

FY 2024 COORDINATED HATE CRIMES RESOURCE CENTER

IMPORTANT DEADLINES



GRANTS.GOV:
JULY 8, 2024

JUSTGRANTS:
JULY 15, 2024

Who May Apply:

Public- and state-controlled institutions of higher education; 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; private institutions of higher education; for-profit organizations other than small businesses; small businesses

Why Apply:

Receive funding to establish a coordinated hate crimes resource center. The resource center will serve as single location for communities to access the latest promising practices, research, and implementation support from across many disciplines to address hate crimes.

BJA encourages the following entities to apply:

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

Maximum per Award:

- Up to \$2,000,000

Examples of strategies/ activities that can be funded:

- Assess the needs of the criminal justice field and associated communities and develop strategies to expand awareness and build skills and knowledge surrounding hate crimes.
- Collaborate and coordinate with providers, federal partners, and interest groups on topics related to hate crimes.
- Develop cadre of trainers and subject matter experts that reflect a mix of experiences and perspectives to be able to effectively reach communities impacted by and practitioners responding to hate crimes.
- Serve as a thought leader and information clearinghouse for relevant hate crimes research and best practices.
- Create knowledge diffusion products (e.g., fact sheets, webinars) and disseminate them through BJA's networks.
- Develop tools to address gaps in existing hate crimes resources.

Where to get more information about this opportunity:

Visit <https://bja.ojp.gov/topics/hate-crime> for more information about related hate crimes programs and bja.ojp.gov/funding/opportunities/o-bja-2024-172167 for full funding information.

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 at: bja.ojp.gov/funding/O-BJA-2024-172167.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.
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How to apply and when:

Submit a two-step application.

- (1) Register in [Grants.gov](https://grants.gov) and follow the prompts to submit two forms by July 8, 2024.
 - (2) Then complete the full application in JustGrants.usdoj.gov by July 15, 2024. 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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BJA helps America's state, local, and tribal jurisdictions reduce and prevent crime, lower recidivism, and promote a fair and safe criminal justice system. BJA provides a wide range of resources—including grants, funding, and training and technical assistance—to law enforcement, courts and corrections agencies, treatment providers, reentry practitioners, justice information sharing professionals, and community-based partners to address chronic and emerging criminal justice challenges nationwide. To learn more about BJA, visit bja.ojp.gov or follow us on Facebook (www.facebook.com/DOJBJA) and X ([@DOJBJA](https://twitter.com/DOJBJA)). BJA is a component of the Department of Justice's Office of Justice Programs.