

STOP VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN ACT

PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION PLAN FOR THE STATE OF TEXAS
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I. Introduction

The Texas Office of the Governor, in coordination with our valued stakeholders, have established the FY 2022 through 2025 STOP Violence Against Women Act Implementation Plan which includes strategies to effectively utilize funding to combat violence against women in Texas. This plan was approved on the 2nd of March, 2022, by the Governor’s Public Safety Office (PSO) which serves as the State Administering Agency for the STOP formula grant program. PSO may update the plan as required should modifications and conditions to the federal awards issued to the State of Texas arise.

PSO’s mission is to “...improve public safety, support victims of crime, prevent terrorism, and prepare communities for the threats and hazards that pose the greatest risk to Texans.”¹ The Victim Services Team within PSO is responsible for the daily administration of STOP funds with the overall goal of assisting victims of crime by providing resources needed to support healing and restoration while also promoting coordinated local service systems.

Funding is competitively awarded based on state priorities included in this plan as well as any local priorities identified within each of Texas’ 24 Regional Councils of Government (COGs). In accordance with 34 U.S.C. 10446(c)(4), PSO allocates STOP funding amongst five categories as follows:

- 25% Law enforcement
- 25% Prosecution
- 5% Courts
- 30% Non-profit (non-governmental) victim services providers
- 15% Discretionary

The Implementation Planning Committee is comprised of The Texas Council on Family Violence (TCFV), which is our state domestic violence coalition, The Texas Association Against Sexual Assault (TAASA), which is our state sexual assault coalition, the Texas District and County Attorneys Association (TDCAA) representing prosecutors, the Office of Court Administration (OCA) representing courts, the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement (TCOLE) representing law enforcement, Texas’ Sexual Assault Survivors’ Task Force, the Ysleta Del Sur Pueblo Tribe, Alabama Coushatta Tribe, Kickapoo Traditional Tribe, Lipan Apache Tribe, the Yaqui Tribe, Casa de Misericordia representing culturally specific populations, and the Lubbock Rape Crisis Center representing rural communities (whom have been identified as an underserved population). In addition to these members, stakeholders throughout Texas have been asked to provide input to assess current needs and identify emerging topics that may be addressed in our upcoming funding cycles.

¹ Office of the Governor, Public Safety Office 2019-2020 Biennial Report, pg. 2. Available at: <https://gov.texas.gov/uploads/files/organization/criminal-justice/PSO-Biennial-Report-2019-2020.pdf>

II. Needs and Context

A significant part of any planning process involves identifying, gathering, and analyzing data to inform and help set priorities. The first step is conducting a needs assessment to determine what current data is available relating to service gaps, underserved populations, geographic challenges, unmet needs, as well as current priorities set by victim service coalitions in the State.

A needs assessment allows for the creation of a starting point in the planning process. One must identify, based on quantitative and qualitative data, the largest challenges and unmet needs in order to properly implement priorities or goals to address those identified issues. A needs assessment is two-fold 1) it validates the need for setting a certain priority and 2) sets a tangible activity to measure success or failure of that funding priority. PSO conducted both an assessment of geographical/population data to identify underserved populations as well as an assessment of statutory STOP program activities related to domestic/dating violence and sexual assault to identify gaps and unmet needs across law enforcement, prosecution, and victim services activities.

Demographics

The 2020 US Census placed Texas second in the nation in overall population at a total of 29,024,877. This is a population increase of roughly 16.2% since 2010 (Figure 1). Texas is the second largest state in the United States both in terms of population and geography. At its widest and longest, Texas stretches almost 1,000 miles from north to south and east to west. This massive area includes a diverse population that has experienced significant growth since 2010.

Race/Ethnicity	2010	% of 2010 Population	2020	% of 2020 Population	Growth in Population	Growth (%)	Change in % of Population
Anglo	11,391,179	46%	11,946,303	41%	555,124	4.87%	-4.10%
Hispanic	9,454,930	38%	11,511,365	40%	2,056,435	21.75%	2.10%
Black	2,967,239	12%	3,740,469	13%	773,230	26.06%	1.10%
Other	1,156,720	5%	1,826,741	6%	670,020	57.92%	1.70%
Total	24,970,068	100%	29,024,877	100%	4,054,809	16.24%	0.00%

Figure 1

Source: U.S. Census Bureau

Hispanic

The Hispanic population grew 21.75% between 2010 and 2020, an increase of just over 2 million people (Figure 1). Unfortunately this growth has outpaced culturally-specific latinx services, 42% of respondents to PSO's STOP Needs Assessment survey noted that they are either somewhat or not able to serve the Hispanic, Latino, and Spanish-speaking communities in Texas.² Bilingual services in English and Spanish are also consistent needs in Texas due to its

² Public Safety Office, 2021. *STOP Needs Assessment*.

proximity to Latin America and the growing Hispanic population. Spanish is the second most spoken language in Texas, with 6.9 million listed as Spanish speaking³. Due to the lack of culturally-specific latinx services, victims have consistently reported higher rates of isolation within domestic violence shelters, lack of cultural understanding among service providers, and fear of law enforcement and other legal processes.⁴ This dynamic is two-fold where the lack of culturally-specific services has also led to the underutilization of services that are currently available. “Latina women, for example...underutilize domestic violence-related resources”.⁵

Black/African American

The 2020 US Census indicated that the African American population also experienced a significant growth of 26% between 2010 and 2020, an increase from 2,967,239 to 3,740,469. African American Texans now make up 13% of the population, a 1.1% increase from 2010 (Figure 1). Similar to Texas’ Hispanic population, only 23% of respondents to PSO’s STOP Needs Assessment survey reported being either somewhat or not able to serve the Black and African American population.⁶ Black and African American victims also disproportionately report higher rates of common barriers such as culturally-responsive interventions and providers, stigma, isolation and discrimination.⁷

Other Underserved Populations

Rural

As common across the country, Texas’ population has seen a dramatic shift towards urban areas of the state. According to the Texas Demographic Center, the urban-rural divide is currently an 85-15 percent split; which has shifted exponentially from rural to urban in every decennial census since 1850.⁸ Large expanses of Texas, particularly West Texas, are comprised of rural counties. 152 of Texas’ 254 counties are designated as rural by having a population of 25,000 or less (Figure 2).⁹

³ US Census Bureau’s 2009-2013 American Community Survey

⁴ Texas Council on Family Violence, 2020. *Understanding the Needs of Underserved Communities in Texas*. Available at: <https://texas-state-plan.tcfv.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/09/Understanding-the-Needs-of-Underserved-Communities-8.20.pdf>.

⁵ Ibid.

⁶ Public Safety Office, 2021. *STOP Needs Assessment*.

⁷ Texas Council on Family Violence, 2020. *Understanding the Needs of Underserved Communities in Texas*. Available at: <https://texas-state-plan.tcfv.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/09/Understanding-the-Needs-of-Underserved-Communities-8.20.pdf>.

⁸ Texas Demographic Center, 2017. *Urban Texas*. Available at: https://demographics.texas.gov/Resources/publications/2017/2017_08_21_UrbanTexas.pdf.

⁹ Texas Government Code, Chapter 2006. *Agency Actions Affecting Small Business and Rural Communities*. Available at: <https://statutes.capitol.texas.gov/Docs/GV/htm/GV.2006.htm#2006.001>.

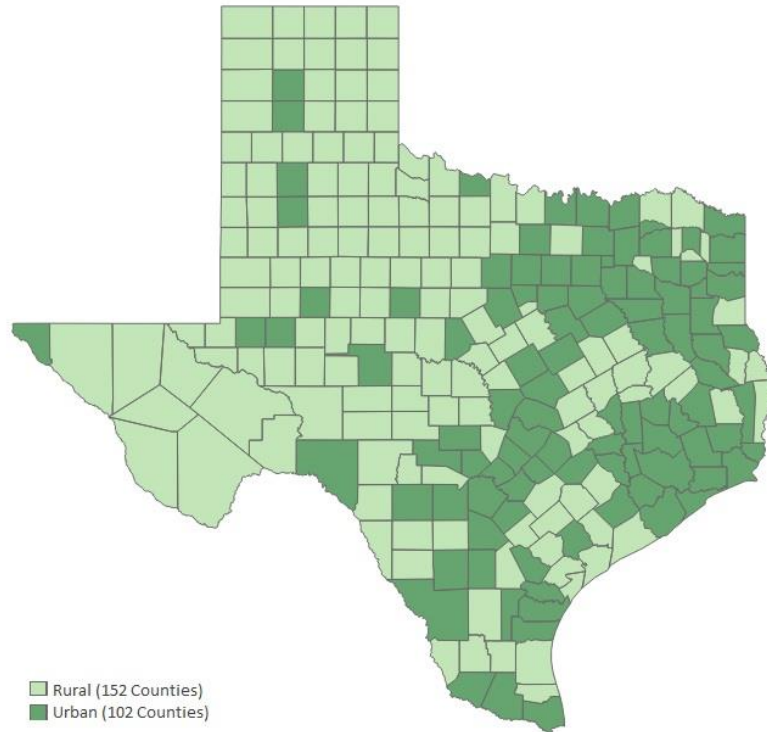


Figure 2

Source: U.S. Census Bureau

In addition, the 2020 U.S. Census data corroborates this trend of populations in Texas not only decreasing in rural areas but also increasing in the suburbs and urban areas (Figure 3). It is important to note, the Austin Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA) and San Antonio MSA saw upwards of a 30 percent growth in population whereas various rural counties saw the same reverse percentage in population decline; again highlighting the shift in Texas' population from rural to urban/suburban areas.

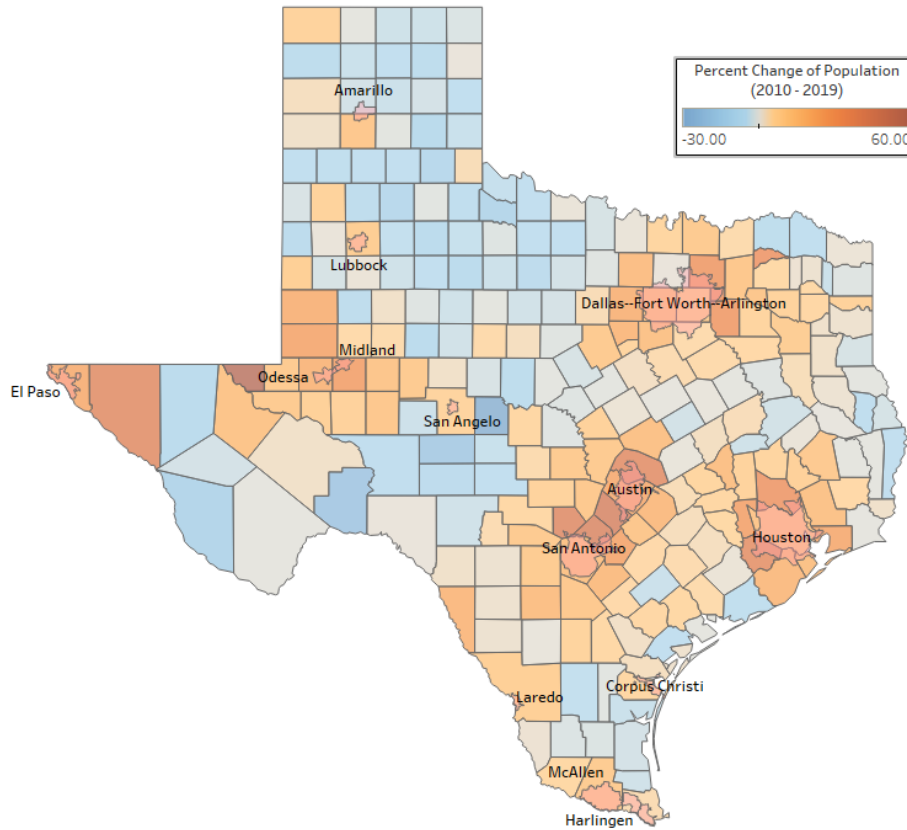


Figure 3

Source: U.S. Census Bureau

A continuation of these recent migration patterns could have significant implications on both the composition of the future Texas population as well as the availability of direct services in rural areas. The latter of which is already well documented by TCFV; which serves as the state domestic violence coalition. TCFV specifically notes services for domestic violence survivors in rural communities can be challenging for several reasons. With limited resources, rural programs tend to have less “bells and whistles” than their urban counterparts. Some of the larger barriers to services in rural communities include access to consistent mental health services, transportation, and potential social isolation in a small community.¹⁰ Further, the Institute on Domestic Violence & Sexual Assault (IDVSA) has also studied a significant disparity in urban versus rural service delivery; particularly in Upper East Texas and Southeast Texas. IDVSA specifically notes a lack of transportation options and resources that is directly attributable to a lack of service coverage in rural areas.¹¹ IDVSA builds upon TCFV’s report by highlighting some of the same conclusions such as “few or no therapists available” and “lack of transportation as a major impediment” in rural areas.¹² The ramifications of these findings can be visually seen in the location of emergency shelters and crisis centers across Texas. In the map below, vast expanses

¹⁰ Texas Council on Family Violence, 2020. Understanding the Needs of Underserved Communities in Texas. Available at: <https://texas-state-plan.tcfv.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/09/Understanding-the-Needs-of-Underserved-Communities-8.20.pdf>.

¹¹ Institute on Domestic Violence & Sexual Assault (IDVSA), 2020. Resources for Texas Sexual Assault Survivors. Available at: <https://sites.utexas.edu/idvsa/1590-tx-survivors-study/>.

¹² Ibid.

of rural Texas are without a service provider; translating to hundreds of miles for some rural victims to travel in order to receive necessary services (Figure 4).

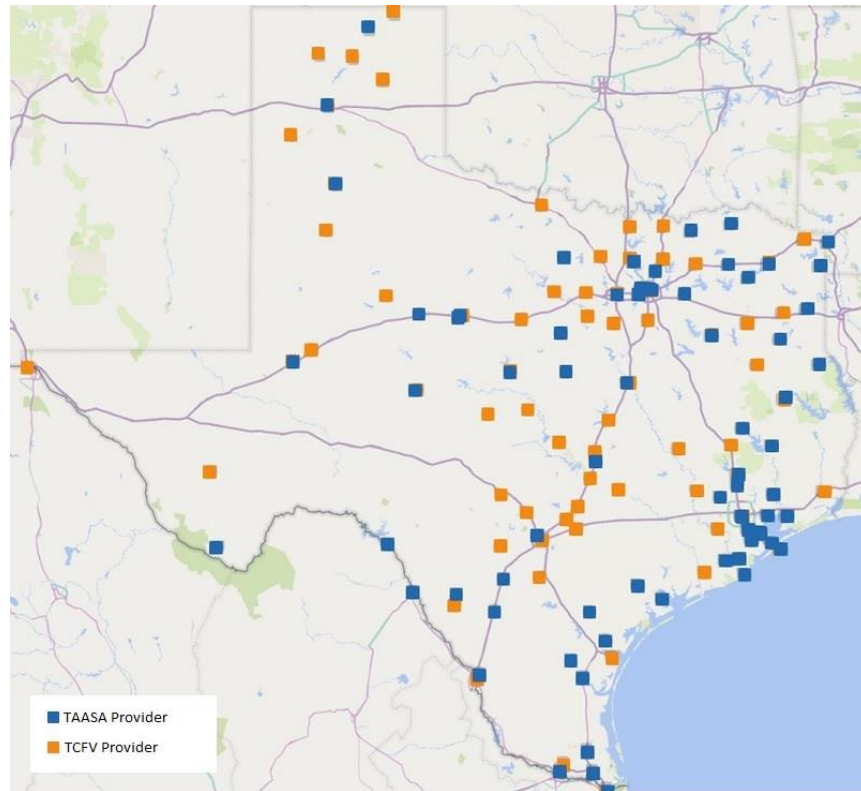


Figure 4

Source: TAASA, TCFV, PSO

Limited English Proficiency

In addition to a large Spanish-speaking population discussed above, Texas has also seen a growth in other demographics that disproportionately report English as their second language or low levels of fluency; commonly known as Limited English Proficiency (LEP). Of the 42 respondents to PSO’s STOP Needs Assessment, only 12 reported being “Very Able” to serve the Asian/Pacific Islander (API) population in their community.¹³ The API population grew from 980,698 to 1,536,782 from 2010 to 2020, an increase of about 36% (Figure 5).

Race/Ethnicity	2010	% of 2010 Population	2020	% of 2020 Population	Growth in Population	Growth (%)	Change in % of Population
Asian/PI	980,698	4%	1,536,782	5%	556,084	36.18%	1.40%

Figure 5

Source: U.S Census Bureau American Community Survey

¹³ Ibid.

Vietnamese, Chinese, and Tagalog are the three most spoken languages in the state after English and Spanish (Figure 6). Language specific services for Asian/Pacific Islander communities are of great need according to TCFV’s Understanding the Needs of Underserved Communities in Texas report, which states that language barriers may make domestic violence organizations unapproachable to non-English speaking survivors.¹⁴ Moreover, service providers also report a higher level of turnover with bilingual staff as these staff are typically the only member tasked with working with this population “which impacts their well-being and ability to do normal things like take a vacation”.¹⁵

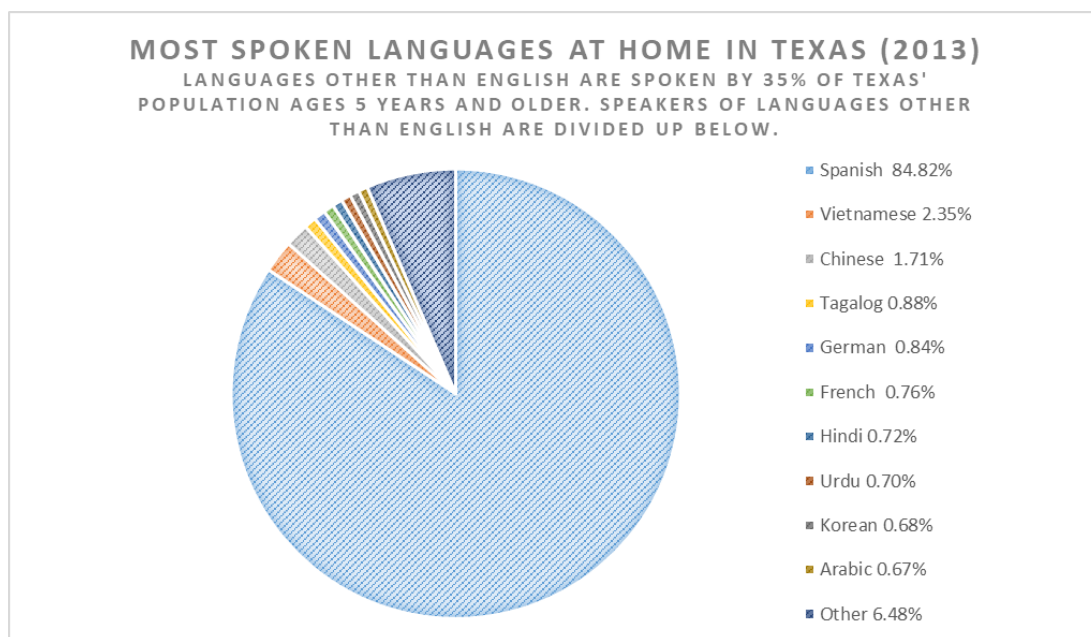


Figure 6

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2009-2013 American Community Survey

Elderly

The elderly population (persons 65 years and older) grew 44% between 2010 and 2020, an increase of 1,150,421 (Figure 7). TCFV’s 2020 Honoring Texas Victims report states there is an upward trend in the number of fatalities in women ages 50+ as well as 8 percent of all intimate partner homicides were of women over the age of 60; the second highest level in recent years.¹⁶ The University of Texas Medical Branch’s (UTMB) Older Survivors of Sexual Assault and Domestic Violence report surveyed over 200 sexual assault and domestic violence survivors aged 50 and up. Over 36% of survey participants had experienced domestic violence in the past year and more than 20% of older women surveyed experienced stalking within the past year.¹⁷

¹⁴ Texas Council on Family Violence, 2020. *Understanding the Needs of Underserved Communities in Texas*. Available at: <https://texas-state-plan.tcfv.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/09/Understanding-the-Needs-of-Underserved-Communities-8.20.pdf>.

¹⁵ Ibid.

¹⁶ Texas Council on Family Violence, 2020. *Honoring Texas Victims*. Available at: https://2mg7g749lu2112sis323nkkn-wpengine.netdna-ssl.com/wp-content/uploads/tcfv_hvtv_rprt_2020.pdf

¹⁷ University of Texas Medical Branch, 2021. *Older Survivors of Sexual Assault and Domestic Violence*. Available at: <https://www.utmb.edu/cvp/divisions/evaluation/older-survivors-of-sexual-and-domestic-violence-report-release>.

The survey highlighted the need for a coordinated and robust criminal justice system response to support the needs of older victims.

Age	2010	% of 2010 Population	2020	% of 2020 Population	Growth in Population	Growth %	Change in % of Population
Persons 65 years and over	2,590,047	10.30%	3,740,469	12.90%	1,150,421	44%	2.60%

Figure 7

Source: US Census Bureau

Tribal

The Ysleta Del Sur Pueblo, Alabama Coushatta, and Kickapoo Traditional Tribe are the three federally recognized tribes in the state. The two state recognized tribes are the Lipan Apache in south Texas, and the Yaqui in the panhandle of Texas. The American Indian and Alaskan Native population has grown from 176,023 in 2010 to 289,959 in 2020 (Figure 8). The Alabama Coushatta have over 1,300 members,¹⁸ and the Kickapoo Traditional Tribe has about 900 registered members.¹⁹ The Ysleta Del Sur Pueblo in West Texas includes 4,000 members throughout the US.²⁰ The Lipan Apache reside in South Texas and have a registered population of about 3,400.²¹

Race/Ethnicity	2010	% of 2010 Population	2020	% of 2020 Population	Growth in Population	Growth %	Change in % of Population
American Indian and Alaskan Native	176,023	0.70%	289,959	1.00%	113,936	64.7%	0.30%

Figure 8

Source: US Census Bureau

LGBT

A 2015 report by the Williams Institute of UCLA reviewed over forty studies on the prevalence of intimate partner violence and sexual abuse among lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender people. The findings indicate that LGBT individuals are susceptible to intimate partner violence at a rate as high as or higher than the general population of the United States. LGBT victims also face multiple barriers to accessing help that are unique to their sexual orientation and gender identity. 56.9% of bisexual women, and 40.4% of gay/lesbian women reported experiencing intimate partner violence, compared to 32.3% of heterosexual women²². In addition to individuals who identify as LGBT being consistently at a higher risk of experiencing intimate partner violence, the “added dimensions of stigma and fear associated with their sexual orientation or gender expression... they experience when seeking services, make them less likely

¹⁸ Alabama Coushatta, 2021. *Our History*. Available at: <https://www.alabama-coushatta.com/about-us/our-history/>

¹⁹ Kickapoo Traditional Tribe of Texas, 2021. *Welcome*. Available at: <https://kickapootexas.org/>

²⁰ Ysleta del sur Pueblo, 2021. *About Us*. Available at: <https://www.ysletadelsurpueblo.org/about-us>

²¹ Lipan Apache Tribe, 2021. *Our Sacred History: Who We Are*. Available at: <https://www.lipanapache.org/AboutUs.html>

²² UCLA, School of Law Williams Institute, 2015. *Intimate Partner Violence and Sexual Abuse Among LGBT People*. Available at: <https://williamsinstitute.law.ucla.edu/publications/ipv-sex-abuse-lgbt-people/>

to seek services in mainstream intimate partner violence organizations”²³. Shelter and legal services remain at the top of the list of the services that are the underutilized by LGBT victims. Shelters are traditionally set up to serve primarily heterosexual women which can be isolating for those that do not conform to a specific identity.²⁴

Disabled

Texans under the age of 65 with a disability make up 7.9% of the state population in 2020, an increase from 7.4% of the 2010 population (Figure 9). The US Census Bureau gathers data on disabilities caused by hearing, vision, cognitive, ambulatory, self-care, and independent living difficulties. Of the 42 respondents to PSO’s STOP Needs Assessment, 18 reported being either “Somewhat Able” or “Not Able” to serve the disabled population in their community.²⁵

Health	2010	% of 2010 Population	2020	% of 2020 Population	Growth in Population	Growth %	Change in % of Population
With a disability, under age 65 years	1,834,139	7.4%	2,292,965	7.9%	458,826	25%	.5%

Figure 9

Source: US Census Bureau

Additional Populations

Committee members were asked for feedback on identifying underserved populations during the November 2021 stakeholder meeting. In addition to those mentioned above, members discussed human trafficking victims, male survivors of sexual violence, and college-aged populations.

PSO’s Child Sex Trafficking Team responds to child sex trafficking in Texas and supports human trafficking victims through grant projects and partnerships with organizations throughout the state. In response to the needs of male survivors of sexual violence, the PSO administers a two year project that provides a safe house and support for male survivors of sex trafficking. Additionally, VOCA funds have been used to fund victim services projects to assist college-aged victims of crime on university campuses across Texas.

Sexual Assault

Following the 86th Legislative Session, HB 1590 established the Texas Sexual Assault Survivors’ Task Force as well as mandated a resource inventory to include: availability of sexual assault

²³ Texas Council on Family Violence, 2020. *Understanding the Needs of Underserved Communities in Texas*. Available at: <https://texas-state-plan.tcfv.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/09/Understanding-the-Needs-of-Underserved-Communities-8.20.pdf>

²⁴ Ibid.

²⁵ Public Safety Office, 2021. *STOP Needs Assessment*.

services and survivors' needs by Texas region. IDVSA conducted a statewide survey across providers that serve survivors of sexual violence. Key findings of the statewide survey include²⁶:

- **Service Delivery.** Therapy, Outreach/Prevention, and Legal services are in substantial need.
- **Rural Texas.** Upper East Texas and Southeast Texas have the greatest unmet needs across all types of direct services.
- **Transportation.** Lack of transportation; especially in rural areas.
- **Therapists.** Therapists maintain maximum caseloads and have long waiting lists. Lack of availability available in rural areas. The majority of the regions reported therapy as one of their top three services where there are the highest level of unmet needs.
- **COVID-19 Pandemic.** Lack of in-person client contact. Challenges presented by telehealth modalities were present in the early stages of the pandemic.
- **Housing.** Emergency shelter and transitional housing options are limited.
- **Legal Advocacy.** There are long waits for legal aid programs. Non-profits report that they need attorneys on site and assistance in high-conflict child custody cases.

It is important to note that the challenges around the pandemic led to innovation in certain service areas such as moving to telehealth for adult counseling, and to virtual modes for advocacy, education, and outreach for the public and volunteers. IDVSA's report highlighted a substantial need in rural Texas and there may be opportunity to fill some of those service gaps with lessons learned through telehealth services during the pandemic.

Again following Texas' 86th Legislative Session in 2019, HB 1 directed the State Auditor's Office (SAO) to "examine the investigation and prosecution processes for adult sexual assaults from the time of the first report through final court decisions, including identifying why reported sexual assault cases may not proceed to prosecution and conviction within the criminal justice system."²⁷ This comprehensive report was compiled through statewide data, interviews, site visits, and survey responses related to sexual assaults. While the report was specific to sexual assault versus all violent crimes against women, it is a first of its kind in Texas and highlights themes that most likely are seen in other forms of violence inflicted upon women. Key findings of the SAO's report include²⁸:

- **Evidence Collection.** Collecting evidence to determine whether a suspect committed a sexual assault may be difficult.
- **Investigation/Prosecution Hurdles.** A victim of a sexual assault may be reluctant to participate in the investigation and prosecution process.

²⁶ IDVSA, 2020. *Resources for Texas Sexual Assault Survivors- Inventory and Survey Findings on Services, Gaps, and Accessibility*. Available at: <https://sites.utexas.edu/idvsa/1590-tx-survivors-study/>.

²⁷ Texas State Auditor's Office, 2020. *Investigation and Prosecution Processes for Reported Sexual Assaults in Texas*. Available at: <https://sao.texas.gov/SAOReports/ReportNumber?id=21-002>.

²⁸ Ibid

- **Lack of Standardized Procedures.** Key differences in the investigation and prosecution procedures for sexual assaults involving adult and child victims may affect how a sexual assault case progresses through the criminal justice system.

With these challenges, the report also highlighted a few best practices that local law enforcement and district attorney offices have made headway in addressing the above findings. All of which are eligible activities under the STOP program.

Law Enforcement/Prosecution Program Areas

- Victim-centered/trauma-informed training for detectives and prosecutors
- Creation and active participation in regional sexual assault response teams
- Specialized units to investigate and prosecute sexual assault cases

Domestic/Dating Violence

TCFV is the state domestic violence nonprofit coalition dedicated to creating safer communities and freedom from family violence; also represented on PSO's STOP planning committee. In 2019, TCFV created a State Plan based on a survey of family violence programs, interviews with survivors and staff, and an analysis of publically available family violence data. "The plan is an evidence-based blueprint for fund distribution from the Health and Human Service Commission Family Violence Program (HHSC FVP), a key distributor of funds to support family violence programs, and the Family Violence Prevention and Services Act (FVPSA) which serves as a dedicated federal funding stream for family violence shelters"²⁹. OVW specifically requires that the STOP Implementation Plan be coordinated with the state plan for FVPSA. Key Findings of TCFV's State Plan include³⁰:

- **Housing.** The lack of housing options and the long-term effects of not having safe or reliable housing was the most pervasive and overarching need identified.
- **Legal.** Many safety options for survivors are only available through the court system such as: protective orders, divorce filings, child custody agreements, immigration remedies, etc. Without advocacy to navigate these complex systems, available legal rights and options can become unattainable.
- **Mental Health.** Even when a supportive system recognizes that a survivor needs mental health or psychiatric services, there are very limited places for them to receive those services.

²⁹ Texas Council on Family Violence, 2019. *2019 State Plan- Executive Summary*. Available at: <https://texas-state-plan.tcfv.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/11/2019-State-Plan-Executive-Summary-11.2.pdf>

³⁰ Ibid

III. Description of Planning Process

Due to the size and diversity of Texas, it is imperative that collaborative planning efforts are made at both the state and local level. As a part of those efforts, PSO sought input through a two-pronged approach that included a needs assessment survey to local service providers and input through PSO's STOP Implementation Planning Committee.

Needs Assessment

PSO sent out a needs assessment survey to all active STOP subgrantees via email in May 2021. Over forty subgrantees responded to the survey with valuable feedback describing priorities and innovation within their agencies. Subgrantees were asked about their agency and community needs, training topics, knowledge areas, and their ability to serve specific populations and communities. The results were reviewed and analyzed to help inform the priority areas for this Implementation Plan. A copy of the survey results and questions can be found in Appendix A.

STOP Implementation Planning Committee

A meeting with the planning committee was held November 2, 2021, which allowed stakeholders to collaborate and communicate with each other. The planning committee was asked for feedback on the identification of underserved populations, addressing the needs of those populations, and PSO's statewide goals and objectives. All necessary input and recommendations by the Planning Committee have been added into the requisite section of the Implementation Plan. Upon incorporation of these changes from the planning meeting, the final draft of the Implementation Plan was then provided back to Committee members for concluding comments/feedback. Each member of the planning committee is listed below:

- 1. Texas Association Against Sexual Assault (TAASA)** - TAASA is our state sexual assault coalition, and has been changing lives since 1982. They have been funded by STOP for over 20 years.
- 2. Texas Council on Family Violence (TCFV)** – TCFV is our state domestic violence coalition, and is one of the largest coalitions of its kind in the nation.
- 3. Texas District & County Attorneys Association (TDCAA)** – TDCAA offers perspective related to prosecution programs funded by STOP. They serve prosecutors, attorneys, and their staffs throughout the state of Texas.
- 4. Texas Commission on Law Enforcement (TCOLE)** – TCOLE is the regulatory state agency for all peace officers in the state of Texas. Their insight into law enforcement functions and activities is invaluable to our planning committee.
- 5. Office of Court Administration (OCA)**– OCA is a state agency that operates under the direction and supervision of the Supreme Court of Texas and the Chief Justice. They represent our court-funded programs.
- 6. Sexual Assault Survivors' Task Force** - The Office of the Governor's Sexual Assault Survivors' Task Force was created during the 86th Legislative Session and is part of the Public Safety Office. The task force works to create a coordinated, trauma-informed, and survivor-centered response to sexual violence experienced by adults and children. The primary mission of the task force is to form actionable policy recommendations, improve training available to professionals responding to sexual assault, as well as providing accurate information about resources for survivors. Member organizations include the Office of the Governor, Texas Association Against Sexual Assault, Children's Advocacy

Center of Texas, Office of the Attorney General, along with multiple other state agencies, universities, and representatives from law enforcement, courts, health services and survivors.

7. **Casa de Misericordia** – Casa de Misericordia represents culturally specific populations, and primarily serves Hispanics. It has been providing direct services to victims in Laredo and the surrounding areas since 1998 and is the only domestic violence center within an 80 mile radius.
8. **Lubbock Rape Crisis Center** - Lubbock Rape Crisis Center represents the most significant underserved population in Texas, victims in rural areas. Lubbock Rape Crisis Center has been providing direct services to victims of sexual assault in Lubbock and surrounding rural communities since 1975.

Invited; Declined Attendance

9. **Alabama Coushatta** – The federally recognized Alabama Coushatta Tribe of Texas is a fully functioning sovereign government with over 1,300 members located in Deep East Texas.
10. **Kickapoo Traditional Tribe** – The Kickapoo Traditional Tribe is a federally recognized tribe located just south of Eagle Pass in South Texas. The tribe was officially recognized by the Texas Indian Commission in 1977 and there are about 900 registered members.
11. **Ysleta Del Sur Pueblo** – The Ysleta Del Sur Pueblo is the only Pueblo tribe of Texas, and one of the three federally recognized tribes in the state. The Ysleta Del Sur Pueblo have called the El Paso area home for over 300 years, and there are over 4,000 members throughout the US.
12. **Lipan Apache** – The Lipan Apache reside in South Texas and have a registered population of about 3,400. The Lipan Apache are a state recognized tribe with headquarters located in McAllen, Texas.
13. **Yaqui** - The Texas Band of Yaqui Indians are headquartered in Lubbock, in the panhandle of Texas and became a state recognized tribe in 2015.

PSO continues to work towards improving collaboration with all Tribal Nations in Texas; including the three federally recognized tribes. PSO has reached out on multiple occasions via email and phone to all possible tribal officials including Chairpersons, Emergency Management Coordinators, Governors, and Police Departments to involve the tribes in PSO’s Planning Committee.

Following the November meeting, PSO received a response from the Lipan Apache Tribe, who stated that they are interested in providing feedback on Texas’ plan. They were provided with documentation from the November 2021 Planning Committee Meeting, as well as the opportunity to provide feedback. To date, PSO has not received a response nor any feedback from the Tribe.

Specific persons contacted are listed below:

Tribe	Contact(s)
Alabama Coushatta (Federally recognized)	Chairperson, Historical Preservation Clerk, Police Department, Emergency Management Coordinator
Kickapoo Traditional Tribe (Federally recognized)	Chairman, Emergency Management Coordinator, Police Department Director
Ysleta Del Sur Pueblo (Federally recognized)	Governor, Emergency Management Coordinator, Tribal Council

Lipan Apache (State recognized)	General contact email
Yaqui (State recognized)	General contact email

Local Planning Process

Strategic planning efforts also occur at the local level within the 24 COGs that the PSO contracts with to promote intergovernmental communication and collaboration. COGs gather local stakeholders to construct evidence-based strategic plans that embody the statewide priorities determined by PSO while focusing on the unique criminal justice problems found in their region. This ensures that those best qualified to identify gaps in victim services at the local level are given an opportunity to develop and communicate localized plans to PSO while remaining cognizant of the over-arching statewide priorities determined by the STOP Planning Committee.

Coordination with Family Violence Prevention and Services Act (FVPSA) and Rape Prevention Education

Texas’ Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) is the state administering agency for the dedicated federal funding stream authorized under the FVPSA for family violence services. As part of FVPSA, each state is required to develop and implement a State Plan that details the needs, challenges, and available services related to family violence. The FVPSA State Plan requirement is codified in Chapter 51, Texas Human Resources Code, which states “[HHSC] develop and maintain a plan for delivering family violence services in this state...in developing the plan...the commission shall consider the geographic distribution of services and the need for services, including the need for increasing services for underserved populations”.³¹ HHSC relies on TCFV to complete the required plan; whom also serves on PSO’s STOP Planning Committee as the state domestic violence coalition. The FVPSA State Plan was also heavily relied upon in the Needs and Context section of STOP Implementation Plan as well as in the development of the FY22-26 Goals and Objectives. Additionally, HHSC is also part of PSO planning committee as a collaborator to ensure that priority overlaps are minimized and gaps are eliminated.

In addition to STOP, PSO is the state administering agency for the Victim of Crimes Act-Formula (VOCA) as well as the Sexual Assault Services Program (SASP). Administering all three fund sources allows PSO to coordinate program priorities in order to meet a broader set of needs around the state and reduce the duplication of funding as necessary.

Finally the Rape Prevention Education (RPE) grant program that comes out of the Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) flows down to the Texas Association Against Sexual Assault (TAASA). Not only is TAASA a part of the Implementation Planning Committee, but PSO passes through SASP funding to them as well. They are a critical partner in combating sexual assault in Texas. Further, TAASA is a member of Governor Abbott’s Sexual Assault Survivor’s Task Force (SASTF); which has identified sexual assault prevention as a key focus area. “In light of this priority, the SASTF identified the development of broad-based education and training as a first step to ensure that the reality of child and adult sexual assault dynamics are understood by those working to prevent sexual assault from both system-based and community-based orientations, as well as by those who are interacting directly with sexual assault survivors,

³¹ Texas Human Resources Code, Section 51.0021. *Family Violence Services Plan*. Available at: <https://statutes.capitol.texas.gov/Docs/HR/htm/HR.51.htm#51.0021>.

including advocates, law enforcement, prosecutors and judges, and health care providers.”³² This priority is aligned with Texas’ Primary Prevention Model that highlights ‘Community-Level’ change and RPE’s National Focus Area of “Promoting Social Norms that Protect Against Violence”.

IV. Documentation from Prosecution, Law Enforcement, Court, and Victim Services Programs

Once the final draft plan was distributed, all planning committee members were asked for the required “Documentation of Collaboration” describing their participation in the planning committee. This documentation is found in Appendix A of this plan.

V. Plan for the Four-Year Implementation Period

Barriers

The following barriers were identified when PSO set out to create its FY22-26 STOP Implementation Plan:

- STOP funding accounts for only a small percent of funding for crime victim services in Texas. For example, during a recent inventory of funding streams in Texas that serve sexual assault victims, STOP funding came in at only 3.3 percent of the sources identified. In FY2021, Texas reported 14 state and nine federal fund sources totaling \$336.2M. PSO’s FY2021 STOP award was \$11.1M.
- The STOP Program heavily restricts the amount of funding that PSO can use for statewide discretionary priorities. After the four statutory program allocations and administrative costs, only \$2.8M is available for statewide priorities.

Goals and Objectives

Working within the barriers noted above and the themes discussed in the Needs and Context section, PSO convened a group of experts on November 2, 2021 for a stakeholder engagement session to discuss points of emphasis across the four statutory program categories (Law Enforcement, Prosecution, Courts, and Non-profit Victim Service providers). The results are below:

Law Enforcement

- Victim-Centered/Trauma-Informed Training
- Regional Sexual Assault Response Teams: Law Enforcement participation
- Specialized Investigators/Units
- Coordination between Law Enforcement and Victim Service Providers

³² Office of the Governor, Public Safety Office, 2020. *Sexual Assault Survivors Task Force: Biennial Report to the Texas Legislature*. Available at: https://gov.texas.gov/uploads/files/organization/criminal-justice/Sexual-Assault-Survivors-Task-Force-Biennial-Report_November-2020.pdf.

Prosecution

- Victim-Centered/Trauma-Informed Training
- Regional Sexual Assault Response Teams: Prosecution participation
- Specialized Prosecutors/Units

Non-Profit Victim Service Provider

- Trauma-Informed, Professional Mental Health Therapy and Counseling
- Address Rural Needs: Upper East Texas and Southeast Texas
- Transportation and Emergency Housing
- Implementation of Telehealth/Tele-Advocacy Technology
- Language access plans
- Victim-Centered/Trauma-Informed Training

Courts

- Legal Advocacy (protective order assistance, legal rights & options, court accompaniment, etc.)
- Access to Court Hearings

These activities will be integrated into PSOs annual local STOP Request For Applications (RFA). Working within the parameters of the statutory program area funding allocations, PSO will prioritize applications that implement evidence-based, trauma-informed, projects that appropriately respond to the points of emphasis listed above.

Statutory Priority Areas

Types of crime are tracked in our eGrants system as a requirement of our VOCA Assistance funding. The same tracking is used for our STOP programs and includes Domestic and Family Violence, Adult Sexual Assault, Adults Molested as Children, Elder Abuse, Adult Human Trafficking, and Other Non-Violent Crimes. We do not anticipate having any issues meeting our sexual assault set-aside or having the set-aside met out of two or more allocations as it has not been an issue in the past. Adult Sexual Assault is addressed in 36% of our current applications and includes projects across all five allocations. Sexual Assault has comprised 42% of the 2020 federal award, 40% of the 2019 award, and 32% of the 2018 award amounts.

Domestic Violence-related Homicides

In 2020, 228 intimate partner homicides were documented across 68 counties; 42 urban counties, 21 rural counties, and 5 counties in the Texas-Mexico border area.³³ 184 of the 228 homicides were women; equating to 81% (Figure 10).

³³ TCFV, 2020. *Honoring Texas Victims*. Available at: https://tcfv.org/wp-content/uploads/tcfv_htv_rprrt_2020.pdf



Figure 10

Source: TCFV Honoring Texas Victims 2020 Report

As noted, issues facing urban versus rural counties can also be seen in the fatalities occurring in those jurisdictions “While the high numbers of fatalities in the largest urban counties are reflective of population size more than the prevalence in the community, the cumulative impact on these communities, their service providers and first responders, and survivors and family members of intimate partner homicide victims cannot be dismissed...Urban counties have more residential capacity within family violence programs than rural counties, yet they have higher rates of denying housing due to lack of space... In rural communities, barriers to service include lack of transportation options, limited access to mental health services, as well as potential social isolation in small communities due to less anonymity”.³⁴

In analyzing the factors related to the intimate partner homicides in 2020, TCFV specifically notes high areas of need “through interviews with survivors and family violence agency staff. Housing, including emergency shelter, transitional housing, and permanent affordable housing also emerged as a critical need, and as the most frequently cited by survivors.”³⁵ A major recommendation from the 2020 report is “a call for increased collaboration across systems...the tragic outcomes of intimate partner violence in 2020 reinforce the need for access to services and

³⁴ Ibid.

³⁵ Ibid.

resources that can be maximized through effective collaboration among community partners.”³⁶
Other key findings include³⁷:

- **Risk Assessment Tools.** Incorporate domestic violence lethality and re-assault indicators.
- **Effective, Evidence-based Intervention Models.** Lethality Assessment Protocols (LAP), Domestic Violence High-Risk Teams (DVHRTs), and Battering Intervention and Prevention Programs (BIPPs).
- **Basic Essentials.** Providing basic needs and safety through emergency housing, food, and clothing.
- **Legal Advocacy.** Supporting a range of civil legal matters, including protective orders, divorce, as well as criminal case advocacy.
- **Therapy & Counseling.** Addresses physical and mental trauma through telehealth platforms.

Goals and Objectives

Based on published reports on domestic violence fatalities and the valued input of Planning Committee members, the following goals and objectives were created to reduce domestic violence-related homicides within the state:

1. Effective intervention and prosecution of domestic violence offenses

- Risk Assessment Tools. Incorporate domestic violence lethality and re-assault indicators.
- Effective, Evidence-based Intervention Models. Lethality Assessment Protocols (LAP), Domestic Violence High-Risk Teams (DVHRTs), and Battering Intervention and Prevention Programs (BIPPs).

2. Adequate and coordinated services for domestic violence survivors.

- Legal Advocacy. Supporting a range of civil legal matters, including protective orders, divorce, as well as criminal case advocacy.
- Therapy & Counseling. Addresses physical and mental trauma through telehealth platforms.
- Basic Essentials. Providing basic needs and safety through emergency housing, food, and clothing.

PSO will continue to support programs that take meaningful steps to reduce domestic violence fatalities and encourages future grantees to consider the listed goals in addition to the statewide priorities when submitting projects with domestic violence-related activities.

Addressing the Needs of Underserved Victims

PSO identified six different underserved populations in Texas: Minority (Hispanic, Black/African American), Rural, LEP, Elderly, Tribal, and LGBT. While each group has unique

³⁶ Ibid.

³⁷ Ibid.

and different needs, broadly speaking, there were some commonalities among the underserved populations in regards to service-specific challenges such as more direct partnerships with attorneys and centralized access points for survivors seeking shelter; “this kind of barrier is specifically difficult for people from underrepresented groups who find it challenging to reach out even once.”³⁸ Interestingly, individuals from underserved populations overwhelmingly emphasized the need for service providers to build upon external relationships “All of the stakeholder groups emphasized engaging communities in domestic violence outreach and prevention work through participation in community events”.³⁹ Anecdotally, a service providers’ best opportunity to understand the unique needs of underserved communities is through these external relationships with other culturally-specific community organizations. TCFV has highlighted a few recommendations to better serve and meet the needs of PSO’ identified underserved populations⁴⁰; which PSO plans to utilize in making funding decisions related to the culturally specific services and activities set-asides:

- **Culturally-Specific Organizations and Programming.** Prioritize culturally specific domestic violence organizations who are embedded in underrepresented communities and who identify as organizations who center the identities of the underrepresented communities they serve.
- **Mobile, Community-Based Programming.** Prioritize innovative programming that is developing and implementing best practices of community-centered work, including home visitation, peer support models, and mobile programming.
- **Community Collaborations.** Prioritize service providers that show a depth of relationships with other community organizations that are already embedded in the underrepresented communities they are hoping to serve.
- **Language-Access Plans.** Prioritize projects include implementation of limited English proficiency language access plans.
- **Anti-Bias Training.** This includes not just cultural competency, but also addressing the barriers for services implicit in certain organizational structures.

PSO intends to ensure that monies set aside to fund culturally specific services and activities for underserved populations are distributed equitably among those populations. As part of PSOs Grant-making Strategy discussed below, PSO utilizes formula-based regional allocations that ensure not just culturally specific set-asides but STOP funds as a whole are equitably distributed throughout Texas. PSOs funding formula takes into account regional population and crime statistics. Equitable distribution of funds for underserved populations are proportional to the relative population of the State.

By federal statute, 10% of the state’s victim service award allocation is used to fund culturally-specific community based organizations. Subgrantees are informed of the requirements to be considered a culturally-specific organization through the RFA and, if eligible, self-identify as

³⁸ Texas Council on Family Violence, 2020. Understanding the Needs of Underserved Communities in Texas. Available at: <https://texas-state-plan.tcfv.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/09/Understanding-the-Needs-of-Underserved-Communities-8.20.pdf>.

³⁹ Ibid.

⁴⁰ Ibid.

such on their project’s application. Currently, Texas provides STOP funding to the following culturally-specific organizations and projects:

Grantee Name	Project Title	Budget Amount
Casa de Misericordia	Counseling Program	\$141,472.20
La Posada Home Inc.	Direct Victim Services Program	\$86,284.00
SAHELI dba Asian Family Support Services of Austin	Asian Domestic & Sexual Violence Advocacy and Community Outreach Program	\$524,199.48
The Montrose Center	Victim/Survivor Services	\$232,697.75

As the SAA for VOCA funds, PSO closely coordinates STOP and VOCA funding streams to ensure that culturally-specific programs have access to federal award money across the state. While not funded through STOP, the following VOCA projects are examples of PSO’s ongoing commitment to fund projects that are tailored to the unique needs of underserved communities across the state:

Grantee Name	Project Title	Budget Amount
Amazing Grace Child and Family Services	Restored Through Grace Community Initiative	\$309,336.00
An Nisa Hope Center	An Nisa: Services to Victims of Domestic Violence	\$170,544.00
Boat People SOS-Houston	Victim Assistance	\$95,000.00
El Paso Center for Children	Youth Shelter and Victim's Services	\$381,025.41
Family Life and Community Resource Center	FLCRC Victim Assistance Program/ Finding Your Grit	\$222,422.55
Jewish Family Service of San Antonio	Mental Health Services for Crime Victims	\$256,903.00
Mosaic Family Services	Multicultural Victims Services	\$660,702.00
Muslim Community Center for Human Services	Domestic Violence Program for Immigrant Victims	\$84,000.00
Open Arms Rape Crisis Center & LGBT+ Services	Victim Services	\$98,547.87
Paso del Norte Center of Hope	Services for Human Trafficking Survivors in El Paso, Texas	\$42,510.52
Shifa Healthcare and Community Services USA	ShifaUSA Shelter Program	\$71,452.16
Tahirih Justice Center	Holistic Services and Legal Advocacy for Immigrant Women and Girl Survivors	\$231,669.92
Tejano Center for Community Concerns	Victims of Crime Outreach and Support Program	\$337,122.70
Texas Muslim Women's Foundation Inc.	Peace in the Home Program Outreach	\$90,400.00
Texas RioGrande Legal Aid	Annual Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Cross-Training Conference (Victim Assistance Training)	\$83,212.20

Grant-making Strategy

Texas is comprised of 24 regional councils of governments, which are comprised of voluntary organizations of local governmental and non-governmental entities that coordinate programs and services to address needs that cross jurisdictional boundaries. The councils were organized to guide unified development and improve efficiency within their regions. These 24 councils of governments (COG), regional councils, or commissions are political subdivisions of the state codified pursuant to the Texas Local Government Code, Chapter 391. COG planning activities vary among regions, but typically include: planning for economic growth; water supply and water quality; air quality; transportation; emergency preparedness; criminal justice, and victim services. Texas has 24 COGs that represent all 254 counties.

PSO contracts with the COGs to provide an array of victim service planning and coordination within each region to include the development of a regional strategic plan. COGs are required to:

Strategic Plans. Provide general planning and coordination activities for issues related to victim services, violence against women, and addressing underserved populations. COGs are required to submit a regional strategic plan every 5 years.

Advisory Committee. Establish and maintain a Criminal Justice Advisory Committee (CJAC) that consists of participants who are knowledgeable about victim services and criminal justice related issues relevant to the COG region.

Stakeholder Engagement. Communicate with victim service providers and criminal justice stakeholders including grantees, law enforcement, non-profit organizations and other units of government, and shall engage those stakeholders when developing the region's strategic plan.

Local STOP Projects. Provide funding recommendations on STOP grant applications submitted within their region based upon the State Implementation Plan and the applicable underserved populations specific to their region.

As part of the annual STOP grant cycle, PSO creates STOP allocations for each COG region similar to the formula calculation used by the Office on Violence Against Women (OVW) to determine state allocations.

Annual Grant Cycle

Federal STOP Award. Texas historically receives its federal STOP award in October.

Regional Allocations. PSO calculates regional allocations based on violent crime, family violence incidents, and population.

Local Request For Applications (RFA). PSO creates a local RFA which includes STOP Implementation Plan priorities and eligible program areas under STOP. Applicants are able to select whether they intend to implement a local or statewide project.

Regional Projects. Once the local RFA closes, PSO provides COGs with all local applications that were submitted within their region as well as their funding allocation. The CJAC then

reviews and prioritizes the local applications based on funding allocations, the State STOP Implementation Plan, and the applicable underserved populations specific to their region.

Statewide Projects. Projects that provide services or activities in two or more COG regions are considered statewide projects. PSO convenes a merit review panel to review these applications based on the STOP Implementation Plan priorities as well as ensuring the needs of Texas' underserved populations are met in accordance with the statutory set-asides.

Award. PSO issues subawards based on the COG's funding recommendations and outcomes of the statewide merit review panel.

Texas does not intend to address the Crystal Judson purpose area.

VI. Appendix A

Documentation of Collaboration

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**Implementation Planning Process
DOCUMENTATION OF COLLABORATION**

State/Territory: Texas

Administering Agency: Office of the Governor: Public Safety Office

Collaborating Agency: Texas Association Against Sexual Assault

Type of Agency: Sexual Assault Coalition

Planning Team Meeting Date(s): 11/02/2021

The following questions should be answered by the Collaborating Agency:

Did you participate in planning meeting (please circle one): Choose an item.

 If so, did you participate In-person attendance Via conference call

Did you have adequate opportunity to discuss the concerns or issues impacting your area of expertise and/or the population(s) you were representing? **Yes**

Did you receive a copy of the draft plan? **Yes**

Did you review the draft plan? **Yes**

Do you feel the primary needs were addressed in draft plan? **Yes**

Did you offer feedback on draft plan? **Yes**

Did you receive a copy of the finalized plan? **Yes**

Were you satisfied that the plan included any issues you may have asked be included? **Yes**

If no, please explain _____

Collaborating Agency: Texas Association Against Sexual Assault

Rose Luna
Signature

Dated: 2.21.2022
Association of VAWA Administrators

Summary of Issues Raised
(To be completed by the STOP Administrator)

Primary Needs/Issues Discussed	How were these addressed in the Implementation Plan?	If not addressed in the plan, why not?

Funding Summary

Please explain your agency's need for grant funding:

TAASA requires grant funding to continue providing expert training and technical assistance to all collaborating partnerships locally and statewide. Texas is a large state with 254 counties and only 8 stand alone rape crisis centers. There are many other agencies (about 70) including domestic violence shelters that provide sexual assault advocacy and counseling services. And although adult non stranger sexual assault is highly misunderstood it is the most common form of sexual assault. The societal misconception is the largest barrier to trauma-informed response and services. TAASA is uniquely positioned to address those nuances on both a statewide and local level. TAASA also works to include culturally specific organization modalities to the conversation to bridge the gap between experts in sexual assault and experts in culturally resonant services.

Please explain the intended use of the grant funds:

Grant funds will be used for TAASA to provide effective coordination and consistency across the state to maximize coverage of sexual assault advocates and to coordinate a consistent trauma-informed training to both system partners as well as community organizations in regards to adult sexual assault. This approach allows an efficient use of resources and maximizes impact across the state. TAASA will also work to secure infrastructure at local sexual assault programs to build sustainability with a trauma informed approach.

Please explain your expected result from grant funding:

TAASA will continue to solidify building a statewide infrastructure of consistency for adult non-stranger sexual assault response and advocacy. It is our intention to build a bridge between culturally specific organizations and rape crisis centers to most effectively provide healing and advocacy services. It is our plan to maximize efficiency by providing consistent training and technical assistance to law enforcement and other criminal justice systems as well as the advocacy and community groups. We will also utilize collaborations on a statewide level to strengthen community response to adult sexual assault survivors through community based SART's. These items will bridge the gap to trauma informed responses and advocacy to adult survivors of non-stranger sexual assault.

Please summarize the demographic characteristics of the population to be served including age, disability, race, ethnicity, and language background:

The geographic and population diversity poses unique challenges for sexual assault providers and allied professionals in Texas. Collaborative efforts across the vastness of the state is difficult but necessary. Texas has 254 counties with over a dozen that are larger than several eastern states. We also have many frontier communities that are geographically isolated. We share many miles of border with Mexico and have a large and growing immigrant and refugee population in addition to a language barrier with over three million in our state with limited

English proficiency (87% of those speaking Spanish) along with numerous other underserved populations. The unique needs of survivors from rural areas, monolingual Spanish, and those with limited English proficiency often are unmet. Awareness of services to the aforementioned marginalized communities is almost non-existent. Information and resources in Spanish are needed in these areas along with collaborative relationships between local and state partners.

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State/Territory: Texas

Administering Agency: Office of the Governor: Public Safety Office

Collaborating Agency: Texas Council on Family Violence

Type of Agency: Domestic Violence Coalition

Planning Team Meeting Date(s): 11/02/2021

The following questions should be answered by the Collaborating Agency:

Did you participate in planning meeting (please circle one): Choose an item.

If so, did you participate In-person attendance Via conference call

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Did you offer feedback on draft plan? **Yes**

Did you receive a copy of the finalized plan? **Yes**

Were you satisfied that the plan included any issues you may have asked be included? **Yes**

If no, please explain _____

Collaborating Agency:



CEO, Texas Council on Family Violence

Signature

Association of VAWA Administrators

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State/Territory: Texas

Administering Agency: Office of the Governor: Public Safety Office

Collaborating Agency: Brazos County District Attorney's Office

Type of Agency: Prosecution

Planning Team Meeting Date(s): 11/02/2021

The following questions should be answered by the Collaborating Agency:

Did you participate in planning meeting (please circle one): **Yes**
If so, did you participate In-person attendance Via conference call

Did you have adequate opportunity to discuss the concerns or issues impacting your area of expertise and/or the population(s) you were representing? **Yes**

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Did you offer feedback on draft plan? **Yes**

Did you receive a copy of the finalized plan? **No**

Were you satisfied that the plan included any issues you may have asked be included? **Yes**

If no, please explain _____

Collaborating Agency: Brazos County District Attorney's Office

Jarvis Parsons
Signature

Summary of Issues Raised
(To be completed by the STOP Administrator)

Primary Needs/Issues Discussed	How were these addressed in the Implementation Plan?	If not addressed in the plan, why not?

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Funding Summary

Please explain your agency's need for grant funding:

Brazos County is home to the cities of Bryan, College Station, and one of the largest research universities in the world, Texas A&M University. As a result, our mid-size county of just over 230,000 people is also a place where over 60,000 additional undergraduate and graduate students come from all over the world to learn. Because of the unique population in Brazos County, individuals from different backgrounds and cultures often move among the multiple cities and law enforcement jurisdictions within our county. Our county contains eight separate law enforcement agencies, four prosecution agencies, and multiple social service agencies. Domestic violence makes up approximately 76% of our violent crime.

In the past, the lack of a specialized prosecutor has not allowed our office to track family violence cases to discover what were the issues and barriers to successful prosecution. Because we now have a specialized prosecutor and investigator, we have begun to combat several of the problems in the investigation and lengthy court process that existed prior to prosecution. The Crimes Against Women Unit has addressed the issues and barriers in successful prosecution of domestic and sexual violence due to the relationships and training we have prioritized with law enforcement and victim advocacy organizations. In addition, we have prioritized early meeting with victims of these offenses. Before the implementation of the Crimes Against Women Unit, victims may not visit with a prosecutor until six months after indictment, may have no protection against their abuser in the interim, and may not understand the resources available to leave an abusive situation. Our unit has cut this time down to around seven days between the offense date and the first contact from the District Attorney's Office.

In meeting earlier with the victim, we are able to gather background information about other instances where there may have been physical violence, stalking behaviors or emotional abuse. These behaviors are all critical to a jury when deciding the punishment of a particular domestic violence defendant for the crimes he has committed. The specialized training and prosecution of these cases has resulted in increased punishment for violent offenders and increased services for victims who are in real danger. In addition, we have now implemented bond conditions for all family violence and sexual assault cases, as well as implementing a lethality assessment program to identify which victims are in high danger and immediately get them in contact with our local domestic violence service provider. As a result, we have seen an increase of over 1,000% of our victims being contacted by our domestic violence service provider. We have been able to connect victims of physical and sexual violence to Phoebe's Home (our local women's shelter) for counseling, safety planning and housing. We have been able to connect sexual violence victims with licensed individual counselors at the Sexual Assault Resource Center.

Our funding has also allowed us to develop relationships with experts in our community to testify about victim behavior, abuser behavior, medical evidence, and mental illness common in these cases. Our specialized prosecutor has also been able to educate our law enforcement

agencies on victim behavior and evidence gathering in these cases in order to build more successful cases for prosecution. In sum, with the addition of our grant funded prosecutor and investigator, our office has seen an increase in the number of offenders convicted, and an increase in the sentences our juries or judges impose.

Please explain the intended use of the grant funds:

Grant Funds will be used for salaries of our Domestic Violence/Sexual Assault Chief Prosecutor as well as the Domestic Violence/Sexual Assault Investigator. They are wholly funded by the grant. Our grant has allowed us to implement new strategies and a specialization in the area of domestic violence, sexual assault, human trafficking, and stalking.

Prior to STOP funding, our community did not have a dedicated prosecution unit to combat domestic violence and sexual assault. As a result of the funding, our prosecution team has sought out unique methods for charging domestic violence and sexual assault, as well as training law enforcement, the public, victim advocates, and community groups about these cases. We have seen dramatic results as a consequence of this dedicated attention. Our cooperation with law enforcement, victim services, and medical providers has allowed us to be able to respond quickly to any new issues that arises in this area. It has also allowed our prosecution team to build up credibility and trust with these agencies. As a result, they can quickly have a contact point to ask questions and issues in domestic violence, sexual assault and stalking cases.

Another area of significant change is in the area of bond conditions. Prior to our STOP funding, bond conditions in domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking cases were rare. After we received the funding, our prosecutor realized the need for victims whose abusers are out on bond to be protected through bond conditions. After educating the courts about this need, our judges now have standard bond conditions they impose in all domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking cases. This has resulted in 25 defendants last year being convicted or receiving deferred adjudication on felony offenses just due to their behavior while on conditions of bond in family violence cases. We expect these cases to continue to rise as victims become aware of the protections afforded by bond conditions. For example, last year alone we filed 39 cases related to violations of bond conditions for family violence victims.

Please explain your expected result from grant funding:

We believe that the grant funding for the FY2023 will allow The Brazos County District Attorney's Office to dedicate specific resources to Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault in our county. Our office has become a leader in prosecuting domestic violence and sexual assault cases, as well as training law enforcement, judges, prosecutors and the public and signs and symptoms of domestic violence. We have increased our prosecutions of adult sexual assault tremendously and hope to continue successful prosecutions in the future.

Our funding will also allow us to continue to address the backlog of cases in domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking cases that have occurred since the COVID-19 pandemic. Since the end of 2019, we have seen an increase in the amount of domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking cases. This increase, combined with the shut down of the courts due to the COVID-19

pandemic resulted in a backlog of these cases. However, with the funding, we hope to continue to address this backlog and obtain justice for these victims. We have seen great results with the funding over the last year. Specifically, over the last year our disposed cases have increased 84% without significantly increasing the number of cases dismissed or reduced. This funding has allowed us to handle more victims and more cases, with less prosecutors. We hope to continue to utilize the grant to obtain justice quickly for these victims.

Please summarize the demographic characteristics of the population to be served including age, disability, race, ethnicity, and language background:

According to the U.S Census Bureau, Brazos County's total population as of April 1, 2020 was 233,849. However, this number does not include the more than 60,000 students at Texas A&M University, the largest university in the State of Texas and one of the largest universities in the United States. The census revealed that the age makeup of the permanent residents of Brazos County is 6.1% are under the age of five, 20.6% are under the age of 18, and 9.5% are 65 years or older.

The racial makeup of the county includes 55.2% are White alone, 26.2% are Hispanic or Latinx, 11.2% are Black, 6.3% are Asian, and 2.3% are other or multiple races.

The Census also found that 6.0% of the population under age 65 had a disability, and the median household income was \$49,181.

An audit of the racial and cultural makeup of the victims of family violence, sexual assault, stalking, and human trafficking revealed that 37% of our victims were Black, 30% were Hispanic, and 33% White.

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DOCUMENTATION OF COLLABORATION

State/Territory: Texas

Administering Agency: Office of the Governor: Public Safety Office Collaborating

Agency: Texas Commission on Law Enforcement

Type of Agency: Law Enforcement

Planning Team Meeting Date(s): 11/02/2021

The following questions should be answered by the Collaborating Agency:

Did you participate in planning meeting (please circle one): **Yes**

If so, did you participate In-person attendance Via conference call

Did you have adequate opportunity to discuss the concerns **Yes**
or issues impacting your area of expertise and/or the
population(s) you were representing?

Did you receive a copy of the draft plan? **Yes**

Did you review the draft plan? **Yes**

Do you feel the primary needs were addressed in draft plan? **Yes**

Did you offer feedback on draft plan? **No**

Did you receive a copy of the finalized plan? **No**

Were you satisfied that the plan included any issues you
may have asked be included? **Yes**

If no, please
explain. _____

Collaborating Agency: Texas Commission on Law Enforcement

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Signature

Dated: 2/18/2022



Sexual Assault Victim and Offenders by Age

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Offender Age	White			Black			American			Asian			Native			Unknown Race			Hispanic			Non-Hispanic			Unknown Ethnicity		
	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk
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01	24	1		5						2					1		2	10	1		20			2		2	
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03															1						1						
04	3	1		4											1	1		2			5	1		1	1		
05	5	2		3											1			1	1		6	1		2			
06	10	2		2						1								7	1		5	2					
07	15	3		5	7										1			3	2		15	8		3			
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09	26	2		9	1													10	2		22	1		3			
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17	413	22		135	2		2			7					27	2		219	11		310	12		55	3		
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19	409	14		138	3		2			9			2		22	1		227	6		305	9		50	3		
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21	303	13		98	4		1			8			1		13			181	3		208	14		35			
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23	252	9		87	3					2	1		1		9			149	4		174	7		28	2		
24	245	13	1	85	3					5			3		11			157	5		161	10		31	1	1	
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26	213	9		74	5		1			2					7			124	2		153	12		20			

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27	231	9	94	3				5		1			13	1	1	144	6	167	6	33	1	1
28	248	14	58	4		2		1	1	1			4			144	7	166	12	14		
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45	178	3	57	1				7	1				8			100	3	126	2	24		
46	141	2	50	2				7		1			4			72	1	123	3	9		
47	133	3	33			1		6	1	2			2			74		96	4	7		
48	99	4	33			1		3		1			5			57	2	78	2	7		
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53	86	2	25	1				4	1				1			51	1	57	3	8		
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72	18	1	2												7	1	12		1	
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74	21		4												10		14		1	
75	15		1										1		7		9		1	
76	8		2												3		6		1	
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78	13	1													2	1	11			
79	8			1											6		2	1		
80	6		2					1					1		3		6		1	
81	5		1												2		4			
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83	3							1							1	1	3			1
84	2														1		1			
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	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk
00	155	266	3	71	80	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	21	61	44	86	163	0	126	165	6	38	80	41	
01	159	187	1	75	79	1	0	1	0	3	4	0	1	0	4	12	14	97	115	0	125	138	3	19	31	13	
02	164	162	0	71	63	2	1	0	0	7	3	0	0	0	9	1	3	110	90	0	121	123	1	21	16	4	
03	190	283	0	79	88	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	2	11	2	111	159	0	146	201	0	14	25	2	
04	236	325	1	72	102	1	0	0	0	2	4	0	0	1	8	12	1	130	201	0	161	212	0	27	31	3	
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06	258	367	1	98	92	0	1	0	0	8	3	0	0	0	6	14	0	146	222	0	207	222	0	18	32	1	
07	218	300	0	90	99	0	0	1	0	6	4	0	0	1	12	16	2	137	176	0	175	204	0	14	41	2	
08	225	361	0	92	94	1	0	1	0	4	7	0	0	1	5	10	1	136	248	0	177	193	0	13	33	2	
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85	21	32	0	5	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	11	0	19	31	0	1	2	0	
86	4	24	0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	4	0	4	27	0	1	1	0
87	14	29	0	4	7	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	10	0	15	27	0	0	1	0
88	13	20	0	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	8	0	12	17	0	1	1	0
89	4	12	0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	3	14	0	1	2	0
90	9	17	0	4	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	9	24	0	1	1	0
91	5	13	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	3	14	0	0	1	0
92	3	5	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	2	6	0	0	0	0
93	2	6	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	8	0	0	2	0
94	1	6	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0
95	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
96	2	8	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	5	0	0	2	0	0
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98	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
99	1	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	2	0	1	2	3	1	0	0
BB	189	150	0	82	56	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	4	8	2	123	97	0	136	107	0	17	12	2
NB	11	11	0	6	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	3	7	6	0	11	8	0	0	3	3	3
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This report reflects incidents submitted to the Texas Department of Public Safety's Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) system as applied to your request. UCR is a voluntary program, wherein, participating agencies are requi

STOP Violence Against Formula Grant Program
Implementation Planning Process
DOCUMENTATION OF COLLABORATION

State/Territory: Texas

Administering Agency: Office of the Governor: Public Safety Office

Collaborating Agency: Texas Office of Court Administration

Type of Agency: Courts

Planning Team Meeting Date(s): 11/02/2021

The following questions should be answered by the Collaborating Agency:

Did you participate in planning meeting (please circle one): **Yes**

 If so, did you participate In-person attendance Via conference call

Did you have adequate opportunity to discuss the concerns **Yes**
or issues impacting your area of expertise and/or the
the population(s) you were representing?

Did you receive a copy of the draft plan? **Yes**

Did you review the draft plan? **Yes**

Do you feel the primary needs were addressed in draft plan? **Yes**

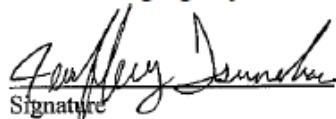
Did you offer feedback on draft plan? **Yes**

Did you receive a copy of the finalized plan? **No**

Were you satisfied that the plan included any issues you
may have asked be included? **Yes**

If no, please
explain. _____

Collaborating Agency:


Signature _____

Dated: 03/02/2022

Summary of Issues Raised
(To be completed by the STOP Administrator)

Primary Needs/Issues Discussed	How were these addressed in the Implementation Plan?	If not addressed in the plan, why not?

Funding Summary

Please explain your agency's need for grant funding:

OCA is not seeking grand funding at this time, so we do not have a current need.

Please explain the intended use of the grant funds:

Click here to enter text.

Please explain your expected result from grant funding:

Click here to enter text.

Please summarize the demographic characteristics of the population to be served including age, disability, race, ethnicity, and language background:

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**County-Level Courts
Misdemeanor Case Activity Detail
January 1, 2021 to January 31, 2022**

MISDEMEANOR CASES												
	DWI - First Offense	DWI - Second Offense	Theft	Theft by Check	Drug Possession- Marijuana	Drug Offenses- Other	Family Violence Assault	Assault - Other	Traffic	DWLS / DWLI	All Other Misdemeanor Cases	Total Cases
Cases on Docket:												
Cases Pending 1/1/2021:												
Active Cases	87,158	13,510	30,192	14,987	33,600	14,140	38,280	18,983	20,661	10,776	112,414	394,701
Inactive Cases	34,510	5,463	34,415	13,136	13,936	4,285	14,584	9,240	8,776	7,633	55,352	201,330
Docket Adjustments	(507)	346	860	(573)	1,225	297	1,930	(1,889)	(693)	(62)	(4,542)	(3,608)
Cases Added:												
New Cases Filed	63,642	12,341	21,974	1,448	24,873	9,896	37,910	14,505	9,223	4,960	119,515	320,287
Appealed from Lower Courts	48	9	24	10	9	96	19	38	9,263	86	1,721	11,323
Other Cases Reaching Docket:												
Motions to Revoke Filed	4,238	1,050	1,566	136	1,272	619	1,764	794	342	205	4,088	16,074
Cases Reactivated	15,971	3,082	19,592	3,771	9,472	3,268	11,897	5,180	4,278	3,905	39,221	119,637
All Other Cases Added	448	132	225	74	374	157	337	249	146	40	1,216	3,398
Total Cases on Docket	171,505	30,124	73,573	20,426	69,600	28,176	90,207	39,749	43,913	19,972	278,175	865,420
Dispositions:												
Convictions:												
Guilty Plea/Noto Contendere	32,845	9,769	8,858	481	7,722	3,382	8,727	3,950	3,939	2,251	35,879	117,803
By the Court	284	103	95	1	164	63	172	62	94	43	486	1,567
By the Jury	166	35	5	0	11	2	52	17	16	3	72	379
Total Convictions	33,295	9,907	8,958	482	7,897	3,447	8,951	4,029	4,049	2,297	36,437	119,749
Deferred Adjudication	9,332	338	3,660	218	3,876	1,155	5,172	2,044	5,137	459	11,436	42,827
Acquittals:												
By the Court	41	2	6	2	7	0	38	16	4	0	20	136
By the Jury	88	21	5	0	4	3	83	37	4	1	53	299
Total Acquittals	129	23	11	2	11	3	121	53	8	1	73	435
Dismissals	20,414	1,792	16,677	5,319	17,593	5,940	20,952	7,185	10,502	5,522	66,622	178,518
Motions to Revoke:												
Granted/Revoked	2,217	577	1,020	85	1,083	395	1,186	442	189	169	2,465	9,828
Denied/Continued	1,981	459	597	148	791	241	630	300	163	101	1,597	7,008
All Other Dispositions	704	143	538	63	1,555	475	369	236	1,043	399	3,245	8,770
Total Cases Disposed	68,072	13,239	31,461	6,317	32,806	11,656	37,381	14,289	21,091	8,948	121,875	367,135
Placed on Inactive Status	15,461	3,487	12,854	415	8,437	3,629	13,769	5,804	2,552	2,344	40,113	108,865
Cases Pending 1/31/2022:												
Active Cases	73,590	11,500	23,831	13,335	27,277	12,604	33,797	16,746	17,388	7,866	93,099	331,033
Inactive Cases	22,860	4,177	19,932	7,607	11,184	3,448	12,547	5,254	3,966	3,656	37,767	132,398
Sentencing Information:												
Local Jail	14,173	4,122	7,117	289	4,215	2,473	6,357	2,996	1,394	1,604	29,917	74,657
Probation/Comm. Supervision	18,309	5,588	1,107	166	763	613	1,644	666	503	178	3,564	33,101
Fine Only	394	70	452	17	2,021	224	640	266	1,784	279	1,479	7,626
Other	269	70	146	5	414	75	185	79	154	86	688	2,171
Age of Cases Disposed:	30 Days or Less	31 to 60 Days	61 to 90 Days	Over 90 Days	Total Cases	Additional Court Activity:						Misdemeanor
Number of Cases	48,403	26,380	26,910	265,444	367,136	Cases in Which Jury Selected						632
						Cases in Which Mistrial Declared						33
						Motions to Suppress Granted or Denied						586
						Competency Examination Reports						2,861
						Cases Set for Review						22,995
						Cases in Which Attorney Appted as Counsel						149,177
						Cases with Retained Counsel						117,342
						Mental Illness or Intellectual Disability Assessments						29,566

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Anderson	0	0	0	0
Andrews	0	0	0	0
Angelina	0	0	0	0
Aransas	0	0	0	0
Archer	0	0	0	0
Armstrong	0	0	0	0
Atascosa	0	0	0	0
Austin	0	0	0	0
Bailey	0	0	0	0
Bandera	0	0	0	0
Bastrop	0	0	0	0
Baylor	0	0	0	0
Bee	0	0	0	0
Bell	0	4	0	0
Bexar	2	55	0	0
Blanco	0	0	0	0
Borden	0	0	0	0
Bosque	0	0	0	0
Bowie	0	0	0	0
Brazoria	1	0	0	0
Brazos	0	0	0	0
Brewster	0	0	0	0
Briscoe	0	0	0	0
Brooks	0	0	0	0
Brown	0	0	0	0
Burleson	0	0	0	0
Burnet	0	0	0	0
Caldwell	0	0	0	0
Calhoun	0	0	0	0
Callahan	0	0	0	0
Cameron	0	0	0	0
Camp	0	0	0	0
Carson	0	0	0	0
Cass	0	0	0	0
Castro	0	0	0	0
Chambers	0	2	0	0
Cherokee	1	0	0	0
Childress	0	0	0	0
Clay	0	0	0	0
Cochran	0	0	0	0
Coke	0	0	0	0
Coleman	0	0	0	0
Collin	1	1	0	0
Collingsworth	0	0	0	0
Colorado	0	0	0	0
Comal	0	0	0	0
Comanche	0	0	0	0

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Concho	0	0	0	0
Cooke	0	0	0	0
Coryell	0	0	0	0
Cottle	0	0	0	0
Crane	0	0	0	0
Crockett	0	0	0	0
Crosby	0	0	0	0
Culberson	0	0	0	0
Dallam	0	0	0	0
Dallas	23	13	30	0
Dawson	0	0	0	0
Deaf Smith	0	0	0	0
Delta	0	0	0	0
Denton	0	0	0	0
DeWitt	0	0	0	0
Dickens	0	0	0	0
Dimmit	0	0	0	0
Donley	0	0	0	0
Duval	0	0	0	0
Eastland	0	0	0	0
Ector	0	0	0	0
Edwards	60	0	0	0
El Paso	0	0	0	0
Ellis	0	0	0	0
Erath	0	0	0	0
Falls	0	0	0	0
Fannin	0	0	0	0
Fayette	0	0	0	0
Fisher	0	0	0	0
Floyd	0	0	0	0
Foard	0	0	0	0
Fort Bend	9	1	2	39
Franklin	0	0	0	0
Freestone	0	0	0	0
Frio	0	0	0	0
Gaines	0	0	0	0
Galveston	2	1	0	0
Garza	0	0	0	0
Gillespie	44	0	0	0
Glasscock	0	0	0	0
Goliad	0	0	0	0
Gonzales	0	0	0	0
Gray	0	0	0	0
Grayson	0	0	0	0
Gregg	0	0	0	0
Grimes	0	0	0	5
Guadalupe	0	0	0	0
Hale	0	0	0	0

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Hall	0	0	0	0
Hamilton	0	0	0	0
Hansford	0	0	0	0
Hardeman	0	0	0	0
Hardin	0	0	0	0
Harris	27	43	31	144
Harrison	0	0	0	0
Hartley	0	0	0	0
Haskell	0	0	0	0
Hays	0	0	0	0
Hemphill	0	0	0	0
Henderson	0	0	0	0
Hidalgo	0	3	0	1
Hill	0	0	0	0
Hockley	0	0	1	0
Hood	0	0	0	0
Hopkins	0	0	0	0
Houston	0	0	0	0
Howard	0	0	0	0
Hudspeth	0	0	0	0
Hunt	0	0	0	0
Hutchinson	0	0	0	0
Irion	0	0	0	0
Jack	0	0	0	0
Jackson	0	0	0	0
Jasper	0	0	0	0
Jeff Davis	0	0	0	0
Jefferson	4	7	0	0
Jim Hogg	0	0	0	0
Jim Wells	0	0	0	0
Johnson	0	0	0	0
Jones	0	0	0	0
Karnes	0	0	0	0
Kaufman	0	0	0	0
Kendall	0	0	0	0
Kenedy	0	0	0	0
Kent	0	0	0	0
Kerr	0	18	0	0
Kimble	0	0	0	0
King	0	0	0	0
Kinney	27	0	0	0
Kleberg	0	0	0	0
Knox	0	0	0	0
La Salle	0	0	0	0
Lamar	0	0	0	0
Lamb	0	0	0	0
Lampasas	0	0	0	0
Lavaca	0	0	0	0

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Lee	0	0	0	0
Leon	0	0	0	0
Liberty	0	0	0	0
Limestone	0	0	0	0
Lipscomb	0	0	0	0
Live Oak	0	0	0	0
Llano	0	0	0	0
Loving	0	0	0	0
Lubbock	1	12	0	0
Lynn	0	0	0	0
Madison	1	0	0	0
Marion	0	0	0	0
Martin	0	0	0	0
Mason	0	0	0	0
Matagorda	0	0	0	0
Maverick	0	0	0	0
McCulloch	0	0	0	0
McLennan	0	0	0	0
McMullen	0	0	0	0
Medina	0	0	0	0
Menard	0	0	0	0
Midland	0	0	0	0
Milam	0	0	0	0
Mills	0	0	0	0
Mitchell	0	0	0	0
Montague	0	0	0	0
Montgomery	4	0	0	47
Moore	0	0	0	0
Morris	0	0	0	0
Motley	0	0	0	0
Nacogdoches	0	0	0	0
Navarro	0	0	0	0
Newton	0	0	0	0
Nolan	0	0	0	0
Nueces	1	0	2	0
Ochiltree	0	0	0	0
Oldham	0	0	0	0
Orange	0	0	0	0
Palo Pinto	0	0	0	0
Panola	0	0	0	0
Parker	0	0	0	0
Parmer	0	0	0	0
Pecos	0	0	0	0
Polk	0	0	0	0
Potter	0	0	0	0
Presidio	0	0	0	0
Rains	0	0	0	0
Randall	0	1	0	0

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Reagan	0	0	0	0
Real	0	0	0	0
Red River	0	0	0	0
Reeves	0	0	0	4
Refugio	0	0	0	0
Roberts	0	0	0	0
Robertson	0	0	0	0
Rockwall	0	0	0	0
Runnels	0	0	0	0
Rusk	0	0	0	0
Sabine	0	0	0	0
San Augustine	0	0	0	0
San Jacinto	0	0	0	0
San Patricio	0	0	0	0
San Saba	0	0	0	0
Schleicher	0	0	0	0
Scurry	0	0	0	0
Shackelford	0	0	0	0
Shelby	0	0	0	0
Sherman	0	0	0	0
Smith	0	0	0	0
Somervell	0	0	0	0
Starr	0	0	0	0
Stephens	0	0	0	0
Sterling	0	0	0	0
Stonewall	0	0	0	0
Sutton	0	0	0	0
Swisher	0	0	0	0
Tarrant	0	5	0	137
Taylor	0	0	0	0
Terrell	0	0	0	0
Terry	0	0	0	0
Throckmorton	0	0	0	0
Titus	1	0	0	0
Tom Green	0	0	0	0
Travis	10	1	5	0
Trinity	0	0	0	0
Tyler	0	0	0	0
Upshur	0	0	0	0
Upton	0	0	0	0
Uvalde	0	0	0	0
Val Verde	0	0	0	0
Van Zandt	0	0	0	0
Victoria	0	0	1	0
Walker	0	0	0	0
Waller	0	0	0	0
Ward	0	0	0	0
Washington	0	0	0	0

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Webb	0	0	0	0
Wharton	0	0	0	0
Wheeler	0	0	0	0
Wichita	4	0	1	0
Wilbarger	0	0	0	0
Willacy	0	0	0	0
Williamson	1	1	14	0
Wilson	0	0	0	0
Winkler	0	0	0	0
Wise	0	0	0	0
Wood	0	0	0	0
Yoakum	0	0	0	0
Young	0	0	0	0
Zapata	0	0	0	0
Zavala	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	224	168	87	377



Sexual Assault Victim and Offenders by Age

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Offender Age	White			Black			American			Asian			Native			Unknown Race			Hispanic			Non-Hispanic			Unknown Ethnicity		
	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk
00	917	35	3	474	19		4			26	2	1	1		821	36	491	601	21	20	698	33	9	944	38	466	
01	24	1		5						2					1		2	10	1		20			2		2	
02	1																				1						
03															1						1						
04	3	1		4											1	1		2			5	1		1	1		
05	5	2		3											1			1	1		6	1		2			
06	10	2		2						1								7	1		5	2					
07	15	3		5	7										1			3	2		15	8		3			
08	16	1		7	1										1	3		8	1		15	1			3		
09	26	2		9	1													10	2		22	1		3			
10	72	26		24	7		1			1					10	3		32	9		63	22		13	5		
11	122	19		33	9					3	1				8	1		57	7		88	21		21	2		
12	177	18	2	71	9					1					12	2		87	8	1	143	17		31	4	1	
13	253	28	1	86	6					6					19	4	1	133	15		202	16	1	29	7	1	
14	323	26		74	5			1		5					18	5	1	155	12		233	19		33	6	1	
15	344	25		118	6		1			1					27	3	5	183	10		261	20	4	47	4	1	
16	403	7		125	7		2			5			2		29	3	2	216	5		302	9		50	3	2	
17	413	22		135	2		2			7					27	2		219	11		310	12		55	3		
18	473	12		126	5		1			7					25		3	254	8		331	8		47	1	3	
19	409	14		138	3		2			9			2		22	1		227	6		305	9		50	3		
20	361	7		125	9					7			1		23	1	3	210	4		266	12		41	1	3	
21	303	13		98	4		1			8			1		13			181	3		208	14		35			
22	278	15		115	8		1			5	2				12			167	9		214	16		30			
23	252	9		87	3					2	1		1		9			149	4		174	7		28	2		
24	245	13	1	85	3					5			3		11			157	5		161	10		31	1	1	
25	291	11		125	1		1			7					17	2	1	172	6		225	5		44	3	1	
26	213	9		74	5		1			2					7			124	2		153	12		20			

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27	231	9	94	3				5		1			13	1	1	144	6	167	6		33	1	1
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35	294	7	105	1		1		5	1				26	1		172	3	213	5		46	2	
36	280	12	60	3				3		1			3			173	6	156	9		18		
37	252	8	67	4		1		7	2	3			5			156	5	158	9		21		
38	227	4	57	4		1		1					7			124	3	157	5		12		
39	245	9	68	4				2		3			10			141	4	166	8		21	1	
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42	183	5	79	3				5	1				5			101	4	158	5		13		
43	185	7	45					4					4			105	3	121	3		12	1	
44	157	2	59					3	1				4			98	2	111	1		14		
45	178	3	57	1				7	1				8			100	3	126	2		24		
46	141	2	50	2				7		1			4			72	1	123	3		9		
47	133	3	33			1		6	1	2			2			74		96	4		7		
48	99	4	33			1		3		1			5			57	2	78	2		7		
49	124	4	37	2		1		5		1			9			66	2	94	3		17	1	
50	138	9	50	2						1			5		1	71	3	107	7		16	1	1
51	128	4	40	1				2	2				1			69	1	95	6		7		
52	89	2	35	3				1		1			3			39		78	5		12		
53	86	2	25	1				4	1				1			51	1	57	3		8		
54	79	1	21	1				1		1			3	2		39		59	1		7	3	
55	93	1	28	1				3					4			49	1	65			14	1	1
56	87	5	29	1				2	1						1	43	3	72	4		3		1

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57	88	2	24	1				1	1				4	1	48	2	61	1	8	2
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60	66	4	27										4		43	1	67	3	9	
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63	41	1	12		1			3					1		24		33	1	1	
64	48	3	14					2					2		26		36	2	4	1
65	41	3	8					3		2			3		22	1	29	1	6	1
66	41	2	5		1			1							17		29	2	2	
67	37		6	1											23		18	1	2	
68	23	1	2										1		13		12	1	1	
69	24	1	5										1		8		19		3	1
70	26	2	8										1		10	2	21		4	
71	21				1										10		11		1	
72	18	1	2												7	1	12		1	
73	19	1	1					2							12		9	1	1	
74	21		4												10		14		1	
75	15		1										1		7		9		1	
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77	6		1												2		5			
78	13	1													2	1	11			
79	8			1											6		2	1		
80	6		2					1					1		3		6		1	
81	5		1												2		4			
82	5														3		2			
83	3							1						1	1		3			1
84	2														1		1			
85	1																1			
86	3														1		1		1	

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Victim Age	White			Black			American Indian/Alaskan Native			Asian			Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander			UnKnown Race			Hispanic			Non-Hispanic			UnKnown Ethnic		
	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk	Male	Female	Unk
00	155	266	3	71	80	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	21	61	44	86	163	0	126	165	6	38	80	41
01	159	187	1	75	79	1	0	1	0	3	4	0	0	1	0	4	12	14	97	115	0	125	138	3	19	31	13
02	164	162	0	71	63	2	1	0	0	7	3	0	0	0	0	9	1	3	110	90	0	121	123	1	21	16	4
03	190	283	0	79	88	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	2	11	2	111	159	0	146	201	0	14	26	2
04	236	325	1	72	102	1	0	0	0	2	4	0	0	1	0	8	12	1	130	201	0	161	212	0	27	31	3
05	259	342	0	96	78	0	0	1	0	6	7	0	0	0	0	10	11	1	160	207	0	184	196	0	27	36	1
06	258	367	1	98	92	0	1	0	0	8	3	0	0	0	0	6	14	0	146	222	0	207	222	0	18	32	1
07	218	300	0	90	99	0	0	1	0	6	4	0	0	1	0	12	16	2	137	176	0	175	204	0	14	41	2
08	225	361	0	92	94	1	0	1	0	4	7	0	0	1	0	5	10	1	136	248	0	177	193	0	13	33	2
09	214	398	0	108	109	1	0	1	0	6	8	0	0	0	0	3	16	0	117	253	0	200	239	1	14	40	0
10	257	526	0	126	145	0	0	5	0	4	13	0	0	1	0	2	11	1	180	343	0	191	319	0	18	39	1
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12	350	897	1	203	270	0	0	2	0	4	21	0	1	1	0	0	14	4	221	602	0	318	549	1	19	54	4
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15	653	1384	0	268	482	0	0	2	0	9	11	0	1	3	0	6	24	2	393	912	0	499	891	0	45	103	2
16	730	1622	0	311	568	0	2	5	0	12	27	0	0	3	0	4	27	2	446	1046	0	576	1084	0	37	122	2
17	756	1820	1	311	795	0	2	4	0	20	48	0	2	3	0	11	24	3	453	1206	1	583	1353	0	66	135	3
18	939	2487	0	327	1149	0	3	6	0	23	49	0	1	3	0	11	32	2	575	1643	1	684	1917	0	45	166	1
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49	671	1596	0	269	534	0	2	5	0	18	40	0	1	11	0	4	10	1	352	836	0	582	1275	0	31	85	1

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51	693	1390	0	263	481	0	3	4	0	21	30	0	1	4	0	2	15	2	337	648	0	615	1208	0	31	68	2
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99	1	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	2	0	1	2	3	1	0	0
BB	189	150	0	82	56	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	4	8	2	123	97	0	136	107	0	17	12	2
NB	11	11	0	6	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	3	7	6	0	11	8	0	0	3	3	3
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This report reflects incidents submitted to the Texas Department of Public Safety's Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) system as applied to your request. UCR is a voluntary program, wherein, participating agencies are required.

STOP Violence Against Formula Grant Program

Implementation Planning Process DOCUMENTATION OF COLLABORATION

State/Territory: Texas

Administering Agency: Office of the Governor: Public Safety Office

Collaborating Agency: Casa de Misericordia

Type of Agency: Population Specific Organization

Planning Team Meeting Date(s): 11/02/2021

The following questions should be answered by the Collaborating Agency:

Did you participate in planning meeting (please circle one): **Yes**

If so, did you participate In-person attendance Via conference call

Did you have adequate opportunity to discuss the concerns or issues impacting your area of expertise and/or the population(s) you were representing? **Yes**

Did you receive a copy of the draft plan? **Yes**

Did you review the draft plan? **Yes**

Do you feel the primary needs were addressed in draft plan? **Yes**

Did you offer feedback on draft plan? **Yes**

Did you receive a copy of the finalized plan? **Yes**

Were you satisfied that the plan included any issues you may have asked be included? **Yes**

If no, please explain

I feel we never visit enough about how immigration plays such a big part in all forms of abuse. Individuals that have been here for years and are just not able to adjust their status and/or mixed families.

Collaborating Agency:

SISTER Rosemary Welsh, RSM

Signature

Dated: February, 4, 2022

Summary of Issues Raised
(To be completed by the STOP Administrator)

Primary Needs/Issues Discussed	How were these addressed in the Implementation Plan?	If not addressed in the plan, why not?

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Funding Summary

Please explain your agency's need for grant funding:

Casa de Misericordia is a non-profit, domestic violence program. Grant funding supports essential and critical services for survivors of domestic violence in our community by supporting the salaries and benefits of professionals who are trained to deliver these services.

Please explain the intended use of the grant funds:

The grant funds support the salaries, benefits and training of three licensed professional counselors or licensed professional counselor interns. The professionals utilize appropriate, evidence based techniques, tools and therapies to provide assessments, develop individualized service plans, and provide individual counseling, support groups, crisis intervention, and follow-up. Throughout the course of the implementation of the plan, the counselor works with the individual to assess, evaluate, and modify the plan as needed.

Please explain your expected result from grant funding:

With this grant funding, Casa expects that survivors will develop the knowledge, skills, coping mechanisms, and awareness to feel more safe and secure, know more about what services and resources are available to them in the community, feel less alone, and feel more hopeful about the future.

Please summarize the demographic characteristics of the population to be served including age, disability, race, ethnicity, and language background:

The program serves victims of domestic violence without regard to age, disability, race, ethnicity, and language background. That being said, the majority of those the program serves are Hispanic, uninsured, and live below the poverty line. The children that Casa serves with this grant funding are children of victims who seek services from Casa.

STOP Violence Against Formula Grant Program

Implementation Planning Process DOCUMENTATION OF COLLABORATION

State/Territory: Texas

Administering Agency: Office of the Governor: Public Safety Office

Collaborating Agency: Lubbock Rape Crisis Center dba Voice of Hope

Type of Agency: Other

Planning Team Meeting Date(s): 11/02/2021

The following questions should be answered by the Collaborating Agency:

Did you participate in planning meeting (please circle one): Choose an item.

If so, did you participate In-person attendance Via conference call

Did you have adequate opportunity to discuss the concerns or issues impacting your area of expertise and/or the population(s) you were representing? **Yes**

Did you receive a copy of the draft plan? **Yes**

Did you review the draft plan? **Yes**

Do you feel the primary needs were addressed in draft plan? **Yes**

Did you offer feedback on draft plan? **Yes**

Did you receive a copy of the finalized plan? **Yes**

Were you satisfied that the plan included any issues you may have asked be included? **Yes**

If no, please explain

My only concern would be that East Texas is specifically mentioned as an area of need but West Texas was not. The majority of the counties in my service area are rural and have lost population numbers since the 2010 census. I included the 2020 numbers on the last page.

Collaborating Agency:



Signature
Dated: 3.2.2022

Summary of Issues Raised
(To be completed by the STOP Administrator)

Primary Needs/Issues Discussed	How were these addressed in the Implementation Plan?	If not addressed in the plan, why not?

Funding Summary

Please explain your agency's need for grant funding:

Lubbock Rape Crisis Center (LRCC) provides services to Lubbock and the surrounding 11 counties. The West Texas region is largely rural and limit with services. The one domestic violence shelter that serves these areas typically remains full due to demand and lack of over resources. The rural counties are required to transport to Lubbock for forensic exams due to lack of trained medical providers in the smaller communities. The same is true of counseling and services that are offered in languages other than English. While counseling can be offered with Telemedicine, most of these clients do not have access to this technology.

Please explain the intended use of the grant funds:

Funding could help address the lack of advocacy and counseling in these communities by either hiring someone in those communities that could travel to surrounding areas or providing funding to increase staff in Lubbock with a significant mileage allocation.

Please explain your expected result from grant funding:

Increased services to underserved populations with priority given to staff that can speak multiple languages.

Please summarize the demographic characteristics of the population to be served including age, disability, race, ethnicity, and language background:

Information gathered from census.gov

Bailey County:

Population as of April 1,2020:	6,904
Female population:	49.8%
Hispanic or Latino	64%
Households with Broadband	70.5%
Persons in Poverty:	14.4%

Cochran County:

Population as of April 1,2020:	2,547
Female population:	49.3%
Hispanic or Latino	60.9%
Households with Broadband	66%
Persons in Poverty:	19.2%

Crosby County:

Population as of April 1,2020:	5,133
Female population:	50.4%
Hispanic or Latino	56.6%
Households with Broadband	68.9%
Persons in Poverty:	19.8%

Dawson County:

Population as of April 1,2020: 12,456
Female population: 45.3%
Hispanic or Latino 58.1%
Households with Broadband 68.8%
Persons in Poverty: 18.7%

Dickens County:

Population as of April 1,2020: 1,770
Female population: 44.5%
Hispanic or Latino 30.3%
Households with Broadband 77.3%
Persons in Poverty: 18.9%

Floyd County:

Population as of April 1,2020: 5,402
Female population: 49.7%
Hispanic or Latino 58.9%
Households with Broadband 73.8%
Persons in Poverty: 17.7%

Garza County:

Population as of April 1,2020: 5,816
Female population: 35%
Hispanic or Latino 52%
Households with Broadband 78.9%
Persons in Poverty: 20.6%

Hale County:

Population as of April 1,2020: 32,522
Female population: 47.9%
Hispanic or Latino 60.4%
Households with Broadband 77.2%
Persons in Poverty: 17.6%

Hockley County:

Population as of April 1,2020: 21,537
Female population: 50.1%
Hispanic or Latino 48.7%
Households with Broadband 75.8%
Persons in Poverty: 12.9%

Lamb County:

Population as of April 1,2020: 13,045
Female population: 50.4%
Hispanic or Latino 56.1%
Households with Broadband 67.3%
Persons in Poverty: 17.6%

Lynn County:

Population as of April 1,2020: 5,596
Female population: 48.7%
Hispanic or Latino 46.8%
Households with Broadband 71.6%
Persons in Poverty: 14.4%

Terry County:

Population as of April 1,2020: 11,831
Female population: 47.3%
Hispanic or Latino 56%
Households with Broadband 70.7%
Persons in Poverty: 18.5%

Yoakum:

Population as of April 1,2020:	7,694
Female population:	49.1%
Hispanic or Latino	67.5%
Households with Broadband	75%
Persons in Poverty:	10.8%

Texas (for comparison):

Population as of April 1,2020:	29,145,505
Female population:	50.3%
Hispanic or Latino	39.7%
Households with Broadband	81.9%
Persons in Poverty:	13.4%

Lubbock (for comparison):

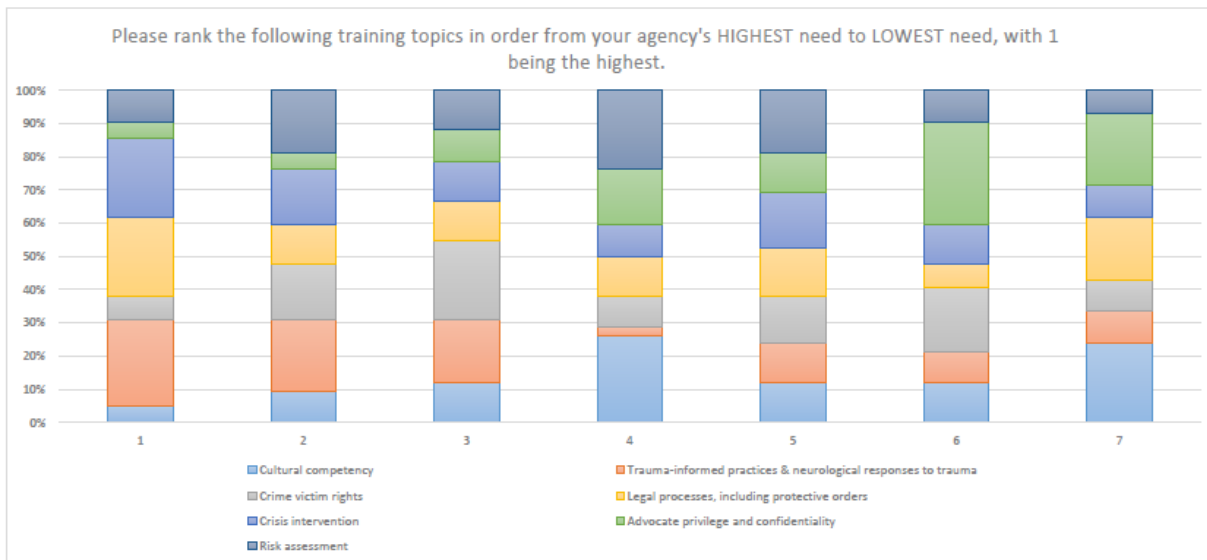
Population as of April 1,2020:	310,639
Female population:	50.7%
Hispanic or Latino	36.3%
Households with Broadband	79.8%
Persons in Poverty:	15.8%

STOP Needs Assessment

Please rank the following training topics in order from your agency's HIGHEST need to LOWEST need, with 1 being the highest.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Total	Score
Cultural competency	5%	10%	12%	26%	12%	12%	24%		
Trauma-informed practices & neurological responses to trauma	26%	21%	19%	2%	12%	10%	10%	42	3.38
Crime victim rights	7%	17%	24%	10%	14%	19%	10%	42	4.81
Legal processes, including protective orders	24%	12%	12%	12%	14%	7%	19%	42	4.21
Crisis intervention	24%	17%	12%	10%	17%	12%	10%	42	4.48
Advocate privilege and confidentiality	5%	5%	10%	17%	12%	31%	21%	42	2.95
Risk assessment	10%	19%	12%	24%	19%	10%	7%	42	4.19

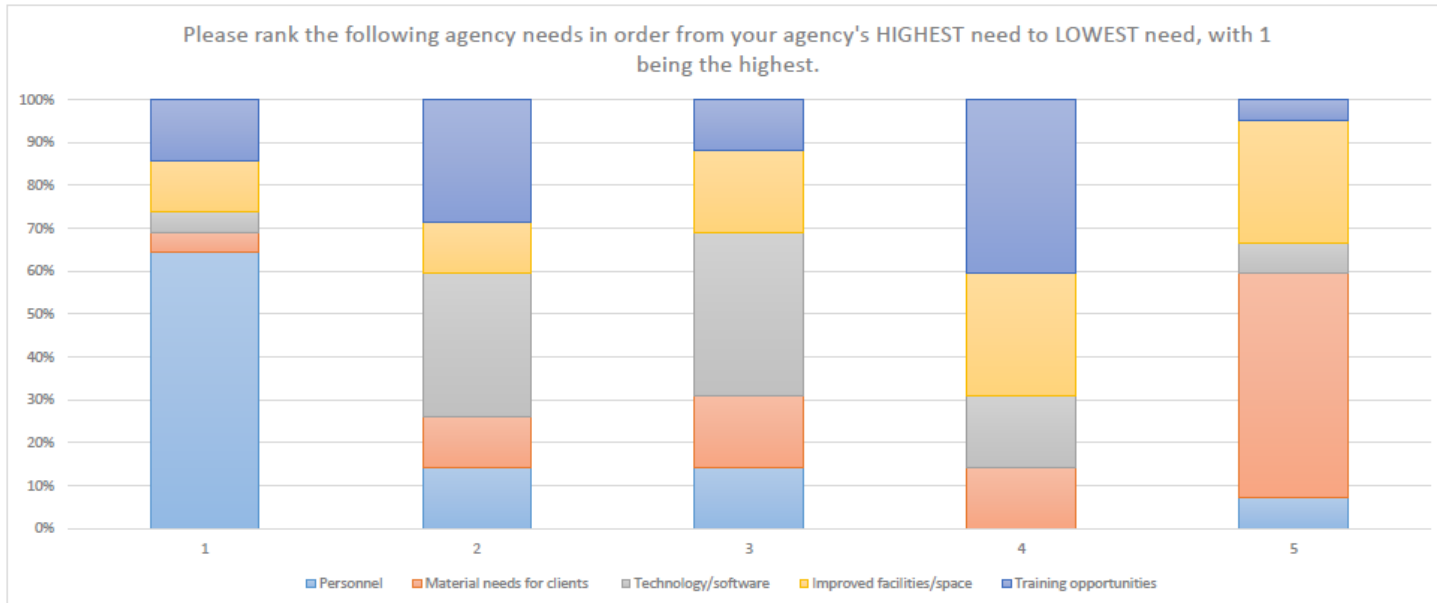
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Legal processes, including protective orders	24%	12%	12%	12%	14%	7%	19%
Crisis intervention	24%	17%	12%	10%	17%	12%	10%
Advocate privilege and confidentiality	5%	5%	10%	17%	12%	31%	21%
Risk assessment	10%	19%	12%	24%	19%	10%	7%



Please rank the following agency needs in order from your agency's HIGHEST need to LOWEST need, with 1 being the highest.

	1	2	3	4	5	Total	Score
Personnel	64%	14%	14%	0%	7%		
	27	6	6	0	3	42	4.29
Material needs for clients	5%	12%	17%	14%	52%		
	2	5	7	6	22	42	2.02
Technology/software	5%	33%	38%	17%	7%		
	2	14	16	7	3	42	3.12
Improved facilities/space	12%	12%	19%	29%	29%		
	5	5	8	12	12	42	2.50
Training opportunities	14%	29%	12%	40%	5%		
	6	12	5	17	2	42	3.07

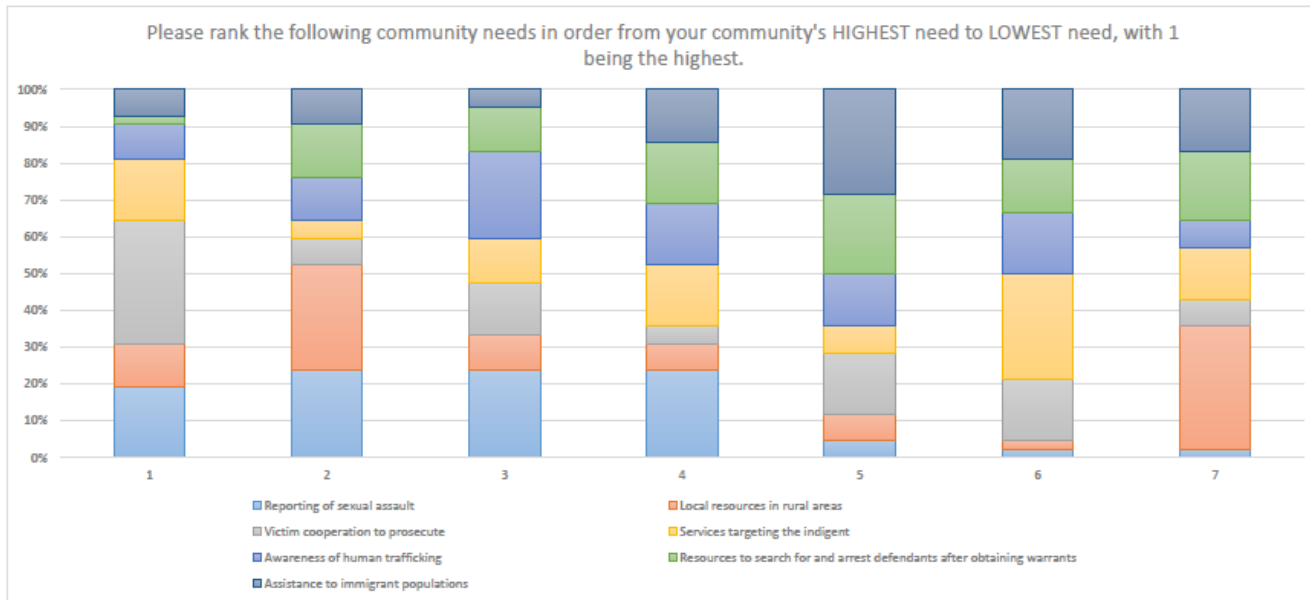
	1	2	3	4	5
Personnel	64%	14%	14%	0%	7%
Material needs for clients	5%	12%	17%	14%	52%
Technology/software	5%	33%	38%	17%	7%
Improved facilities/space	12%	12%	19%	29%	29%
Training opportunities	14%	29%	12%	40%	5%



Please rank the following community needs in order from your community's HIGHEST need to LOWEST need, with 1 being the highest.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Total	Score
Reporting of sexual assault	19%	24%	24%	24%	5%	2%	2%		
	8	10	10	10	2	1	1	42	5.12
Local resources in rural areas	12%	29%	10%	7%	7%	2%	33%		
	5	12	4	3	3	1	14	42	3.90
Victim cooperation to prosecute	33%	7%	14%	5%	17%	17%	7%		
	14	3	6	2	7	7	3	42	4.57
Services targeting the indigent	17%	5%	12%	17%	7%	29%	14%		
	7	2	5	7	3	12	6	42	3.64
Awareness of human trafficking	10%	12%	24%	17%	14%	17%	7%		
	4	5	10	7	6	7	3	42	4.07
Resources to search for and arrest defendants after obtaining warrants	2%	14%	12%	17%	21%	14%	19%		
	1	6	5	7	9	6	8	42	3.40
Assistance to immigrant populations	7%	10%	5%	14%	29%	19%	17%		
	3	4	2	6	12	8	7	42	3.29

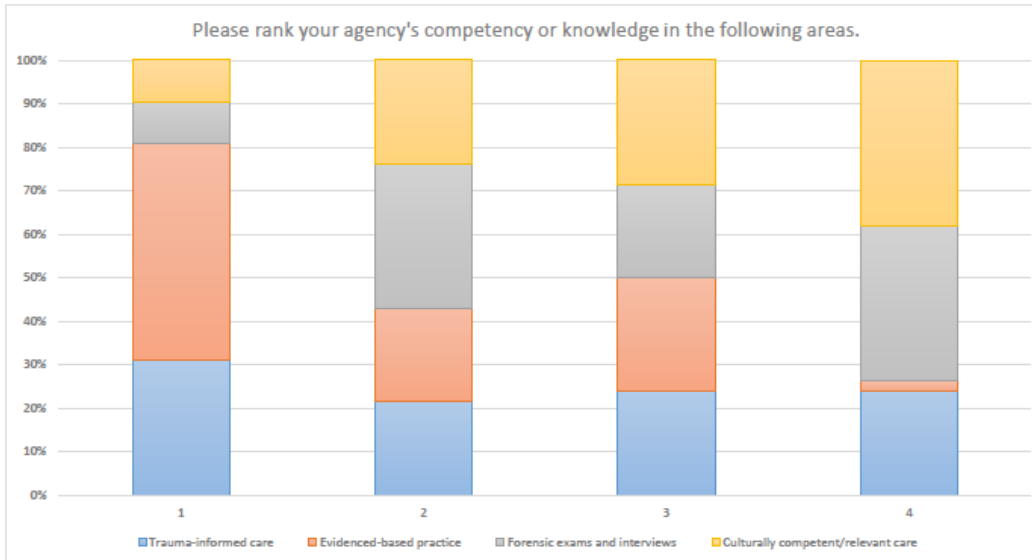
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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Local resources in rural areas	12%	29%	10%	7%	7%	2%	33%
Victim cooperation to prosecute	33%	7%	14%	5%	17%	17%	7%
Services targeting the indigent	17%	5%	12%	17%	7%	29%	14%
Awareness of human trafficking	10%	12%	24%	17%	14%	17%	7%
Resources to search for and arrest defendants after obtaining warrants	2%	14%	12%	17%	21%	14%	19%
Assistance to immigrant populations	7%	10%	5%	14%	29%	19%	17%



Please rank your agency's competency or knowledge in the following areas.

	1	2	3	4	Total	Score
Trauma-informed care	31%	21%	24%	24%		
	13	9	10	10	42	2.60
Evidenced-based practice	50%	21%	26%	2%		
	21	9	11	1	42	3.19
Forensic exams and interviews	10%	33%	21%	36%		
	4	14	9	15	42	2.17
Culturally competent/relevant care	10%	24%	29%	38%		
	4	10	12	16	42	2.05

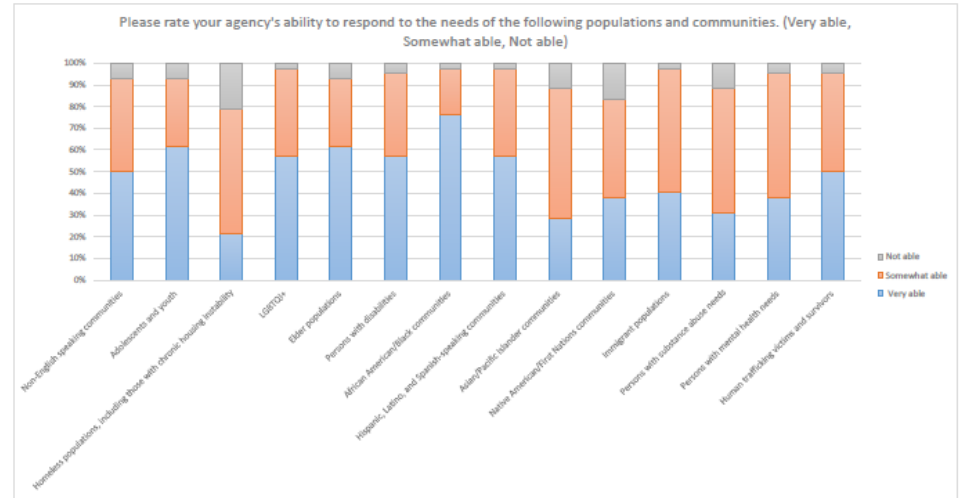
	1	2	3	4
Trauma-informed care	31%	21%	24%	24%
Evidenced-based practice	50%	21%	26%	2%
Forensic exams and interviews	10%	33%	21%	36%
Culturally competent/relevant care	10%	24%	29%	38%



Please rate your agency's ability to respond to the needs of the following populations and communities. (Very able, Somewhat able, Not able)

	Very able	Somewhat able	Not able	Total	Weighted Average
Non-English speaking communities	50%	43%	7%		
	21	18	3	42	1.57
Adolescents and youth	62%	31%	7%		
	26	13	3	42	1.45
Homeless populations, including those with chronic housing instability	21%	57%	21%		
	9	24	9	42	2.00
LGBTQ+	57%	40%	2%		
	24	17	1	42	1.45
Elder populations	62%	31%	7%		
	26	13	3	42	1.45
Persons with disabilities	57%	38%	5%		
	24	16	2	42	1.48
African American/Black communities	76%	21%	2%		
	32	9	1	42	1.26
Hispanic, Latino, and Spanish-speaking communities	57%	40%	2%		
	24	17	1	42	1.45
Asian/Pacific Islander communities	29%	60%	12%		
	12	25	5	42	1.83
Native American/First Nations communities	38%	45%	17%		
	16	19	7	42	1.79
Immigrant populations	40%	57%	2%		
	17	24	1	42	1.62
Persons with substance abuse needs	31%	57%	12%		
	13	24	5	42	1.81
Persons with mental health needs	38%	57%	5%		
	16	24	2	42	1.67
Human trafficking victims and survivors	50%	45%	5%		
	21	19	2	42	1.55

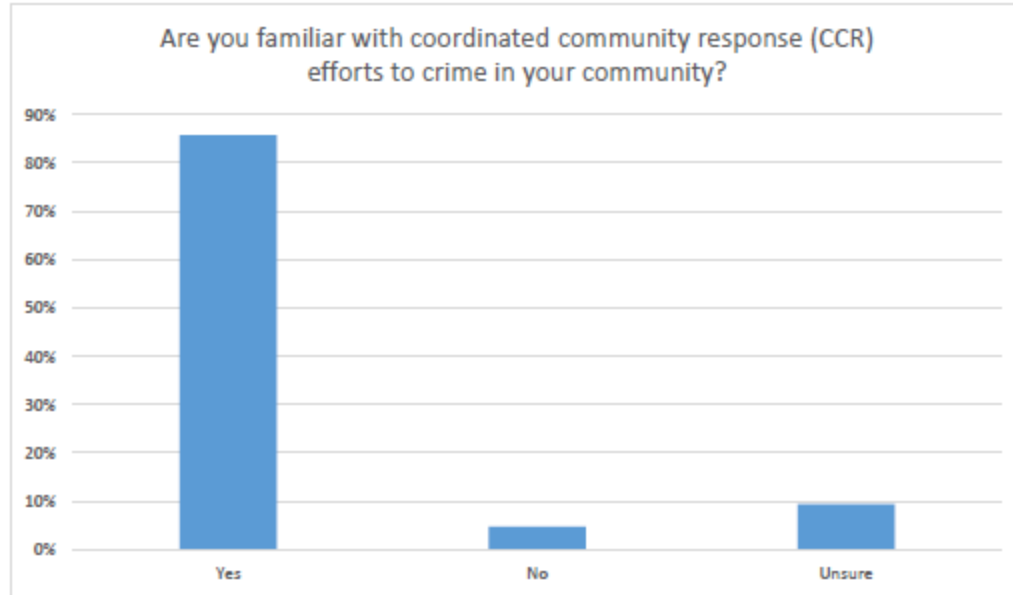
	Very able	Somewhat able	Not able
Non-English speaking communities	50%	43%	7%
Adolescents and youth	62%	31%	7%
Homeless populations, including those with chronic housing instability	21%	57%	21%
LGBTQ+	57%	40%	2%
Elder populations	62%	31%	7%
Persons with disabilities	57%	38%	5%
African American/Black communities	76%	21%	2%
Hispanic, Latino, and Spanish-speaking communities	57%	40%	2%
Asian/Pacific Islander communities	29%	60%	12%
Native American/First Nations communities	38%	45%	17%
Immigrant populations	40%	57%	2%
Persons with substance abuse needs	31%	57%	12%
Persons with mental health needs	38%	57%	5%
Human trafficking victims and survivors	50%	45%	5%



Are you familiar with coordinated community response (CCR) efforts to crime in your community?

Answer Choices	Responses
Yes	86%
	36
No	5%
	2
Unsure	10%
	4
Total	42

Answer Choices	Responses
Yes	86%
No	5%
Unsure	10%
Total	42



Please rank the following state priority areas in order of importance to your program or region.

	1	2	3	4	5	Total	Score
Increase collaboration and communication efforts across all levels of government and among victim service providers including underutilized partners such as: correction officers, military personnel, tribal communities, and campus police departments.	17%	17%	19%	24%	24%	42	2.79
Improve the criminal justice system response to victims of violence against women.	7	7	8	10	10	42	2.79
Improve court services regarding domestic violence, sexual assault, dating violence, and stalking.	40%	29%	24%	5%	2%	42	4.00
Support and strengthen victim services. B	17	12	10	2	1	42	4.00
Increase the number of Sexual Assault Response Teams (SART).	17%	38%	19%	17%	10%	42	3.36
Support and strengthen victim services. B	7	16	8	7	4	42	3.36
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Support and strengthen victim services. B	9	5	13	12	3	42	3.12
Increase the number of Sexual Assault Response Teams (SART).	5%	5%	7%	26%	57%	42	1.74
Improve the criminal justice system response to victims of violence against women.	2	2	3	11	24	42	1.74

	1	2	3	4	5
Increase collaboration and communication efforts across all levels of government and among victim service providers including underutilized partners such as: correction officers, military personnel, tribal communities, and campus police departments.	17%	17%	19%	24%	24%
Improve the criminal justice system response to victims of violence against women. B	40%	29%	24%	5%	2%
Improve court services regarding domestic violence, sexual assault, dating violence, and stalking. B	17%	38%	19%	17%	10%
Support and strengthen victim services. B	21%	12%	31%	29%	7%
Increase the number of Sexual Assault Response Teams (SART).	5%	5%	7%	26%	57%

