to the purpose of the grant and be approved by OVW in advance, in accordance with specific grant conditions. LEP activities/services are technically allowable to some extent under these programs, but may still be quite limited in scope and may have little or no connection to courts. For example, Arrest Program grants could support interpreter services in a domestic violence court or docket, whereas Supervised Visitation grants could only be used for interpreter services in conjunction with providing supervised visitation and exchange services to families.

³ These links provide a list of entities receiving funding under this program in FY 2009.

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Culturally and Linguistically Specific Services for Victims of Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking Program					LAV, Rural, Elder, and Disabilities Programs)
Court Training and Improvements Program	Y	Y	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/fy2009-grants-content.htm#0	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/court-training.htm	\$3,000,000
Education, Training, and Enhanced Services to End Violence Against and Abuse of Women with Disabilities Program	N	Y	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/fy2009-grants-content.htm#0	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/WomenwithDisabilitiesBrief2002.htm	\$6,750,000
Enhanced Training and Services to End Violence and Abuse of Women in Later Life Program	N	Y	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/fy2009-grants-content.htm#0	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/ElderAbuse2002programbrief.htm	\$4,250,000
Engaging Men and Youth in Preventing Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence and Stalking Grant Program	N	N	N/A	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/men-youth.htm	\$3,000,000
Legal Assistance for Victims Grant Program	N	Y	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/fy2009-grants-content.htm#0	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/lav_grant_desc.htm	\$41,000,000
Rural Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking Assistance Program	Y	Y	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/fy2009-grants-content.htm#0	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/rural_grant_desc.htm	\$41,000,000
Sexual Assault Services	N	Y	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/fy2009-grants-content.htm#0	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/sasp.htm	\$9,848,833 (funded by

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Formula Grant Program			grants-content.htm#0	m	minimum 65% set aside from Sexual Assault Services Program appropriation)
Sexual Assault Services Culturally Specific Grant Program	N	Y	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/fy2009-grants-content.htm#0	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/sasp.htm	\$1,500,00 (funded by 10% set aside from Sexual Assault Services Program appropriation)
Tribal Sexual Assault Services Program ⁴	N	Y	N/A	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/sasp.htm	\$1,500,000 (funded by 10% set aside from Sexual Assault Services Program appropriation)
Grants to State Sexual Assault and Domestic Violence Coalitions and Sexual Assault Services to State Coalitions Program	N	N	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/fy2009-grants-content.htm#0	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/state_grant_desc.htm	\$11,850,000 (funded by two 2.5% set asides from STOP Formula appropriation and 9% set aside from Sexual Assault Services Program appropriation)
STOP Violence Against Women Formula Grant Program	N ⁵	Y	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/fy2009-grants-content.htm#0	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/stop_grant_desc.htm	\$210,000,000 (less \$3,000,000 transfer to NIJ, \$18,000,000 for Transitional Housing Program, and set asides for Tribal Governments, and State and Tribal Coalitions)
Safe Havens: Supervised Visitation and Safe Exchange Grant Program	N	Y	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/fy2009-grants-content.htm#0	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/safehaven_desc.htm	\$14,000,000

⁴ In FY 2010, OVW's Tribal Sexual Assault Services and Grants to Indian Tribal Governments Programs were both included in the Department's Coordinated Tribal Assistance Solicitation (CTAS). These two tribal programs will also be part of the FY 2011 CTAS process.

⁵ State courts are eligible as STOP Formula subgrantees.

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Supporting Teens through Education and Protection (STEP) Program	N	Y	N/A	42 U.S.C. § 14043c-3	\$2,500,000
Transitional Housing Assistance Grants for Victims of Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking Program	N	Y	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/fy2009-grants-content.htm#0	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/thousin_g_grant_desc.htm	\$18,000,000 set aside from STOP Formula appropriation
Tribal Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Coalitions and Special Tribal Sexual Assault Coalition Program	N	N	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/fy2009-grants-content.htm#0	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/TribalCol.htm	\$3,930,000 (funded by 1/56 set aside from STOP Formula appropriation and 1% from Sexual Assault Services Program)
Grants to Indian Tribal Governments Program	N	Y	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/fy2009-grants-content.htm#0	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/indian-tribal-gov-grant.htm	\$37,470,000 (funded by set asides from seven OVW grant programs)
Services to Advocate for and Respond to Youth Program	N	Y	N/A	http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/youth-services.htm	\$3,500,000