FY 2023 PRISON RAPE ELIMINATION ACT RESOURCE CENTER

IMPORTANT DEADLINES

GRANTS.GOV:
JUNE 5, 2023

JUSTGRANTS:
JUNE 12, 2023

Who May Apply:

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education; nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education; for profit organizations other than small businesses; small businesses; and public and private institutions of higher education.

Why Apply:

Receive funding to continue the Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) Resource Center to ensure continued progress toward meaningful implementation of the PREA standards in the nation's confinement facilities and to strengthen the commitment of staff members in these facilities and the agencies that oversee them to eliminate sexual abuse and sexual harassment of persons who are confined.

Maximum per Award:

Up to $4,580,222 for one award

BJA encourages the following entities to apply:

- Agencies that have not received BJA funding before.
- Convening or governing bodies that can apply on behalf of one or more entities.

Examples of strategies/ activities that can be funded:

- PREA training.
- PREA technical assistance.
- Clearinghouse for PREA information and resources.
- Strategic outreach to and communication with PREA stakeholders.
- Implementing and enhancing zero tolerance cultures in confinement facilities and agencies.

Where to get more information about this opportunity:

Visit www.prearesourcecenter.org/ for more information about the PREA Resource Center, bja.ojp.gov/program/prea/overview for more information on PREA, and bja.ojp.gov/funding/opportunities/o-bja-2023-171723 for full funding information.

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Tips for Success:

- **Start early!** To apply, you must first have a valid registration in the System for Award Management (SAM). **Registration and renewal can take up to 10 business days** to complete. Register at: sam.gov/content/home.

- For **questions** about the program's requirements or the application process, see the full solicitation's cover page at: bja.ojp.gov/funding/O-BJA-2023-171723.pdf for information on who to contact.

- Visit **BJA Funding Webinars** at: bja.ojp.gov/events/funding-webinars and review the "Federal Funding Process: First Steps to Applying, How to Prepare Now, and Other Considerations."

- **Subscribe** for email notifications from BJA about funding opportunities and other news at bja.ojp.gov/subscribe-newsfrombja.

- To be in the know about funding opportunities across the Office of Justice Programs, sign up to receive **JUSTINFO** at: www.ojp.gov/news/justinfo and/or the weekly **Funding News** at: public.govdelivery.com/accounts/USDOJOJP_COMMS/subscriber/new?topic_id=USDOJOJP_COMMS_25.

How to apply and when:

Submit a two-step application.

(1) Register in Grants.gov and follow the prompts to submit two forms by June 5, 2023.

(2) Then complete the full application in JustGrants.usdoj.gov by June as, 2023. The application's major elements are:

(a) The **proposal abstract** that summarizes the problem you wish to address with your project (no more than 400 words).

(b) The **proposal narrative** that describes your project's strategies, activities, and major deliverables as well as your capacity to address the problem.

(c) The **web-based budget** form that details how you will allocate the grant funds by task, date, and responsible person.

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