

Justice for Families (JFF) 2024 New Grantee Orientation

December 3-5, 2024
Coeur d'Alene, Idaho


Team Introductions

Hopland Band of Pomo Indians

Hopland, CA

 **Type of Award:**
New-FY2022


 **Our JFF award will allow us to:**
Assist the Hopland Band of Pomo Indians in planning and developing a safe exchange and supervised visitation program.


 **Purpose Areas:**
1) Supervised visitation and safe exchange
5) Court and court-based programs and services

LACBA Counsel for Justice

Los Angeles, CA

 **Type of Award:**
New

 **Our JFF award will allow us to:**
Allow us to partner directly with Peace Over Violence, a sexual and DV prevention center headquartered in Los Angeles.


 **Purpose Areas:**
5) Court and court-based programs and services
6) Civil legal assistance


Provide additional transportation services to survivors of DV so they may receive services without worrying about how to get there or how to pay for parking.

Governor's Office - Governor's Community Outreach Federal Programs Office (GCO-FPO)

Hagåtña, GU

 **Type of Award:**
New


 **Our JFF award will allow us to:**
Expand exchange and visitation services, including special needs accommodations.


 **Purpose Areas:**
1) Supervised visitation and safe exchange services
5) Court and court-based programs and services


Increase access to victim/survivor services by providing a Resource Coordinator to help in navigating the court system.

Domestic Violence Action Center

Honolulu, HI

 **Type of Award:**
Continuation


 **Our JFF award will allow us to:**
Provides crucial staffing stability through consistent, multi-year funding


 **Purpose Areas:**
3) Training for court-based and court-related personnel
5) Court and court-based programs and services
6) Civil legal assistance


Enables us to develop and implement judicial trainings, educating judges about the complex realities survivors of domestic violence face. This training opportunity will help create a more informed and sensitive judicial response.

County of Winnebago

Rockford, IL

 **Type of Award:**
Continuation
OWD Designated Mentor Court

 **Our JFF award will allow us to:**
Explore and implement a Safety Facilitator Project.

 **Purpose Areas:**
3) Training for court-based and court-related personnel
5) Court and court-based programs and services
6) Civil legal assistance
8) Training within the civil justice system

Enhance childcare services in our Domestic Violence Assistance Center.

Kids Voice of Indiana, Inc.

Indianapolis, IN



Type of Award:

New



Our JFF award will allow us to:

Open up more space to provide supervised parenting time, resulting in an increase in the number of children and families we service.



Purpose Areas:

- 1) Supervised visitation and safe exchange
- 3) Training for court-based and court-related personnel
- 5) Court and court-based programs and services

Allow us to develop and implement a training program for our staff, resulting in highly trained supervisors knowledgeable of industry standards and best practices.

Greenhouse17, Inc.

Lexington, KY



Type of Award:

New



Our JFF award will allow us to:

Continue delivery of services for adult survivors and children from the Lexington-Fayette; Georgetown, Kentucky, and Danville, Kentucky facilities.



Purpose Areas:

- 1) Supervised visitation and safe exchange
- 5) Court and court-based programs and services

Continue delivery of court-based advocacy for survivors and referral processes to other services.

The Wellspring Alliance for Families, Inc.

Monroe, LA



Type of Award:

Continuation



Our JFF award will allow us to:

Continue to provide supervised visitation.



Purpose Areas:

- 1) Supervised visitation and safe exchange
- 3) Training for court-based and court-related personnel
- 5) Court and court-based programs and services

Work with our Batterer's Intervention Program and District Attorney's Office to provide support to survivors whose partners are enrolled in the program to obtain feedback as to their lived experiences throughout with the goal of increasing accountability and enhancing safety.

Little Traverse Bay of Odawa Indians

Harbor Springs, MI



Type of Award:

New-FY2020



Our JFF award will allow us to:

Provide no-cost attorneys to clients that qualify and be able to provide supervision to parents.



Purpose Areas:

- 1) Supervised visitation and safe exchange
- 6) Civil legal assistance

Hope House, Inc.

Lee's Summit, MO



Type of Award:

Continuation



Our JFF award will allow us to:

Support Hope House's Supervised Visitation/Monitored Exchange and Civil Legal Programs.



Purpose Areas:

- 1) Supervised visitation and safe exchange
- 5) Court and court-based programs and services
- 6) Civil legal assistance

Expand the SAFeR training that is offered to attorneys and judges

Continue a compliance docket for orders of protection that have been issued and begin working on a system to ensure respondents turn over any guns they may own.

Youth Substance Abuse Prevention Coalition

Gape Girardeau, MO



Type of Award:

New



Our JFF award will allow us to:

Provide supervised visitation to parents and children who are involved with the courts.



Purpose Areas:

- 1) Supervised visitation and safe exchange
- 3) Training for court-based and court-related personnel

Education court personnel and community stakeholders on the complex dynamics of domestic violence.

YWCA Missoula

Missoula, MT



Type of Award:

Continuation-FY2023



Our JFF award will allow us to:

Provide civil legal assistance to survivors.



Purpose Areas:

- 1) Supervised visitation and safe exchange
- 5) Court and court-based programs and services
- 6) Civil legal assistance

Improve well-being and outcomes for families through the DV Court.

County of Chatham

Pittsboro, NC



Type of Award:

Continuation



Our JFF award will allow us to:

Continue to build the supervised visitation center.



Purpose Areas:

- 1) Supervised visitation and safe exchange
- 6) Civil legal assistance

Enhance civil legal services for DV survivors.

Provide funding for essential needs of survivors.

The Mediation Center

Asheville, NC



Type of Award:

Continuation



Our JFF award will allow us to:

Enable the expansion of our supervised visitation and safe exchange services to include Polk County, covering the entire judicial district. Additionally, the funding will support travel costs for victims, facilitating access to our services and enhancing safety for families in need.



Purpose Areas:

- 1) Supervised visitation and safe exchange
- 6) Civil legal assistance

Enhanced Training and Support for visitation staff domestic violence attorneys, enhancing our ability to provide appropriate services for victims.

Center for Safety & Change, Inc.

New City, NY



Type of Award:

Continuation



Our JFF award will allow us to:

Enable the Center and project partners to address the obstacles victims of DV and non-offending parents face in Family Court and IDV, including securing permanent protection orders, obtaining custody of their children, and receiving visitation conditions that are safe for the victim and the children.



Purpose Areas:

- 1) Supervised visitation and safe exchange
- 3) Training for court-based and court-related personnel
- 5) Court and court-based programs and services
- 6) Civil legal assistance

Improve outcomes for victims of DV and their children in Family Court and the IDV, and for the Family Court system to be a tool for stabilizing families.

Justice Innovation, Inc.

New York, NY



Type of Award:

New



Our JFF award will allow us to:

Provide support and resources to those who have caused harm in their intimate partner relationships and share children in common.



Purpose Areas:

- 3) Training for court-based and court-related personnel
- 5) Court and court-based programs and services

Oswego County Opportunities, Inc.

Fulton, NY



Type of Award:

Continuation



Our JFF award will allow us to:

Offer an Offender Accountability Program for free and be able to purchase an evidence-based curriculum.



Purpose Areas:

- 1) Supervised visitation and safe exchanges
- 5) Court and court-based programs and services
- 6) Civil legal assistance

Provide Legal Assistance to Victims which is paramount as victims continue to need legal assistance for family matters, including civil protection orders, custody, and divorce.

REACH CNY, Inc.

Syracuse, NY



Type of Award:

New



Our JFF award will allow us to:

Offer Supervised Visitation Services to families who cannot afford them. Learn more about supervised visitation to improve the quality of the program.



Purpose Areas:

- 1) Supervised visitation and safe exchange
- 5) Court and court-based programs and services
- 8) Training within the civil justice system

Rochester Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, Inc.

Rochester, NY



Type of Award:

New



Our JFF award will allow us to:

Continue to provide supervised visitation and exchange services, legal advice, brief legal service, and direct representation, training, and advocacy.



Purpose Areas:

- 1) Supervised visitation and safe exchange
- 5) Court and court-based programs and services
- 6) Civil legal assistance
- 8) Training within the civil justice system

Taking a more targeted approach to ensuring Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) within our community's practices by incorporating a DEI Manager to provide consultation and training with project partners on the unique considerations of diverse populations and facilitate the Family Advisory Collective (FAC) to ensure that the voices of those served are solicited, valued, and centered in guiding services.

Safe Horizon, Inc.

New York, NY



Type of Award:

Continuation



Our JFF award will allow us to:

Support for victims/survivors in court and supervised visitation.



Purpose Areas:

- 1) Supervised visitation and safe exchange
- 5) Court and court-based programs and services

Unified Court System of New York State

New York, NY



Type of Award:

New



Our JFF award will allow us to:

Provide civil legal services to IPV survivors, improve training of court personnel and other court partner working group members in the civil justice system, and improve domestic violence advocacy services while addressing concerns of underserved communities.



Purpose Areas:

- 3) Training for court-based and court-related personnel
- 5) Court and court-based programs and services
- 6) Civil legal assistance
- 8) Training within the civil justice system

Ohio CASA GAL Association

Columbus, OH



Type of Award:

Continuation



Our JFF award will allow us to:

Train attorney GALs very specifically for this work and provide a stipend to make it reasonable for them to take these cases.



Purpose Areas:

- 3) Training for court-based and court-related personnel
- 5) Court and court-based programs and services

Women Helping Women

Cincinnati, OH



Type of Award:

New - FY2022



Our JFF award will allow us to:

Assist with building relationships with our community partners through collaboration and training. Which ultimately will result in survivors of domestic violence and sexual assault cases being prosecuted.



Purpose Areas:

- 3) Training for court-based and court-related personnel
- 5) Court and court-based programs and services

Help bridge the gap between language and disability access issues by assisting with interpreting services.

Judiciary Courts of Oklahoma

Tulsa, OK



Type of Award:

Continuation-FY2023
OVW Designated Mentor Court



Our JFF award will allow us to:

Address need for risk assessments and address current database issues.



Purpose Areas:

- 3) Training for court-based and court-related personnel
- 5) Court and court-based programs and services

The Young Womens' Christian Association

Knoxville, TN



Type of Award:

Continuation



Our JFF award will allow us to:

Expand services to include greater connections with the court systems to provide advocacy for services and clients.



Purpose Areas:

- 1) Supervised visitation and safe exchange
- 5) Court and court-based programs and services
- 6) Civil legal assistance

Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Services of Whatcom County

Bellingham, WA



Type of Award:

New



Our JFF award will allow us to:

Create and maintain a consistent and coordinated response to address systemic barriers in the civil legal system. Including the voices of survivors, and bringing together courts, community-based advocates, and legal aid with expert consultants in trauma, child welfare, disability access, and language access will improve the civil and family court experience for survivors from every angle.



Purpose Areas:

- 3) Training for court-based and court-related personnel
- 5) Court and court-based programs and services
- 6) Civil legal assistance
- 8) Training within the civil justice system

YWCA of Clark County

Vancouver, WA



Type of Award:

New



Our JFF award will allow us to:

Provide wrap-around services through our Domestic Violence High-Risk Team and expand partnerships with courts, law enforcement, treatment, and legal aid providers in our community- all who are involved in civil legal matters related to domestic violence.



Purpose Areas:

- 5) Court and court-based programs and services
- 6) Civil legal assistance

The Parenting Place

La Crosse, WI



Type of Award:

Continuation



Our JFF award will allow us to:

Provide Supervised Visitation and Exchange services to families affected by DV and support the parents in having a healthy and safe relationship with their child.



Purpose Areas:

- 1) Supervised visitation and safe exchange
- 3) Training for court-based and court-related personnel
- 8) Training within the civil justice system

Provide SAFeR trainings along with BWJP to members in our community working with those affected by DV.

Child Protect of Mercer County, Inc.

Princeton, WV



Type of Award:

New



Our JFF award will allow us to:

Add transportation services & a full-time advocate position at our supervised visitation center.



Purpose Areas:

- 1) Supervised visitation and safe exchange
- 3) Training for court-based and court-related personnel