

Office for Victims of Crime
Victim Compensation Formula Grant Program
Annual Performance Measures Report
October 01, 2022 - September 30, 2023

GRANTEE INFORMATION

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POPULATION DEMOGRAPHICS

1. Number of people for whom an application was made for victim compensation benefits during the reporting period.

Q1: Oct-Dec 2022:
 Q2: Jan-Mar 2023:
 Q3: Apr-Jun 2023:
 Q4: Jul-Sep 2023:
 Annual:

2. Number of victims whose victimization is the basis for the application.

Q1: Oct-Dec 2022:
 Q2: Jan-Mar 2023:
 Q3: Apr-Jun 2023:
 Q4: Jul-Sep 2023:
 Annual:

3. Victim Demographics

Population	Number of Victims				
A. RACE/ETHNICITY	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Annual
American Indian or Alaska Native	42	27	43	34	146
Asian	4	4	4	2	14
Black or African American	52	42	58	66	218
Hispanic or Latino	37	37	30	30	134
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1	1	1	34	37
White Non-Latino or Caucasian	150	167	132	145	594
Some Other Race	2	1	2	7	12
Multiple Races	27	23	34	0	84
Not Reported	17	12	18	10	57
Not Tracked	0	0	0	0	0
Race/Ethnicity Total	332	314	322	328	1296
B. GENDER					
Male	145	143	147	133	568
Female	181	164	167	188	700
Not Reported	6	7	8	7	28
Not Tracked	0	0	0	0	0
Gender Total	332	314	322	328	1296
C. AGE					
Age 0- 12	51	30	33	14	128
Age 13- 17	35	30	22	37	124
Age 18- 24	38	35	39	42	154
Age 25- 59	175	186	196	183	740
Age 60 and Older	26	29	25	24	104
Not Reported	7	4	7	28	46
Not Tracked	0	0	0	0	0
Age Total	332	314	322	328	1296

PERFORMANCE MEASURES

4. Based on your program's general procedure, indicate if

Q1: Oct-Dec 2022:

Victims and indirect victims generally count as separate applications

Q2: Jan-Mar 2023:

Victims and indirect victims generally count as separate applications

Q3: Apr-Jun 2023:

Victims and indirect victims generally count as separate applications

Q4: Jul-Sep 2023:

Victims and indirect victims generally count as separate applications

5. Number of new applications **received** during the reporting period

Q1: Oct-Dec 2022:

Q2: Jan-Mar 2023:

Q3: Apr-Jun 2023:

Q4: Jul-Sep 2023:

Annual:

6. Number of applications **approved** during the reporting period.

Q1: Oct-Dec 2022:

Q2: Jan-Mar 2023:

Q3: Apr-Jun 2023:

Q4: Jul-Sep 2023:

Annual:

7. Number of applications **denied/closed**. (i.e., applications that were not approved) during the reporting period.

Q1: Oct-Dec 2022:

Q2: Jan-Mar 2023:

Q3: Apr-Jun 2023:

Q4: Jul-Sep 2023:

Annual:

Reason(s) for denial or close status applicable for the reporting period:

Population	Number of Victims				
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Annual
A. Application not filed within time limit	2	2	5	6	15
B. Failure to report to police	1	1	3	6	11
C. Failure to cooperate with law enforcement, victim/witness coordinator, and/or other official required by program	11	6	5	6	28
D. Incomplete information	0	0	0	0	0
E. Contributory misconduct	12	6	5	8	31
F. Ineligible crime	22	19	27	32	100
G. Ineligible application	133	105	117	118	473
Other	0	0	0	0	0

Denial explanation:

8. Number of applications received for Sexual Assault Forensic Examinations during the reporting period

Q1: Oct-Dec 2022:

Q2: Jan-Mar 2023:

Q3: Apr-Jun 2023:

Q4: Jul-Sep 2023:

Annual:

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PAYMENT STATISTICS BY CRIME TYPE Qtr:1

TYPES OF CRIME	EXPENSE TYPES PAID (in dollars)												TYPES OF VICTIMIZATIONS RELATED TO A CRIME TYPE					
	Total Number of Applications Paid During the Reporting Period	Crime Scene Clean Up	Dependent Care	Economic Support	Funeral Burial	Medical/Dental (except mental health)	Mental Health	Relocation	Replacement Services	Sexual Assault Forensic Exams	Travel	Other (please explain)	Total Paid for this Crime Type	Number of Applications Related to Bullying that were Paid During the Reporting Period	Number of Applications Related to Domestic and Family Violence that were Paid During the Reporting Period	Number of Applications Related to Elder Abuse/Neglect that were Paid During the Reporting Period	Number of Applications Related to Hate Crimes that were Paid During the Reporting Period	Number of Applications Related to Mass Violence that were Paid During the Reporting Period
Arson	1	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 27	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 27	0	0	0	0	0
Assault	90	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 87,931	\$ 0	\$ 331,074	\$ 4,570	NA	\$ 639		\$ 1,679	\$ 0	\$ 425,893	0	26	0	0	0
Burglary																		
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect	6	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 2,856	\$ 0	\$ 39,524	\$ 600	NA	\$ 0		\$ 27	\$ 0	\$ 43,007	0	5		0	0
Child Pornography																		
Child Sexual Abuse	195	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,919	\$ 0	\$ 3,849	\$ 12,177	NA	\$ 0	\$ 92,785	\$ 14,880	\$ 0	\$ 125,609	0	2		0	0
DUI/DWI	4	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 2,716	\$ 0	\$ 36,402	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0		\$ 489	\$ 0	\$ 39,606	0	0	0	0	0
Fraud/Financial Crimes																		
Homicide	71	\$ 2,650	\$ 0	\$ 8,308	\$ 290,812	\$ 3,260	\$ 5,184	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 310,214	0	9	0	0	1
Human Trafficking																		
Kidnapping	2	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 10,462	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0		\$ 8	\$ 0	\$ 10,470	0	0	0	0	0
Other Vehicular Crimes	2	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 16,684	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 16,684	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery	5	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 498	\$ 0	\$ 40,046	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0		\$ 394	\$ 0	\$ 40,937	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual Assault	242	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 389	\$ 0	\$ 3,548	\$ 5,264	NA	\$ 0	\$ 126,940	\$ 1,358	\$ 0	\$ 137,499	0	3	0	0	0
Stalking																		
Terrorism																		
Total	618	\$ 2,650	\$ 0	\$ 104,616	\$ 290,812	\$ 484,874	\$ 27,795	NA	\$ 639	\$ 219,725	\$ 18,835	\$ 0	\$ 1,149,945	0	45	0	0	1

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PAYMENT STATISTICS BY CRIME TYPE Qtr:2

TYPES OF CRIME	EXPENSE TYPES PAID (in dollars)												TYPES OF VICTIMIZATIONS RELATED TO A CRIME TYPE					
	Total Number of Applications Paid During the Reporting Period	Crime Scene Clean Up	Dependent Care	Economic Support	Funeral Burial	Medical/Dental (except mental health)	Mental Health	Relocation	Replacement Services	Sexual Assault Forensic Exams	Travel	Other (please explain)	Total Paid for this Crime Type	Number of Applications Related to Bullying that were Paid During the Reporting Period	Number of Applications Related to Domestic and Family Violence that were Paid During the Reporting Period	Number of Applications Related to Elder Abuse/Neglect that were Paid During the Reporting Period	Number of Applications Related to Hate Crimes that were Paid During the Reporting Period	Number of Applications Related to Mass Violence that were Paid During the Reporting Period
Arson																		
Assault	46	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 52,539	\$ 0	\$ 189,560	\$ 1,522	NA	\$ 17,119		\$ 1,240	\$ 0	\$ 261,980	0	15	0	0	1
Burglary																		
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect	2	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 2,216	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 771	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 2,987	0	1	0	0	0
Child Pornography																		
Child Sexual Abuse	336	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 9,702	NA	\$ 0	\$ 126,624	\$ 2,113	\$ 0	\$ 138,439	0	2	0	0	0
DUI/DWI	8	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 13,957	\$ 0	\$ 16,063	\$ 0	NA	\$ 5,551		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 35,571	0	0	0	0	0
Fraud/Financial Crimes																		
Homicide	51	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 101,773	\$ 202,549	\$ 1,026	\$ 3,888	NA	\$ 0		\$ 27	\$ 0	\$ 309,263	0	3	0	0	0
Human Trafficking																		
Kidnapping	3	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 17,524	\$ 264	NA	\$ 0		\$ 134	\$ 0	\$ 17,922	0	2	0	0	0
Other Vehicular Crimes	1	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 11,072	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 11,072	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery	8	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 4,195	\$ 0	\$ 40,281	\$ 1,140	NA	\$ 0		\$ 83	\$ 0	\$ 45,699	0	1	0	0	0
Sexual Assault	262	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 360	NA	\$ 0	\$ 104,851	\$ 690	\$ 0	\$ 105,901	0	0	0	0	0
Stalking	4	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 2,729	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 657	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 3,386	0	1	0	0	0
Terrorism																		
Total	721	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 177,408	\$ 202,549	\$ 275,527	\$ 18,303	NA	\$ 22,670	\$ 231,475	\$ 4,286	\$ 0	\$ 932,219	0	25	0	0	1

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PAYMENT STATISTICS BY CRIME TYPE Qtr:3

TYPES OF CRIME	EXPENSE TYPES PAID (in dollars)												TYPES OF VICTIMIZATIONS RELATED TO A CRIME TYPE					
	Total Number of Applications Paid During the Reporting Period	Crime Scene Clean Up	Dependent Care	Economic Support	Funeral Burial	Medical/Dental (except mental health)	Mental Health	Relocation	Replacement Services	Sexual Assault Forensic Exams	Travel	Other (please explain)	Total Paid for this Crime Type	Number of Applications Related to Bullying that were Paid During the Reporting Period	Number of Applications Related to Domestic and Family Violence that were Paid During the Reporting Period	Number of Applications Related to Elder Abuse/Neglect that were Paid During the Reporting Period	Number of Applications Related to Hate Crimes that were Paid During the Reporting Period	Number of Applications Related to Mass Violence that were Paid During the Reporting Period
Arson	1	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 304	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 304	0	0	0	0	0
Assault	70	\$ 600	\$ 0	\$ 71,695	\$ 785	\$ 216,307	\$ 4,502	NA	\$ 806		\$ 2,991	\$ 0	\$ 297,686	2	19	0	0	0
Burglary																		
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect	2	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 4,591	\$ 150	NA	\$ 0		\$ 3,389	\$ 0	\$ 8,129	0	1		0	0
Child Pornography	1	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,630	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,630	0	0		0	0
Child Sexual Abuse	224	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 4,591	\$ 5,108	NA	\$ 0	\$ 107,982	\$ 3,389	\$ 0	\$ 121,069	0	2		0	0
DUI/DWI	0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 2,374	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 2,374	0	0	0	0	0
Fraud/Financial Crimes	1	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,068	NA	\$ 0		\$ 35	\$ 0	\$ 1,102	0	0	0	0	0
Homicide	58	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 23,649	\$ 226,564	\$ 19,120	\$ 17,152	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 286,485	0	9	0	0	0
Human Trafficking																		
Kidnapping	3	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 2,015	\$ 96	NA	\$ 0		\$ 185	\$ 0	\$ 2,296	0	2	0	0	0
Other Vehicular Crimes	1	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 4,728	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0		\$ 357	\$ 0	\$ 5,086	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery	6	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 31,396	\$ 3,113	NA	\$ 0		\$ 378	\$ 0	\$ 34,887	0	0	0	0	0
Sexual Assault	261	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,021	\$ 0	\$ 2,157	\$ 2,689	NA	\$ 0	\$ 98,449	\$ 160	\$ 0	\$ 104,476	0	2	0	0	0
Stalking	4	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 602	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 866	NA	\$ 0		\$ 1,152	\$ 0	\$ 2,620	0	0	0	0	0
Terrorism																		
Total	632	\$ 600	\$ 0	\$ 96,967	\$ 227,349	\$ 287,582	\$ 36,372	NA	\$ 806	\$ 206,432	\$ 12,036	\$ 0	\$ 868,143	2	35	0	0	0

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PAYMENT STATISTICS BY CRIME TYPE Qtr:4

TYPES OF CRIME	EXPENSE TYPES PAID (in dollars)												TYPES OF VICTIMIZATIONS RELATED TO A CRIME TYPE					
	Total Number of Applications Paid During the Reporting Period	Crime Scene Clean Up	Dependent Care	Economic Support	Funeral Burial	Medical/Dental (except mental health)	Mental Health	Relocation	Replacement Services	Sexual Assault Forensic Exams	Travel	Other (please explain)	Total Paid for this Crime Type	Number of Applications Related to Bullying that were Paid During the Reporting Period	Number of Applications Related to Domestic and Family Violence that were Paid During the Reporting Period	Number of Applications Related to Elder Abuse/Neglect that were Paid During the Reporting Period	Number of Applications Related to Hate Crimes that were Paid During the Reporting Period	Number of Applications Related to Mass Violence that were Paid During the Reporting Period
Arson																		
Assault	55	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 47,817	\$ 1,315	\$ 145,393	\$ 1,932	NA	\$ 0		\$ 1,965	\$ 0	\$ 198,422	0	23	0	0	0
Burglary																		
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect	1	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 2,267	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,024	NA	\$ 0		\$ 356	\$ 0	\$ 3,647	0	0	0	0	0
Child Pornography																		
Child Sexual Abuse	222	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,291	\$ 2,527	NA	\$ 0	\$ 15,017	\$ 3,753	\$ 0	\$ 22,587	0	1	0	0	0
DUI/DWI	3	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 20,520	\$ 0	\$ 21,059	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 41,579	0	0	0	0	0
Fraud/Financial Crimes																		
Homicide	54	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 27,768	\$ 207,650	\$ 0	\$ 3,110	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 659	\$ 239,187	0	5	0	0	1
Human Trafficking																		
Kidnapping																		
Other Vehicular Crimes																		
Robbery	12	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 27,213	\$ 0	\$ 64,379	\$ 184	NA	\$ 0		\$ 68	\$ 0	\$ 91,845	0	1	0	0	0
Sexual Assault	274	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 319	\$ 0	\$ 3,867	\$ 771	NA	\$ 0	\$ 39,614	\$ 143	\$ 0	\$ 44,713	0	2	0	0	0
Stalking	1	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 11,546	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 11,546	0	1	0	0	0
Terrorism																		
Total	622	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 125,903	\$ 208,965	\$ 247,535	\$ 9,547	NA	\$ 0	\$ 54,631	\$ 6,285	\$ 659	\$ 653,525	0	33	0	0	1

* Other expense explanations

Homicide Vehicle Impound fees because vehicle was the crime scene.

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PAYMENT STATISTICS BY CRIME TYPE - Aggregated

TYPES OF CRIME	EXPENSE TYPES PAID (in dollars)													TYPES OF VICTIMIZATIONS RELATED TO A CRIME TYPE				
	Total Number of Applications Paid During the Reporting Period	Crime Scene Clean Up	Dependent Care	Economic Support	Funeral Burial	Medical/Dental (except mental health)	Mental Health	Relocation	Replacement Services	Sexual Assault Forensic Exams	Travel	Other (please explain)	Total Paid for this Crime Type	Number of Applications Related to Bullying that were Paid During the Reporting Period	Number of Applications Related to Domestic and Family Violence that were Paid During the Reporting Period	Number of Applications Related to Elder Abuse/Neglect that were Paid During the Reporting Period	Number of Applications Related to Hate Crimes that were Paid During the Reporting Period	Number of Applications Related to Mass Violence that were Paid During the Reporting Period
Arson	2	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 331	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 331	0	0	0	0	0
Assault	261	\$ 600	\$ 0	\$ 259,981	\$ 2,100	\$ 882,333	\$ 12,526	NA	\$ 18,565		\$ 7,875	\$ 0	\$ 1,183,980	2	83	0	0	1
Burglary																		
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect	11	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 7,339	\$ 0	\$ 44,114	\$ 2,545	NA	\$ 0		\$ 3,771	\$ 0	\$ 57,769	0	7		0	0
Child Pornography	1	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,630	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,630	0	0		0	0
Child Sexual Abuse	977	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,919	\$ 0	\$ 9,730	\$ 29,513	NA	\$ 0	\$ 342,408	\$ 24,134	\$ 0	\$ 407,703	0	7		0	0
DUI/DWI	15	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 37,193	\$ 0	\$ 75,898	\$ 0	NA	\$ 5,551		\$ 489	\$ 0	\$ 119,131	0	0	0	0	0
Fraud/Financial Crimes	1	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,068	NA	\$ 0		\$ 35	\$ 0	\$ 1,102	0	0	0	0	0
Homicide	234	\$ 2,650	\$ 0	\$ 161,498	\$ 927,574	\$ 23,407	\$ 29,334	NA	\$ 0		\$ 27	\$ 659	\$ 1,145,148	0	26	0	0	2
Human Trafficking																		
Kidnapping	8	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 30,001	\$ 360	NA	\$ 0		\$ 327	\$ 0	\$ 30,688	0	4	0	0	0
Other Vehicular Crimes	4	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 32,485	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0		\$ 357	\$ 0	\$ 32,842	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery	31	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 31,905	\$ 0	\$ 176,102	\$ 4,437	NA	\$ 0		\$ 923	\$ 0	\$ 213,368	0	2	0	0	0
Sexual Assault	1,039	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,728	\$ 0	\$ 9,571	\$ 9,083	NA	\$ 0	\$ 369,855	\$ 2,351	\$ 0	\$ 392,589	0	7	0	0	0
Stalking	9	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 3,331	\$ 0	\$ 11,546	\$ 1,523	NA	\$ 0		\$ 1,152	\$ 0	\$ 17,552	0	2	0	0	0
Terrorism																		
Total	2,593	\$ 3,250	\$ 0	\$ 504,894	\$ 929,675	\$ 1,295,518	\$ 92,018	NA	\$ 24,115	\$ 712,262	\$ 41,442	\$ 659	\$ 3,603,832	2	138	0	0	3

NARRATIVE QUESTIONS

1. **Please explain any significant change in the number of applications received during the reporting period.**
There was a increase of four(4) new claims received during the reporting period compared to the last reporting period. This small increase in new claims received does not constitute a significant change compared to last year.
2. **The average length of time to process an application for claim eligibility for compensation**
Count days from time of receipt of application to decision. 35

Please explain your state's procedure for processing an application for claim eligibility, from time of receipt of application to decision. 1) New applications are received and entered into a database by a Claims Processor. 2) New workloads are evaluated for eligibility by the Claims Examiner and missing documentation is requested. 3) Claims Examiners submit reviewed claims with Decision recommendations to the Claims Supervisor. 4) The Claims Supervisor reviews all claims for accuracy and submits Claim Decision and Supporting Documentation to a five (5) member Board. 5) The Board reviews all claims for Approval or Denial leading to an Interim Decision. Interim Decision is mailed to the Claimant. 6) The Claimant has fifteen (15) days to Appeal an Interim Decision to the Board. Appealed Interim Decisions result in Hearings. The result of any Hearing may be to Affirm, Modify, or Reverse the Interim Decision. 7) After the fifteen days has elapsed the Interim Decision is forwarded to the Executive Director/Designee to be reviewed a signed resulting in a Final Decision.
3. **Does your state have a victim satisfaction survey?**
Yes

A. Number of victim satisfaction surveys distributed during the reporting period. 928

B. Number of victim satisfaction surveys completed during the reporting period. 44

C. Number of surveys that indicated satisfaction with the victim compensation program during the reporting period. 35
4. **Please describe any emerging/major issues or notable trends that were encountered in your state that had an impact on your program's ability to meet the needs of crime victims during the reporting period.**
None at this time.
5. **Please describe in detail efforts taken to serve Victims of Federal Crime during the reporting period.**
The Victims Compensation Board staff has regular communication with the Victim Specialists in the three U.S. Attorney Offices, as well as the FBI. All are trained on benefits available through the Crime Victims Compensation Program and we have meetings 4 times annually to discuss issues impacting crime victims. In addition, OCVC employs a State-Tribal Crime Victim Liaison to continue outreach and education to all 38 of Oklahoma s federally recognized tribes with a specific emaphasis on the nine tribes impacted by the McGirt decision. This is a continuation from the State-Tribal Crime Victims Liaison Demonstration Grant originally funded by OVC in 2011.
6. **Please describe any notable activities during the reporting period that improved the process of victim compensation services.**
None
7. **Please describe in detail ways in which your state used VOCA Administrative funds and the impact of these funds on the state's ability to improve victim compensation services during the reporting period.**
Administrative funds were used to support the administration of the grant in the following ways: Personnel & Benefits, Travel, Supplies, Maintenance & Operation and NACVCB annual dues.
8. **Were there any laws, initiatives, or policy changes in your state regarding victim compensation during the reporting period? If yes, please briefly describe them and their impact.**
Yes. Two pieces of legislation were passed from 4/1/3-7/30/23 and became effective 11/1/23. The first bill changed the compensation amounts for SANE nurse exams and related medications from \$450/\$50 to \$800/\$100. The other bill that passed, increased OCVC maximum award limits from \$20,000/\$40,000 for loss of support to \$25,000/\$50,000 for loss of support. The bill also extended the claim filing deadline from 1 year to 30 months with the ability of the OCVC Board to waive the filing deadline with good cause.
9. **Please describe system-coordination efforts with prosecutors, law enforcement, courts, U.S. attorneys' offices, tribal systems, State VOCA Victim Assistance Coordinator, or other key personnel within the criminal justice system in your state to reduce barriers to victims who may apply to receive victim compensation.**

The Crime Victims Compensation Board is located in the District Attorneys Council. Victim-Witness Coordinators in prosecutor offices provide direct services to victims and assist with gathering the documents and writing summaries necessary for a decision to be made on the claims. Victim-Witness Coordinators meet with Victims Compensation Board staff quarterly and attend annual training related to victims services. The Crime Victims Compensation program provides victims rights and victims compensation materials to law enforcement and all organizations serving crime victims. The Crime Victims Compensation Board Administrator also serves as the Director of Victims Services and Compensation Administrator. In addition, the Administrator facilitates a Victims Services Discussion Group meeting four times annually. This meeting brings together leaders from the following disciplines to discuss emerging issues for victims of crime: State DV/SA Coalition, Tribal DV/SA Coalition, U.S. Attorney Offices, Pardon & Parole, Department of Corrections Victims Services, Attorney General's Office, State CASA Association, District Attorneys, Child Advocacy Centers, Courts, Medical Examiner's Office, Higher Education, Department of Health, Department of Mental Health, State Bureau of Investigation, FBI, BIA, Secretary of State, Family Justice Centers, and the Crime Victim Survivor Services Degree Program.

10. **Please explain any public outreach efforts to improve awareness of your program.**

OCVC employs a State-Tribal Crime Victim Liaison who focuses his outreach efforts on the 38 federally recognized tribes in Oklahoma. The position was originally funded through an OVC Demonstration Grant in 2011. The Victims Compensation Program supplies brochures to each of the VOCA-funded programs throughout the year. A special brochure is provided to Tribal Victims Services Programs throughout the State. This brochure identifies the benefits available to victims in Indian Country; specifically, traditional healing and burials benefits. In the last quarter of the reporting period, outreach focused on training DA Victim-Witness staff in how to use the VCP Online system so they would be able to assist crime victims in completing their application online. The online victims compensation application is a major outreach effort for our program. See www.okvictimscomp.com for the website.

11. **Please list any other outcome measure(s) that are reported to the governor, legislature, or other state entity that have not been reported in this submission. Provide the actual measure(s). The data may be reported separately in your progress report.**

The outcome measure that is reported to the Governor relates to the victims satisfaction survey. We will be reporting a 80% satisfaction rate for State FY 2023. Note: This percentage is reduced from previous years because we modified the survey to send to all claimants, not just those receiving an award. The annual report will be available online at: www.ok.gov/dac

12. **Please provide any additional comments that are helpful to improving the Victim Compensation state and/or federal program.**

There continues to be serious concern about the victims compensation fund revenue. Criminal justice reform is resulting in lower assessments being collected and money being diverted away from victims to other programs using offender fees. A legislative task force has been created to study the fees and fines paid by offenders and there seems to be a push in this state to eliminate offender fees. In the case of victims compensation, criminal fines and penalty assessments collected at the state level, in addition to this federal grant, are the largest sources of revenue. There are no state appropriations that go into the victims compensation fund in Oklahoma. When assessments decrease significantly, as we have been witnessing, state-generated funds could become insolvent if the trend continues. The program continues to look at ways to counter this trend. The next step is to request the Legislature fund the cost of forensic medical examinations in sexual assault cases. We currently transfer up to \$1 million dollars to pay forensic examinations and those funds are transferred from the Crime Victims Compensation Fund. If these exams were paid through state appropriations, the \$1 million dollars currently being used would be freed up to assist victims of all crimes, including sexual assault, with out-of-pocket expenses unrelated to forensic exams.