



# **GMS Synopsis Report Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program 2017-DJ-BX-0082 Jul 2019 - Dec 2019**

The following report covers grantee reported activity for grant number 2017-DJ-BX-0082 awarded to Jul 2019 - Dec 2019. The award, in the amount of \$3,353,534.00, was issued as part of the BJA FY 17 JAG STATE solicitation. Any funds reported only represent an estimate of dollars allocated or used for activities covered by this award.

This report covers 2 reporting period(s) of data, represented as follows:

- Jul - Sep 2019
- Oct - Dec 2019

Note: This report is only a general overview of the award including funding allocation, funding usage, and qualitative data. The full dataset, including program activities and outcomes, can be found in the attached spreadsheet.

## **Project Description**

The Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program (JAG) allows states and units of local government, including tribes, to support a broad range of activities to prevent and control crime based on their own state and local needs and conditions. Grant funds can be used for state and local initiatives, technical assistance, training, personnel, equipment, supplies, contractual support, and information systems for criminal justice, including for any one or more of the following program areas: 1) law enforcement programs; 2) prosecution and court programs; 3) prevention and education programs; 4) corrections and community corrections programs; 5) drug treatment and enforcement programs; 6) planning, evaluation, and technology improvement programs; and 7) crime victim and witness programs (other than compensation) and 8) mental health programs and related law enforcement and corrections programs, including behavioral programs and crisis intervention teams. This State JAG award will be used to support criminal justice initiatives that fall under one or more of the allowable program areas above. Funded programs or initiatives may include multijurisdictional drug and gang task forces, crime prevention and domestic violence programs, courts, corrections, treatment, justice information sharing initiatives, or other programs aimed at reducing crime and/or enhancing public/officer safety. NCA/NCF

## **Grantee Activity**

The grantee indicated that a portion of the grant funds were sub-awarded. In total, 0 sub-award(s) was/were made. This report reflects combined data as entered by the direct recipient and the sub-recipient(s). Subgrantee responses can be found in the attached Excel document.

The grantee indicated the award did not have any grant activity during the report period. Please see the "Comments" and "Goals and Objectives" sections for more information.

## **Award Synopsis**

The following table displays whether the grantee was operational, not operational, or closed out during the report period.

Reporting Period: Jul - Sep 2019

	Operational	Not Operational	Final Report
Grantee		Yes	None

Reporting Period: Oct - Dec 2019

	Operational	Not Operational	Final Report
Grantee		Yes	None

## Goals & Objectives

The following goals and objectives were entered by the grantee during the report period.

Direct Grantee: (Reporting Period: 01 Oct 2019 - 31 Dec 2019)

#	Goal	Status	Progress & Barriers	Planned Activities
1	The FY'17 JAG funds will be used to support local and state projects and activities that address issues and needs identified in the strategic plan and subsequent work noted below. As part of our ongoing effort to promote the use of evidence-based practices (EBP), all applicants for funds for new projects will be required to incorporate them into the projects they propose; and DCJS grant guidelines will provide links to EBP resources available from the Justice Department and other sources.	Not yet started	We are still utilizing funds from FY 16 JAG.	We will be soliciting for applications regarding reentry, gangs, system improvements, crime prevention, justice information sharing, correctional alternatives, prosecution, indigent defense, delinquency prevention, computer software/hardware, community policing, and evidence-based.

Other Goals and Objectives Measures (Reporting Period: 01 Oct 2019 - 31 Dec 2019)

Option	Text Response(s)
<p>Did you receive or do you desire any assistance from BJA or a BJA-funded technical assistance provider? A list of technical assistance providers can be found at <a href="https://www.bjatrain.org/">https://www.bjatrain.org/</a>. Check all that apply.</p> <p>A. Yes, we received assistance B. Yes, we would like assistance or additional assistance</p>	C. No

C. No	
If yes to A or B above, please explain:	
D. If Yes, please explain	
BJA likes to showcase grantees who are working on successful, innovative and/or evidence-based programs. Do you have any noteworthy accomplishments, success stories, or program results from this reporting period that you would like to showcase?	
A. Yes B. No	B. No

## JAG Programs

The grantee provided information on the following JAG programs. Full program data can be found in the PMT.

Number of programs reported in PMT.	Direct Grantee	Sub-Grantee(s)
A. Law enforcement	0	0
B. Crime lab/forensics	0	0
C. Crime prevention	0	0
D. Prosecution	0	0
E. Public defense	0	0
F. Courts	0	0
G. Corrections	0	0
H. Community corrections	0	0
I. Reentry	0	0
J. Behavioral health	0	0
K. Assessment and evaluation	0	0
L. Crime victim/witness services	0	0

## Grantee Comments

The following grantee comments were entered into the PMT as an addendum to the GMS report.

01 Jul 2019 - 30 Sep 2019

We need some guidance moving forward as we set up our calendar year (CY2020) and our State Fiscal Year (FY2020) Jag sub-awards. Do we enter just the amount our agency spends in Admin (5%) funds or do we enter our submitted FFY 2017 Budget into PMT. Also, do the mandatory Local Law Enforcement allocations that go out from Byrne JAG by formula to localities have to be entered in PMT (\$417,924.00 of the \$3,353,534)?

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No additional comments at this time.