

# **BJA** BUREAU OF JUSTICE ASSISTANCE

## **GMS Synopsis Report Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program 2016-DJ-BX-0482 Report Period: 01 Jul 2016 - 31 Dec 2016**

The following report covers grantee reported activity for grant number 2016-DJ-BX-0482 awarded to Virginia Dept of Criminal Justice Services for the period 01 Oct 2015 - 31 Dec 2016. The award, in the amount of \$3,359,808.00, was issued as part of the BJA FY 16 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 2016
- Oct - Dec 2016

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). The Virginia Department of Criminal Justice Services will utilize Fiscal Year 2016 JAG funds to implement projects utilizing evidence-based practices designed to respond to the priority issues identified through a statewide criminal justice planning process and through subsequent surveys, analyses and consultations with stakeholders. 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 2016

	Operational	Not Operational	Final Report
Grantee		Yes	None

Reporting Period: Oct - Dec 2016

	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 2016 - 31 Dec 2016)

#	Goal	Status	Progress & Barriers	Planned Activities
1	Implementation of projects utilizing evidence-based practices designed to respond to the priority issues identified through a statewide criminal justice planning process and updated by surveys, analyses, consultations with stakeholders, and recommendations of task forces and workgroups convened to address specific emerging issues.	Not yet started	We have had no barriers per se. We have been spending prior year funds first.	Program guidelines are being created.

Other Goals and Objectives Measures (Reporting Period: 01 Oct 2016 - 31 Dec 2016)

Option	Text Response(s)
A. Yes, we received assistance B. Yes, we would like assistance or additional assistance 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

No comments entered