

STOP School Violence

Prevention and Mental Health Training Grant

Purpose

This competitive grant will support efforts by state and local units of government to prevent and reduce school violence. Specifically, the program will address:

- (1) training school personnel and students to prevent student violence;
- (2) development and operation of anonymous reporting systems against threats of school violence, including mobile telephone applications, hotlines, and websites; and
- (3) development and operation of school threat assessment and crisis intervention teams that may include coordination with law enforcement agencies and school personnel.

In addition, the program may fund specialized training for school officials in intervening and responding to individuals with mental health issues that may impact school safety.

Eligible Applicants

- County governments
- City or township governments
- Independent school districts
- State governments
- Special district governments
- Native American tribal governments

Categories for Eligible Applicants

- Category 1 A state with a population greater than 5,000,000
- Category 2 A state with a population of less than 5,000,000
- Category 3 An urban area/large county with a population greater than 500,000
- Category 4 A suburban area/medium-sized county with a population between 100,000 and 500,000
- Category 5 A rural area/small county with a population of less than 100,000
- Category 6 A federally recognized Indian Tribe

Federal Award Information

- 6 awards of up to \$1,000,000 in Category 1
- 8 awards of up to \$500,000 in Category 2
- 18 awards of up to \$500,000 in Category 3
- 16 awards of up to \$250,000 in Category 4
- 16 awards of up to \$150,000 in Category 5
- 6 awards of up to \$100,000 in Category 6

Texas would be eligible for \$1,000,000 under Category 1.



Total Federal Funding Available \$26,000,000

Funding Amount Ceiling for Awards \$1,000,000

Grant Period 36-month grant period beginning 10/1/18

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Legislative Authority STOP School Violence Act of 2018

TEA Program
Office
TBD

Release Date of Application June 7, 2018

Application Deadline July 23, 2018

Requirement 25% non-federal portion of total project costs

Matching