



# New Jersey Office of the Attorney General

FY21 American Rescue Plan  
Competitive Funds for New Jersey  
Hospital Based Violence Intervention  
Program (NJHVIP) NOAF

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# Agenda

1. Overview
2. Project Period
3. Requirements
4. NOAF Priority Areas
5. Allowable Costs
6. Q&A

# NOTE ABOUT THIS PRESENTATION

- Will not cover all aspects of the NOAF application (e.g., Budget)
- Is intended to help applicants write an explanation that clearly explains their proposal.
- Applicants must read the full NOAF and Program Guidelines and follow the instructions there.

# 1. Overview

→ NOAF:

→ Important Dates

→ Application Process

→ Goals

→ Program components

# Important Dates!

- **November 2, 2022 – NOAF Webinar**
- **December 9, 2022 – HVIP Applications due (no extensions)**
- **January 10, 2023 – Award notifications**

# Application Process

**For the full eligibility and application requirements, you need to carefully read the NOAF and Application Guidelines.**

# HVIP NOAF Goals

- Support programming that connects victims to services beginning in a hospital or other medical setting to services outside of the hospital in order to increase support for victims of crime, improve their outcomes, and reduce future victimization.
- Ensure continuity of services to victims and communities currently being served through the FFY 2019 Federal Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) NJ HVIP.
- Continue building infrastructure - supports community-based responses to violence and a network of community-based public safety interventions.
- Continue serving the communities currently served; supports building infrastructure.

## 2. Project Period

- Eligibility
- Program Components



# Project Period

- Begin January 1, 2023 unless
  - Awarded agency currently has a FY19 VOCA HVIP award; in that case start date = retroactive to the day current HVIP ends.
- Encouraged to propose minimum one year
- Must maintain adequate staffing level whole project period.

# 3. Requirements

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→ Eligibility

→ Program Components

# Eligibility

- See NOAF for full eligibility requirements.
- Requires partnerships with at least one community-based direct victim service organization.
- Must be a hospital-based victim service component, whether provided by the hospital or community-based entity.
- One eligible entity must be lead (managing grant).
- Applicants must have direct experience operating an HVIP program, and must be able to begin or continue an HVIP program and operations in the target community immediately upon the start of the grant (no start-up costs or planning funds).

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# Program Components

- Hospital component
  - hospital trauma center, hospital emergency department or a local health department
- Community-based organization providing victim services
  - At least one required.
- Victim services can be provided in both in hospital and externally
  - If CBO is funded to do external work, must still also have hospital-based victim service component
- Equitable partnerships (page 8)

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# 4. NOAF Priority Areas

- Overview
- Examination of Priority Areas

# Priority Areas - Overview

- Emphasizes experience, continuity, and immediacy. Supports building infrastructure.
- Inclusion of Priority Areas is not required but can improve scoring of application.
- **Worth 25 Points**

# Priority Areas

- Priority Area 1
  - Experience and expertise in providing HVIP in New Jersey + ability to begin work immediately.
- Priority Area 2
  - Experience servicing the target population through an HVIP program. Population needs and importance of continuity of service.
- Priority Area 3
  - Experience achieving the objectives of proposal through a past HVIP program. Success in achieving these objectives and any measurable outcomes from this project.
- Priority Area 4
  - Capacity building that builds the expertise and deepens the knowledge of staff versus HVIP from scratch. Reinforce and strengthen an existing HVIP program.

# 5. Allowable Costs

→ Overview –

*Source: HVIP Program  
Guidelines*



# Allowable Costs.

- 25% of costs upfront
- Participant Aid – the aid is necessary to support individuals over the course of the program (includes housing policy).
- Wellness
- Justice-involved population

## 7. Contact

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