



S*T*O*P Violence Against Women Formula Grants

All States - 2013

Reporting Period - January 1, 2013 – December 31, 2013

General Grant Information

- Information for this report was submitted by 2,452 individual subgrantees for the January 1, 2013 – December 31, 2013 reporting period.
- 52 (2.1%) subgrantees were faith-based organizations.
- 121 (4.9%) subgrantees were culturally-specific community-based organizations.
- 46 (1.9%) subgrantees reported using STOP Program funds for projects that specifically addressed tribal populations.
- Dual programs and Prosecution were the types of organizations most frequently using STOP funds. The following is a complete list of the types of funded organizations:

| Type of funded organization | Subgrantees reporting | | Type of funded organization | Subgrantees reporting | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|---------|--|-----------------------|---------|
| | Number | Percent | | Number | Percent |
| Dual program | 532 | 21.7% | Court | 48 | 2.0% |
| Prosecution | 415 | 16.9% | Sexual assault state coalition | 38 | 1.5% |
| Domestic violence program | 396 | 16.2% | Dual state coalition | 32 | 1.3% |
| Law enforcement | 364 | 14.8% | Probation, parole, or other correctional agency | 31 | 1.3% |
| Sexual assault program | 184 | 7.5% | Tribal sexual assault and/or domestic violence program | 14 | 0.6% |
| Community-based organization | 123 | 5.0% | University/school | 14 | 0.6% |
| Domestic violence state coalition | 64 | 2.6% | Tribal government | 1 | 0.0% |
| Government agency | 57 | 2.3% | Tribal coalition | 0 | 0.0% |
| Unit of local government | 56 | 2.3% | Other | 83 | 3.4% |

- Subgrantees indicated that their STOP Program funds were directed to the following types of victimization:

| Type(s) of victimization | Number of subgrantees | Percent |
|---|-----------------------|---------|
| Domestic violence/dating violence only | 694 | 28.3% |
| Sexual assault only | 300 | 12.2% |
| Stalking only | 3 | 0.1% |
| Domestic violence/dating violence and sexual assault | 418 | 17.0% |
| Domestic violence/dating violence and stalking | 83 | 3.4% |
| Sexual assault and stalking | 5 | 0.2% |
| Domestic violence/dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking | 949 | 38.7% |



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Staff

- Number of individual subgrantees using STOP Program funds for staff: 2,341 (95.5% of all subgrantees reporting)

| Staff | FTEs | Percent of Total FTEs |
|--|-----------------|---------------------------|
| Victim advocate | 742.90 | 27.0% |
| Program coordinator | 310.45 | 11.3% |
| Victim assistant | 293.16 | 10.6% |
| Prosecutor | 266.33 | 9.7% |
| Law enforcement officer | 261.12 | 9.5% |
| Counselor | 163.82 | 5.9% |
| Legal advocate | 137.65 | 5.0% |
| Support staff | 127.33 | 4.6% |
| Administrator | 97.54 | 3.5% |
| Attorney | 94.45 | 3.4% |
| Trainer | 51.96 | 1.9% |
| Investigator | 49.47 | 1.8% |
| Sexual assault nurse examiner/sexual assault forensic examiner | 45.98 | 1.7% |
| Probation officer/offender monitor | 30.15 | 1.1% |
| Court personnel | 28.22 | 1.0% |
| Paralegal | 23.62 | 0.9% |
| Information technology staff | 10.78 | 0.4% |
| Translator/interpreter | 3.63 | 0.1% |
| Other | 15.01 | 0.5% |
| Total number of full time equivalent (FTE) staff funded | 2,753.57 | 100.0%¹ |

¹ Due to rounding error, individual percentages may add up to slightly more or slightly less than 100%. Total percentage will always display as 100%.



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Training

- Number of individual subgrantees using funds for training: 1,016 (41.4% of all subgrantees reporting)
- Total number of people trained: 240,452
- Total number of training events: 11,768
- The following are the most frequently reported categories of people trained:

| People trained | Number | Percent |
|--|--------|---------|
| Law enforcement officers | 75,151 | 31.3% |
| Multidisciplinary (various disciplines at same training) | 29,576 | 12.3% |
| Victim advocates | 24,635 | 10.2% |
| Health professionals | 15,316 | 6.4% |
| Court personnel | 10,821 | 4.5% |
| Educators | 10,739 | 4.5% |
| Prosecutors | 9,100 | 3.8% |
| Social service organization staff | 8,499 | 3.5% |
| Volunteers | 7,657 | 3.2% |
| Government agency staff | 6,054 | 2.5% |
| Mental health professionals | 5,700 | 2.4% |
| Attorneys/law students | 5,331 | 2.2% |

- The following were the training topics most frequently reported by the subgrantees: Domestic violence overview, dynamics, and services, Advocate response, Law enforcement response, Safety planning for victims/survivors, and Sexual assault overview, dynamics, and services.



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Victim Services

During the 12-month reporting period, STOP Program subgrantees provided services to 424,424 victims/survivors² of domestic violence, sexual assault, and stalking to help them become and remain safe from violence.

- Number of individual subgrantees using funds for victim services: 1,667 (68.0% of all subgrantees reporting)

Victims/survivors seeking services who were served, partially served, or not served

| | Domestic violence/dating violence | | Sexual assault | | Stalking | | Total | |
|------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------|----------------|---------|----------|---------|---------|---------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Served | 356,014 | 96.0% | 47,936 | 96.3% | 8,582 | 95.4% | 412,532 | 96.0% |
| Partially served | 10,220 | 2.8% | 1,347 | 2.7% | 325 | 3.6% | 11,892 | 2.8% |
| Not served | 4,770 | 1.3% | 507 | 1.0% | 88 | 1.0% | 5,365 | 1.2% |
| Total seeking services | 371,004 | 100% | 49,790 | 100% | 8,995 | 100% | 429,789 | 100% |

Victims receiving services

- Number of victims/survivors receiving services: 424,424 (98.8% of those seeking services).

| Type of victimization | Primary victims/survivors served | |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------|
| | Number | Percent |
| Domestic violence/dating violence | 366,234 | 86.3% |
| Sexual assault | 49,283 | 11.6% |
| Stalking | 8,907 | 2.1% |
| Total | 424,424 | 100.0% |

² Includes served and partially served primary victims/survivors.



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Reasons victims/survivors were not served

The following were the barriers most frequently reported by the subgrantees as reasons victims/survivors were not served or were partially served:

- Program reached capacity
- Did not meet statutory requirements
- Services not appropriate for victim/survivor
- Program unable to provide service due to limited resources/priority-setting
- Conflict of interest

Secondary victims served³

- Number of secondary victims receiving services: 100,359

| Type of victimization | Secondary victims served | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|---------|
| | Number | Percent |
| Domestic violence/ dating violence | 84,495 | 84.2% |
| Sexual assault | 13,701 | 13.7% |
| Stalking | 2,163 | 2.2% |
| Total | 100,359 | 100.0% |

³ With the exception of shelter services data, which reflects family members receiving shelter, no other information relating to secondary victims is reported here.



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Of the 424,424 victims/survivors served during the 12-month reporting period, those who were served or partially served were most likely to be White (55.5%)⁴, Female (89.6%)⁵, and between the ages of 25 and 59 (68.7%)⁵.

| Demographics | Number of victims/survivors | Percent |
|---|-----------------------------|---------|
| Race/ethnicity⁴ | | |
| American Indian or Alaska Native | 7,258 | 1.9% |
| Asian | 6,972 | 1.8% |
| Black or African American | 87,989 | 22.7% |
| Hispanic or Latino | 70,129 | 18.1% |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 2,183 | 0.6% |
| White | 214,811 | 55.5% |
| Unknown | 37,540 | |
| Gender⁵ | | |
| Female | 369,755 | 89.6% |
| Male | 42,813 | 10.4% |
| Unknown | 11,856 | |
| Age⁵ | | |
| 0-12 | | |
| 13-17 | 17,726 | 4.6% |
| 18-24 | 86,746 | 22.3% |
| 25-59 | 267,130 | 68.7% |
| 60+ | 17,074 | 4.4% |
| Unknown | 35,748 | |
| Other demographics⁶ | | |
| People with disabilities | 27,470 | 6.5% |
| People with limited English proficiency | 35,993 | 8.5% |
| People who are immigrants/refugees/asylum seekers | 24,443 | 5.8% |
| People who live in rural areas | 106,087 | 25.0% |

⁴ Some victims may identify as more than one race/ethnicity, so the total number reported in race/ethnicity may be higher than the total number of victims/survivors served. Percentages are based on victims receiving services for whom this information was known.

⁵ Percentages are based on victims receiving services for whom this information was known.

⁶ Because victims may be represented in more than one of these categories, or not at all, the total for this category may be higher or lower than the total number of victims served. Percentages are based on victims receiving services for the 12-month reporting period.



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Relationship to offender⁷

| Relationship to offender | Domestic violence/ dating violence | | Sexual assault | | Stalking | |
|--|---------------------------------------|---------|----------------|---------|----------|---------|
| | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent |
| Current or former spouse or intimate partner | 240,290 | 70.3% | 9,423 | 22.2% | 4,425 | 45.7% |
| Other family or household member | 33,589 | 9.8% | 8,979 | 21.1% | 693 | 7.2% |
| Dating relationship | 63,140 | 18.5% | 5,067 | 11.9% | 1,673 | 17.3% |
| Acquaintance | 4,797 | 1.4% | 13,589 | 32.0% | 2,346 | 24.2% |
| Stranger | 227 | 0.1% | 5,417 | 12.8% | 555 | 5.7% |
| Relationship unknown | 28,835 | | 9,167 | | 891 | |
| Total (excluding unknown) | 342,043 | 100% | 42,475 | 100% | 9,692 | 100% |

Type of service received⁸

| Type of service | Number of victims/survivors | Percent of those receiving services |
|---|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Victim/survivor advocacy | 219,145 | 51.6% |
| Crisis intervention | 189,153 | 44.6% |
| Criminal justice advocacy/court accompaniment | 144,954 | 34.2% |
| Civil legal advocacy/court accompaniment | 120,693 | 28.4% |
| Counseling services/support group | 102,442 | 24.1% |
| Transportation | 22,469 | 5.3% |
| Civil legal assistance | 18,862 | 4.4% |
| Language services | 14,762 | 3.5% |
| Hospital/clinic/other medical response | 13,947 | 3.3% |
| Forensic exam | 9,297 | 2.2% |
| Other | 1,060 | 0.2% |

Shelter services

- 21,262 victims and 19,893 family members received a total of 1,016,921 bed nights in emergency shelter.
- 917 victims and 930 family members received a total of 182,204 bed nights in transitional housing.

⁷ Victims may have been abused by more than one offender and/or may have experienced more than one type of victimization, so the total for each victimization category may be higher than the total number of victims served in each of those categories. Percentages are based on the total number of known relationships in each victimization category.

⁸ Victims are reported only once for each type of service received and are reported in all categories of services received.



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Hotline calls

- 368,039 hotline calls were received from primary victims/survivors.
- A total of 663,342 hotline calls were received.

Victim-witness notification/outreach to victims/survivors

- 193,342 notification/outreach activities were provided to victims/survivors.

Protection orders

- Of the protection orders⁹ for which victim services staff provided assistance, 108,269 orders were granted for domestic violence/dating violence victims/survivors; 5,550 orders were granted for sexual assault victims/survivors; and 3,615 orders were granted for stalking victims/survivors.

⁹ These orders may also be referred to as protection from abuse, protection from harassment or anti-harassment orders, restraining orders, or no-contact or stay-away orders.



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Criminal Justice

The STOP Program promotes a coordinated community approach that includes law enforcement, prosecution, courts, probation, victim services, and public and private community resources. Criminal justice data reported here reflects only those activities supported with STOP Program funds.

Law Enforcement

- Number of individual subgrantees using STOP Program funds for law enforcement: 317 (12.9% of all subgrantees reporting)¹⁰

| Activity | Sexual assault | Domestic violence/ dating violence | Stalking | Total activities |
|---|----------------|------------------------------------|----------|------------------|
| Calls for assistance | 2,858 | 53,038 | 1,148 | 57,044 |
| Incident reports | 3,355 | 66,105 | 1,100 | 70,560 |
| Cases/incidents investigated | 4,658 | 72,692 | 1,197 | 78,547 |
| Forensic medical evidence | 1,006 | | | 1,006 |
| Arrests | 808 | 24,733 | 322 | 25,863 |
| Dual arrests | | 704 | | 704 |
| Protection/ex parte/temporary restraining orders served | 199 | 15,738 | 297 | 16,234 |
| Arrests for violation of bail bond | 11 | 654 | 12 | 677 |
| Enforcement of warrants | 358 | 6,668 | 102 | 7,128 |
| Arrests for violation of protection order | 38 | 2,799 | 262 | 3,099 |
| Protection orders issued | 118 | 4,205 | 48 | 4,371 |
| Referrals of cases to prosecutor | 1,701 | 35,536 | 448 | 37,685 |
| Referrals of federal firearms charges to federal prosecutor | 0 | 28 | 0 | 28 |

Victim/survivor referrals to victim services

- Law enforcement personnel made 35,110 referrals of victims/survivors to governmental victim services and 43,082 referrals to non-governmental victim services.

Protection orders

- Of the protection orders¹¹ for which law enforcement staff provided assistance, 18,112 orders were granted for domestic violence/dating violence victims/survivors; 543 orders were granted for sexual assault victims/survivors; and 523 orders were granted for stalking victims/survivors.

¹⁰ These subgrantees reported only on law enforcement activities funded under their STOP Program subgrants.

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Prosecution

- Number of individual subgrantees using STOP Program funds for prosecution: 307 (12.5% of all subgrantees reporting)

Cases received, accepted for prosecution, declined, or transferred

| Received/accepted/declined/transferred | Domestic violence/dating violence | Sexual assault | Stalking |
|--|-----------------------------------|----------------|----------|
| Number of cases received | 131,375 | 5,340 | 2,554 |
| Number of cases accepted for prosecution | 102,829 | 3,560 | 2,067 |
| Number of cases declined | 23,667 | 1,109 | 409 |
| Transferred to higher or lower court that is outside grant-funded jurisdiction | 2,198 | 111 | 52 |

Dispositions of cases

| Type of case | Total disposed | Total convicted ¹² | |
|---|----------------|-------------------------------|---------------|
| | | Number | % of disposed |
| Domestic violence/dating ordinance | 8,612 | 4,652 | 54.0% |
| Misdemeanor domestic violence/dating violence | 57,649 | 38,643 | 67.0% |
| Felony domestic violence/dating violence | 14,555 | 10,847 | 74.5% |
| Domestic violence/dating violence homicide | 63 | 61 | 96.8% |
| Misdemeanor sexual assault | 417 | 309 | 74.1% |
| Felony sexual assault | 1,894 | 1,525 | 80.5% |
| Sexual assault homicide | 5 | 4 | 80.0% |
| Stalking ordinance | 179 | 97 | 54.2% |
| Misdemeanor stalking | 911 | 508 | 55.8% |
| Felony stalking | 424 | 328 | 77.4% |
| Stalking homicide | 1 | 1 | 100.0% |
| Violation of bail | 816 | 650 | 79.7% |
| Violation of probation or parole | 2,091 | 1,795 | 85.8% |
| Violation of protection order | 7,331 | 4,958 | 67.6% |
| Violation of other court order | 463 | 345 | 74.5% |
| Other | 17 | 17 | 100.0% |

¹² Includes deferred adjudications. This number includes deferred adjudications, which represented (23%) of all conviction outcomes



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Victim/survivor referrals to victim services

- Prosecution personnel made 37,219 referrals of victims/survivors to governmental victim services and 34,907 referrals to non-governmental victim services.

Protection orders

- Of the protection orders¹³ for which prosecution staff provided assistance, 31,629 orders were granted for domestic violence/dating violence victims/survivors; 1,795 orders were granted for sexual assault victims/survivors; and 515 orders were granted for stalking victims/survivors.

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Courts

- Number of individual subgrantees using STOP Program funds for courts: 17 (0.7% of all subgrantees reporting)

Judicial monitoring

- 1,366 offenders were reviewed
- 3,366 judicial review hearings were conducted

Dispositions of violations

| Violation | Total | No action taken | Verbal/written warning | Fine | Conditions added | Partial revocation | Probation revoked/incarcerated |
|---|-------|-----------------|------------------------|------|------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------|
| Protection order | 295 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 20 | 17 | 254 |
| New criminal behavior | 183 | 4 | 17 | 0 | 74 | 2 | 86 |
| Failure to attend batterer intervention program (<i>BIP</i>) | 492 | 0 | 280 | 0 | 94 | 52 | 66 |
| Failure to attend mandated offender treatment (<i>does not include BIP</i>) | 75 | 0 | 25 | 0 | 27 | 19 | 4 |
| Other conditions of probation or parole | 626 | 2 | 85 | 0 | 111 | 284 | 144 |

Victim/survivor referrals to victim services

- Court personnel made 1,399 referrals of victims/survivors to governmental victim services and 1,058 referrals to non-governmental victim services.

Civil protection orders

- Of the protection orders¹⁴ for which court staff provided assistance, 12,154 orders were granted for domestic violence/dating violence victims/survivors; 101 orders were granted for sexual assault victims/survivors; and 1,447 orders were granted for stalking victims/survivors.

Criminal protection orders

- 3,080 criminal protection orders were granted by STOP funded courts.

¹⁴ These orders may also be referred to as protection from abuse, protection from harassment or anti-harassment orders, restraining orders, or no-contact or stay-away orders.



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Probation and Parole

- Number of individual subgrantees using STOP Program funds for probation and parole: 27 (1.1% of all subgrantees reporting)

Total number of new and continuing offenders: 3,760

- Offenders completing probation without violations: 540 (36.0% of those completing probation)
- Offenders completing probation with violations: 958 (64.0%)

Offender monitoring

Probation officers monitor offenders to review progress and compliance with court orders. Probation officers may meet with offenders in person, by telephone, or via unscheduled surveillance.

- 2,900 offenders received 28,866 face-to-face meetings
- 2,264 offenders received 17,944 telephone contacts
- 1,681 offenders received 14,445 unscheduled surveillance

In addition to offender monitoring, probation officers also contact victims as an additional strategy to increase victim safety.

- 1,816 victims received 4,259 contacts

Dispositions of violations

| Violation | Total | No action taken | Verbal/written warning | Fine | Conditions added | Partial revocation | Probation revoked/incarcerated |
|---|-------|-----------------|------------------------|------|------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------|
| Protection order | 227 | 11 | 44 | 24 | 22 | 49 | 77 |
| New criminal behavior | 412 | 59 | 74 | 16 | 22 | 68 | 173 |
| Failure to attend batterer intervention program (<i>BIP</i>) | 672 | 104 | 174 | 20 | 67 | 173 | 134 |
| Failure to attend mandated offender treatment (<i>does not include BIP</i>) | 257 | 72 | 54 | 8 | 27 | 50 | 46 |
| Other conditions of probation or parole | 1,429 | 75 | 333 | 24 | 163 | 449 | 385 |

Victim/survivor referrals to victim services

- Probation personnel made 1,632 referrals of victims/survivors to governmental victim services and 1,306 referrals to non-governmental victim services.



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Batterer Intervention Program (BIP)

- Number of individual subgrantees using STOP Program funds for batterer intervention program (BIP): 17 (0.7% of all subgrantees reporting)

Total number of offenders in BIP: 1,694

- Number of continuing offenders from last reporting period: 654
- Number of offenders entering during current reporting period: 1,040

| Outcomes | Number of offenders |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Completed program | 673 |
| Terminated from program | 451 |
| Returned to program after termination | 108 |
| Other | 7 |