



## May 2022

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### 5-Year Review

#### TA2TA: The TA provider Resource Center

The [Technical Assistance to Technical Assistance Project](#) was awarded to the [National Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges](#) (NCJFCJ) in 2011, by the [Office on Violence Against Women](#) (OVW), U.S. Department of Justice.

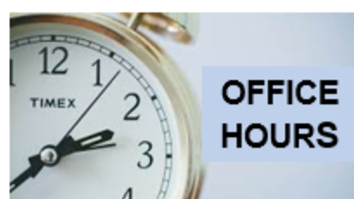
We are pleased to announce that the NCJFCJ will continue serving as the comprehensive training and technical assistance provider to OVW TA providers and operating **TA2TA: The TA Provider Resource Center**.

TA2TA has evolved into a hub for over **75 OVW TA providers**, offering support and promoting problem-solving strategies and best practices for approximately **150 projects** addressing crimes of domestic violence, sexual assault, dating violence, and stalking.

Feel free to reach out to the TA2TA team to learn more about the services we can offer you or visit the [TA2TA website](#) to request TA services.

[Access Full TA2TA 5-Year Review Here!](#)

### TA2TA Connect Calls and Office Hours



This is not a large group discussion, but rather an open time for you to come with any questions you may have for TA2TA and OVW - we will be available any time within the hour!

**10:30 a.m. PST / 11:30 a.m. MST  
12:30 p.m. CST / 1:30 p.m. EST**

**\*No registration; just come with your questions!**

- June 27
- July 25
- August 29
- September 26
- October 24
- November 28
- \*No December hours*

#### 2022 TA2TA Connect Call



*This is a space reserved for OVW TA providers*

We invite you, as an OVW TA provider, to be a part of a space reserved for OVW TA providers to connect, discuss, problem-solve, and share.

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12:30 p.m. CST / 1:30 p.m. EST**

- June 6
- July 11
- (Guest Speaker: OVW GFMD)**
- August 8
- September 12
- October 17
- November 7
- December 5

[Register for 2022 TA2TA Connect Call Series](#)

### New Virtual Facilitation Resources from I-LED



New Resources!

The Accidental Educator's Guide

#### Part One: Adapting Facilitation Skills from In-Person to Virtual

This tool offers virtual alternatives for common in-person activities, engagement strategies, and facilitation techniques.

#### Part Two: Dealing with Virtual Facilitation Challenges

This tool provides tech solutions, facilitation strategies, and content suggestions to support facilitators, or "accidental educators," adapting to individual participant and overall group dynamic related challenges in an online format.

[Find both resources and more here!](#)

### Vera Institute of Justice's Online Courses for Accessible Training and TA

Build your skills around offering accessible training and technical assistance and meaningfully engaging people with disabilities and Deaf people in your work by viewing courses online:

- Anticipate and plan for access needs for your events
- Develop a budget that accounts for access
- Select and secure interpreters that match the linguistic, cultural, and racial identities of Deaf participants and presenters
- Host virtual and in-person events that are accessible
- Create training materials that are accessible and useable for people with disabilities and Deaf people
- Meaningfully engage with people with disabilities and Deaf people
- Create a culture of support and accountability for access

[Access Courses Here!](#)

## END ABUSE of PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES

*The movement starts here*

If you would like more information please contact the Vera Institute of Justice, Center on Victimization and Safety at [cvs@vera.org](mailto:cvs@vera.org)

### Technology Supply Packs for TA Providers

TA2TA is now offering equipment rental at no cost to OVW TA Providers to ensure you are set up for success for your training and technical assistance. Click the video to learn more!



[CLICK TO PLAY VIDEO!](#)

[Technology Supply Pack Form](#)

### Virtual Platform Scholarship for TA Providers

TA2TA would like to support OVW TA providers by providing scholarship opportunities to fund the purchase of virtual platforms that will enhance the delivery of your training and technical assistance. For example, content development programs, learning management systems, event management platforms, video editors, or podcast platforms. Information about this opportunity is in the request form below. If you have additional questions regarding this opportunity, please email [info@ta2ta.org](mailto:info@ta2ta.org).

[Virtual Platform Scholarship Form](#)

### Zoom Platform Tips

With Zoom being a constant in today's virtual world, here are some tips for the Zoom platform:

1. Zoom now has auto-generated captions. Live Transcription is available for all Zoom Meeting/Webinar Accounts. (<https://blog.zoom.us/zoom-auto-generated-captions/>)
2. With Zoom constantly updating, Zoom provides product release notes you can easily access. Release notes discuss new features, changes to existing features, and resolved issues. (<https://support.zoom.us/hc/en-us/categories/4415113014797-Release-Notes>)
3. Hosting a Zoom webinar/meeting and need a break? We suggest creating a "break time" slide with a countdown timer. This article describes how to create a countdown timer in powerpoint: <https://24slides.com/presentbetter/powerpoint-countdown-timer>

### Updated Grants Financial Management Guide 2022

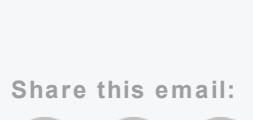
The DOJ Grants Financial Guide (the "Guide") has been updated! The Guide serves as the primary reference manual to assist OJP, OVW, and COPS Office recipients in fulfilling their fiduciary responsibility to safeguard grant funds and ensure funds are used for the purposes for which they were awarded. It compiles a variety of laws, rules, and regulations that affect the financial and administrative management of your award. There may be instances where the requirements may differ among the three grant-making components; to the extent possible, those differences are spelled out throughout this Guide. However, recipients (and subrecipients) should refer to their award terms and conditions to determine the specific requirements that apply to their award. We have provided references to the underlying laws and regulations as much as possible.

This Guide should be the starting point for all recipients and subrecipients of DOJ grants and cooperative agreements in ensuring the effective day-to-day management of awards.

[Grants Financial Management Guide](#)

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