Office for Victims of Crime Victim Compensation Formula Grant Program Annual Performance Measures Report October 01, 2021 - September 30, 2022

GRANTEE INFORMATION

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POPULATION DEMOGRAPHICS

1.		
	application was made for vi	ctim
	compensation benefits duri	ng the
	reporting period.	
	Q1: Oct-Dec 2021:	1,589

1,589

Q2: Jan-Mar 2022: Q3: Apr-Jun 2022: 1,575 1,601

Q4: Jul-Sep 2022:

1,601

Annual:

6,550

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

Q1: Oct-Dec 2021: 1,548

Q2: Jan-Mar 2022: 1,544

Q3: Apr-Jun 2022: 1,567

Q4: Jul-Sep 2022: 1,740

Annual: 6,399

3. Victim Demographics					
Population A. RACE/ETHNICITY	Q1	Num Q2	ber of Q3	Victims Q4	s Annual
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	2	1	3	6
Asian	16	22	26	24	88
Black or African American	390	338	362	406	1496
Hispanic or Latino	73	103	100	91	367
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	1	3	2	0	6
White Non-Latino or Caucasian	399	456	453	458	1766
Some Other Race	7	4	6	15	32
Multiple Races	23	38	19	29	109
Not Reported	639	578	598	714	2529
Not Tracked	0	0	0	0	0
Race/Ethnicity Total	1548	1544	1567	1740	6399
B. GENDER					
Male	677	637	621	693	2628
Female	736	766	756	787	3045
Not Reported	135	141	190	260	726
Not Tracked	0	0	0	0	0
Gender Total	1548	1544	1567	1740	6399
C. AGE					
Age 0- 12	148	136	122	163	569
Age 13- 17	118	105	130	120	473
Age 18- 24	211	205	191	233	840
Age 25- 59	850	868	870	965	3553
Age 60 and Older	221	230	254	259	964
Not Reported	0	0	0	0	0
Not Tracked	0	0	0	0	0
Age Total	1548	1544	1567	1740	6399

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PERFORMANCE MEASURES

Q2: Jan-Mar 2022:

Q3: Apr-Jun 2022:

Q4: Jul-Sep 2022:

Annual:

1,526

1,631

1,702

6,445

4.	Based on your program indicate if	's general procedure,	Number of applications approved) during the re		ications	s that	wer	e not							
	Q1: Oct-Dec 2021:		Q1: Oct-Dec 2021:	67											
	Victims and indirect vict as separate application		Q2: Jan-Mar 2022:	70											
	Q2: Jan-Mar 2022:		Q3: Apr-Jun 2022:	76											
	Victims and indirect vict as separate application		Q4: Jul-Sep 2022: Annual:	89 302											
	Q3: Apr-Jun 2022:		Reason(s) for denial or close status applicable for the reporting period:												
	Victims and indirect vict as separate application			pulation			-		ctims Annual						
	Q4: Jul-Sep 2022:		A. Application not filed	within time limit	14	15	20	22	71						
	Victims and indirect vict as separate application		B. Failure to report to p		5	2	5	4	16						
5.	Number of new applicat		•	with law enforcement, ator, and/or other official	0	3	0	0	3						
	the reporting period Q1: Oct-Dec 2021:	1,589	D. Incomplete informat	ion	0	0	0	0	0						
			E. Contributory miscon	duct	18	11	15	18	62						
	Q2: Jan-Mar 2022:	1,574	F. Ineligible crime		15	28	25	36	104						
	Q3: Apr-Jun 2022:	1,601	G. Ineligible application	1	15	11	11	9	46						
	Q4: Jul-Sep 2022:	1,783	Other		0	0	0	0	0						
	Annual:	6,547	Denial explanation:		Ū	Ū	Ū	Ū	Ü						
6.	Number of applications reporting period.		Number of applications during the reporting per		ılt Fore	nsic l	Exan	ninati	ons						
	Q1: Oct-Dec 2021:	1,586	O1: Oct Dec 2021:												

Q1: Oct-Dec 2021:

Q2: Jan-Mar 2022:

Q3: Apr-Jun 2022:

Q4: Jul-Sep 2022:

Annual:

1,450

1,799

1,541

6,108

1,318

						EXPENSE TYP	PES PAID (in doll	ars)							TYPES OF VIO	CTIMIZATIONS A CRIME TYPE		
TYPES OF CRIME	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 or Applications Related to Elder BuseNeglect that were Paid Ouring the Renortion Parior	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	5	\$0	\$0	\$ 3,901	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$ 3,822	\$0		\$0	\$0	\$ 7,722	0	0	0	0	
Assault	308	\$0	\$0	\$ 250,963	\$0	\$ 336,245	\$ 47,531	\$ 14,159	\$ 2,200		\$ 4,909	\$ 30	\$ 656,039	0	92	35	3	
Burglary	13	\$0	\$0	\$ 1,251	\$0	\$0	\$ 529	\$ 3,600	\$ 400		\$0	\$0	\$ 5,780	0	0	4	0	
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect	30	\$0	\$0	\$ 12,742	\$0	\$ 11,236	\$ 18,956	\$ 589	\$ 1,620		\$ 426	\$0	\$ 45,569	0	12		3	
Child Pornography																		
Child Sexual Abuse	1,148	\$0	\$0	\$ 1,164	\$0	\$ 39,131	\$ 59,449	\$ 1,000	\$0	\$ 856,646	\$ 8,294	\$0	\$ 965,683	0	42		0	
DUI/DWI	5	\$0	\$0	\$ 19,510	\$0	\$ 619	\$ 120	\$0	\$0		\$ 13	\$0	\$ 20,261	0	0	0	0	
Fraud/Financial Crimes	81	\$0	\$0	\$ 132,144	\$0	\$ 389	\$ 4,394	\$0	\$ 477		\$0	\$0	\$ 137,404	0	0	70	0	
Homicide	191	\$0	\$0	\$ 66,212	\$ 631,050	\$ 80	\$ 7,683	\$ 1,000	\$0		\$ 5,293	\$0	\$ 711,318	0	12	0	0	
Human Trafficking																		
Kidnapping	2	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$ 1,000	\$0		\$ 877	\$0	\$ 1,877	0	0	0	0	
Other Vehicular Crimes	14	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 24,145	\$ 6,500	\$ 4,395	\$ 2,615	\$0	\$0		\$ 85	\$ 0	\$ 37,740	0	0	0	0	
Robbery	64	\$0	\$0	\$ 16,520	\$0	\$ 5,877	\$ 12,862	\$ 3,000	\$0		\$ 224	\$0	\$ 38,484	0	0	13	0	
Sexual Assault	346	\$0	\$0	\$ 50	\$0	\$ 8,708	\$ 33,483	\$ 1,375	\$0	\$ 264,231	\$ 4,569	\$0	\$ 312,416	0	22	9	0	
Stalking	15	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 618	\$0	\$0	\$ 7,622	\$ 3,104	\$0		\$ 1,084	\$ 0	\$ 12,428	0	0	0	0	
Terrorism	5	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$ 2,605	\$ 1,000	\$0		\$ 43	\$ 0	\$ 3,648	0	0	0	1	
Total	2,227	\$0	\$0	\$ 529,219	\$ 637,550	\$ 406,681	\$ 197,848	\$ 33,649	\$ 4,697	\$ 1,120,877	\$ 25,817	\$ 30	\$ 2,956,367	0	180	131	7	

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PAYMENT STATISTICS BY CRIME TYPE	Qtr:2																	
						EXPENSE TYP	PES PAID (in doll	ars)							TYPES OF VIO			
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Arson	5	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$ 2,845	\$0	\$0	\$ 4,000	\$0		\$0	\$0	\$ 6,845	0	0	0	0	
Assault	343	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 374,729	\$0	\$ 471,748	\$ 45,376	\$ 20,821	\$ 2,218		\$ 6,577	\$ 75	\$ 921,544	0	114	47	3	
Burglary	15	\$0	\$0	\$ 4,157	\$0	\$ 247	\$ 2,675	\$ 2,000	\$0		\$0	\$0	\$ 9,079	0	0	4	0	
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect	32	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 37,549	\$0	\$ 17,460	\$ 10,266	\$ 4,000	\$ 1,485		\$ 2,606	\$0	\$ 73,367	0	14		3	
Child Pornography																		
Child Sexual Abuse	1,116	\$0	\$0	\$ 3,680	\$0	\$ 2,717	\$ 61,250	\$0	\$0	\$ 843,421	\$ 8,900	\$0	\$ 919,968	0	46		0	
DUI/DWI	3	\$0	\$0	\$ 3,667	\$ 0	\$ 4,025	\$ 60	\$0	\$0		\$ 165	\$0	\$ 7,917	0	0	0	0	
Fraud/Financial Crimes	57	\$0	\$0	\$ 72,823	\$0	\$ 719	\$ 1,080	\$0	\$ 2,846		\$0	\$0	\$ 77,467	0	0	47	0	
Homicide	193	\$0	\$0	\$ 17,436	\$ 757,717	\$ 11	\$ 9,120	\$ 1,000	\$0		\$ 7,893	\$0	\$ 793,178	0	15	0	1	
Human Trafficking																		
Kidnapping	1	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0		\$ 2,148	\$0	\$ 2,148	0	0	0	0	
Other Vehicular Crimes	13	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 14,589	\$ 0	\$ 17,803	\$ 4,095	\$0	\$0		\$ 20	\$0	\$ 36,507	0	0	0	0	
Robbery	48	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 7,872	\$ 0	\$ 18,484	\$ 8,364	\$0	\$0		\$ 316	\$0	\$ 35,036	0	0	4	0	
Sexual Assault	262	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 13,573	\$ 0	\$ 6,590	\$ 41,318	\$ 2,406	\$0	\$ 183,003	\$ 8,447	\$ 15	\$ 255,352	0	28	4	0	
Stalking	13	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 10,452	\$ 0	\$ 45	\$ 5,937	\$ 2,000	\$0		\$0	\$0	\$ 18,434	0	0	0	0	
Terrorism	5	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 7,069	\$ 1,000	\$0		\$0	\$0	\$ 8,069	0	0	0	0	
Total	2,106	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 560,527	\$ 760,562	\$ 539,848	\$ 196,611	\$ 37,227	\$ 6,549	\$ 1,026,424	\$ 37,073	\$ 90	\$ 3,164,911	0	217	106	7	

* Other expense explanations

Assault purchase reports
Sexual Assault purchase report

					E	EXPENSE TYPES	PAID (in dollars)							TYPES OF VIO			
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Arson	2	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 2,000	\$0		\$ 0	\$0	\$ 2,000	0	0	0	0	
Assault	320	\$ 1,000	\$0	\$ 308,646	\$ 3,303	\$ 352,285	\$ 47,361	\$ 16,454	\$0		\$ 13,734	\$0	\$ 742,782	0	102	22	2	
Burglary	19	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 9,872	\$0	\$ 460	\$ 2,985	\$ 3,000	\$0		\$ 64	\$0	\$ 16,381	0	0	6	0	
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect	31	\$0	\$0	\$ 7,717	\$0	\$ 4,498	\$ 15,104	\$ 6,000	\$0		\$ 754	\$0	\$ 34,073	0	13		2	
Child Pornography																		
Child Sexual Abuse	1,371	\$0	\$0	\$ 2,615	\$0	\$ 2,860	\$ 84,233	\$ 4,196	\$0	\$ 1,001,284	\$ 11,294	\$0	\$ 1,106,482	0	48		0	
DUI/DWI	6	\$0	\$0	\$ 4,866	\$0	\$ 25,171	\$ 60	\$0	\$0		\$ 75	\$0	\$ 30,173	0	0	0	0	
Fraud/Financial Crimes	69	\$0	\$0	\$ 130,339	\$0	\$0	\$ 856	\$0	\$0		\$ 39	\$0	\$ 131,234	0	0	59	0	
Homicide	196	\$0	\$0	\$ 28,052	\$ 732,118	\$ 8,753	\$ 11,099	\$ 2,000	\$0		\$ 6,945	\$0	\$ 788,968	0	12	0	0	
Human Trafficking																		
Kidnapping	2	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$ 1,374	\$0	\$ 1,000	\$ 32		\$0	\$0	\$ 2,406	0	0	0	0	
Other Vehicular Crimes	9	\$0	\$0	\$ 5,087	\$0	\$ 13,806	\$ 1,725	\$0	\$0		\$0	\$0	\$ 20,618	0	0	0	0	
Robbery	56	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 18,680	\$0	\$ 2,147	\$ 14,804	\$ 1,718	\$0		\$ 39	\$0	\$ 37,388	0	0	4	0	
Sexual Assault	397	\$ 0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$ 5,511	\$ 58,199	\$ 1,000	\$0	\$ 312,077	\$ 6,764	\$0	\$ 383,551	0	23	9	0	
Stalking	13	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 1,540	\$0	\$0	\$ 4,467	\$ 3,828	\$0		\$ 5	\$ 0	\$ 9,840	0	0	0	0	
Terrorism	1	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 1,680	\$ 0	\$0		\$0	\$0	\$ 1,680	0	0	0	0	
Total	2,492	\$ 1,000	\$0	\$ 517,416	\$ 735,421	\$ 416,866	\$ 242,572	\$ 41,195	\$ 32	\$ 1,313,361	\$ 39,715	\$ 0	\$ 3,307,577	0	198	100	4	

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PAYMENT STATISTICS BY CRIME TYPE	Qtr:4																	
					E	(PENSE TYPES I	PAID (in dollars)								TYPES OF VIO			
TYPES OF CRIME	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 BusenNeglect that were Paid During the Renorting Derind	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	4	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$ 1,555	\$ 1,875	\$ 2,000	\$0		\$0	\$0	\$ 5,430	0	0	0	0	
Assault	290	\$ 500	\$ 1,726	\$ 328,498	\$ 13,000	\$ 262,392	\$ 52,515	\$ 27,783	\$0		\$ 5,234	\$ 10	\$ 691,658	3	94	21	0	
Burglary	21	\$0	\$0	\$ 7,164	\$0	\$ 10,039	\$ 800	\$ 4,000	\$0		\$ 0	\$0	\$ 22,003	0	0	4	0	
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect	44	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 6,795	\$ 0	\$ 12,216	\$ 29,394	\$ 5,000	\$0		\$ 3,036	\$0	\$ 56,441	3	17		0	
Child Pornography																		
Child Sexual Abuse	1,229	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 4,202	\$0	\$ 1,623	\$ 53,427	\$ 4,000	\$0	\$ 888,320	\$ 13,239	\$ 0	\$ 964,811	0	52		0	
DUI/DWI	8	\$0	\$0	\$ 40,718	\$0	\$ 272	\$ 1,230	\$0	\$0		\$ 140	\$ 0	\$ 42,360	0	0	0	0	
Fraud/Financial Crimes	113	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 232,834	\$0	\$0	\$ 725	\$0	\$0		\$ 2,663	\$ 32	\$ 236,254	0	0	106	0	
Homicide	211	\$ 1,050	\$ 0	\$ 29,569	\$ 826,844	\$ 4,112	\$ 7,259	\$0	\$0		\$ 8,162	\$ 0	\$ 876,996	0	13	0	0	
Human Trafficking																		
Kidnapping	1	\$0	\$0	\$ 1,900	\$ 0	\$ 23	\$ 0	\$0	\$0		\$ 37	\$ 0	\$ 1,960	0	0	0	0	
Other Vehicular Crimes	19	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 38,517	\$ 0	\$ 2,792	\$ 1,305	\$0	\$0		\$ 5	\$ 0	\$ 42,619	0	0	0	0	
Robbery	54	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 17,645	\$ 0	\$ 9,644	\$ 8,333	\$ 2,000	\$0		\$ 443	\$ 0	\$ 38,064	0	0	11	0	
Sexual Assault	362	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 1,497	\$ 0	\$ 1,084	\$ 43,276	\$ 4,000	\$0	\$ 277,277	\$ 5,645	\$ 0	\$ 332,778	0	25	19	0	
Stalking	16	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 4,026	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 12,581	\$ 2,327	\$0		\$ 365	\$ 0	\$ 19,299	0	0	0	0	
Terrorism	5	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 315	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 4,918	\$0	\$0		\$ 37	\$ 0	\$ 5,270	1	0	0	0	
Total	2,377	\$ 1,550	\$ 1,726	\$ 713,680	\$ 839,844	\$ 305,751	\$ 217,638	\$ 51,111	\$0	\$ 1,165,597	\$ 39,005	\$ 42	\$ 3,335,944	7	201	161	0	

* Other expense explanations

Assault Report purchase Fraud/Financial Crimes Reports Purchase

						EXPENSE TYPES	PAID (in dollar	rs)							TYPES OF VIC				
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Arson	16	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 3,901	\$ 2,845	\$ 1,555	\$ 1,875	\$ 11,822	\$0		\$0	\$0	\$ 21,997	0	0	0	0		
Assault	1,261	\$ 1,500	\$ 1,726	\$ 1,262,837	\$ 16,303	\$ 1,422,670	\$ 192,783	\$ 79,218	\$ 4,418		\$ 30,454	\$ 115	\$ 3,012,023	3	402	125	8		
Burglary	68	\$0	\$0	\$ 22,443	\$ 0	\$ 10,746	\$ 6,989	\$ 12,600	\$ 400		\$ 64	\$0	\$ 53,242	0	0	18	0		
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect	137	\$0	\$0	\$ 64,804	\$0	\$ 45,409	\$ 73,720	\$ 15,589	\$ 3,105		\$ 6,822	\$0	\$ 209,449	3	56		8		
Child Pornography																			
Child Sexual Abuse	4,864	\$0	\$0	\$ 11,661	\$0	\$ 46,331	\$ 258,359	\$ 9,196	\$0	\$ 3,589,671	\$ 41,727	\$0	\$ 3,956,944	0	188		0		
DUI/DWI	22	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 68,760	\$0	\$ 30,088	\$ 1,470	\$0	\$0		\$ 393	\$0	\$ 100,711	0	0	0	0		
Fraud/Financial Crimes	320	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 568,141	\$0	\$ 1,108	\$ 7,054	\$0	\$ 3,323		\$ 2,703	\$ 32	\$ 582,360	0	0	282	0		
Homicide	791	\$ 1,050	\$0	\$ 141,269	\$ 2,947,729	\$ 12,956	\$ 35,161	\$ 4,000	\$0		\$ 28,294	\$0	\$ 3,170,459	0	52	0	1		
Human Trafficking																			
Kidnapping	6	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 1,900	\$0	\$ 1,397	\$0	\$ 2,000	\$ 32		\$ 3,062	\$0	\$ 8,391	0	0	0	0		
Other Vehicular Crimes	55	\$0	\$0	\$ 82,339	\$ 6,500	\$ 38,796	\$ 9,740	\$0	\$0		\$ 110	\$0	\$ 137,484	0	0	0	0		
Robbery	222	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 60,717	\$ 0	\$ 36,153	\$ 44,362	\$ 6,718	\$ 0		\$ 1,023	\$0	\$ 148,972	0	0	32	0		
Sexual Assault	1,367	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 15,120	\$0	\$ 21,893	\$ 176,276	\$ 8,781	\$ 0	\$ 1,036,587	\$ 25,425	\$ 15	\$ 1,284,097	0	98	41	0		
Stalking	57	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 16,636	\$ 0	\$ 45	\$ 30,607	\$ 11,260	\$ 0		\$ 1,454	\$0	\$ 60,001	0	0	0	0		
Terrorism	16	\$0	\$0	\$ 315	\$0	\$0	\$ 16,272	\$ 2,000	\$0		\$ 80	\$0	\$ 18,667	1	0	0	1		
Total	9,202	\$ 2,550	\$ 1,726	\$ 2,320,842	\$ 2,973,377	\$ 1,669,146	\$ 854,669	\$ 163,182	\$ 11,277	\$ 4,626,258	\$ 141,609	\$ 162	\$ 12,764,799	7	796	498	18		

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NARRATIVE QUESTIONS

1. Please explain any significant change in the number of applications received during the reporting period.

Pennsylvania experienced an 8% increase in the number of claims during this reporting period. For Federal Fiscal year 2020-2021, Pennsylvania received 5,781 applications and for Federal Fiscal year 2021-2022, a total of 6,238 applications were received. For the past few years, Pennsylvania has seen a gradual increase in claims as the courts and victim witness programs re-opened from initially being closed as a result of COVID 19.

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. 84

Please explain your state's procedure for processing an application for claim eligibility, from time of receipt of application to decision. Pennsylvania counts average processing time from the date the application is received until a first-time decision is made to either pay or deny. If after 60 days, the claimant has failed to submit proper documentation, the claim can be placed into an inactive status, which does stop the counting for average processing time.

3. Does your state have a victim satisfaction survey?

No

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.

Pennsylvania continues to strengthen our outreach to legislators and citizens to better educate them on compensation and help them understand that no state tax dollars are used to fund the program. We continue to try and find new ways to conduct this outreach.

5. Please describe in detail efforts taken to serve Victims of Federal Crime during the reporting period.

Pennsylvania continues to work with federal partners to ensure crime victim needs are met. Cross border issues continue to be a discussion topic when the crime occurs in two (2) or more states.

Please describe any notable activities during the reporting period that improved the process of victim compensation services.

During this reporting period, Pennsylvania translated the claim form, informational brochures and some outgoing correspondence to victims in various languages. The languages include Spanish, Chinese, German, Korean, Russian, Vietnamese, Portuguese, Turkish, and Ukrainian. The claim form is also available in Braille. Also, during the reporting period, the Program revised a satisfaction survey that is now online for claimants to complete. Also, during this rating period, in an attempt to make it easier for law enforcement, the Law Enforcement Victims Rights Information, was added to the agency website with county specific information. Per statute, the law enforcement agency responding to or investigating an incident shall provide basic information on the rights and services available for crime victims and the availability of crime victims compensation to the direct victim, or if appropriate, a member of the direct victim s family. During this reporting period, the Program has been moving towards going paperless internally. Faxes that are received by the Program are uploaded and attached to the claim directly into the case management system. Emails that are received are also uploaded and attached to the claim in the case management system. A process for scanning and uploading postal mail is being worked on as well as a known party attachment portal for claimants, victim advocates, and providers.

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.

The administrative funds are used to partially support the salary and benefits of two staff persons. One of these individuals, a claim specialist, works directly with the Victims Compensation Assistance Program claim process. This process includes determination of eligibility, the verification process, making decisions and the preparation of recommendations. This staff member works directly with victim service groups, service care providers, law enforcement agencies, Clerk of Courts, District Attorney Offices, and victim/claimant compensation claims received daily. The second position provides clerical support for the VCAP. This position assures that all data and bills for incoming claim forms are entered daily into the claim processing system and designates Emergency Awards as a priority status. This position also assures that all incoming mail is opened and logged, mails acknowledgement letters to victims and claimants, sends notices of decision to victims, claimants and the victim service agencies, and provides assistance to other staff with administrative responsibilities such as filing and copying.

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.

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During this reporting period, Act 77 of 2022 was signed into law. There are a number of changes to the program that went into effect for crimes occurring on or after 9/8/2022. 1. Adds the following eligible charges: 75 Pa.C.S. 3732.1 (Relating To Aggravated Assault By Vehicle) 75 Pa.C.S. 3733 (Relating To Fleeing Or Attempting To Elude Police Officer) 75 Pa.C.S. 3734 (Relating To Driving Without Lights To Avoid Identification Or Arrest) 75 Pa.C.S. 3742.1 (Relating To Accidents Involving Death Or Personal Injury While Not Properly Licensed) If The Nature And Circumstance Of The Offense Committed Are Substantially Similar To An Offense Under 75 Pa.C.S. 3742 2. Adds privately owned vehicles to crime scene clean up. 3. Changes filing requirement to 5 years with good cause exceptions for filing past 5 years. 4. Changes minimum loss requirement to \$50.00. 5. Adds no minimum loss requirement for claimants over the age of 60. 6. Mileage for counseling services can be paid to: a. Direct victim. b. Individual responsible for direct victim's welfare. c. Intervenor or individual physically present at the crime scene and witness a violent crime. d. In case of homicide, an individual who discovers the body. e. Anyone related to the direct victim within the 2nd degree of consanguinity. f. Anyone maintaining a common law relationship with the direct victim. g. Anyone residing in the same household with the direct victim. h. Anyone engaged to be married to the direct victim. 7. If the crime involved is a homicide, the conduct of the direct victim shall not be considered for claims by eligible claimants for counseling and funeral expenses. 8. Allows sexual violence and intimidation orders as reporting to proper authorities. 9. Allows a minor who is a direct victim of a sexual offense to request that the minor s primary insurance carrier not be billed for counseling services if the policy is held or administered by either the alleged perpetrator of the crime or an individual responsible for the minor s welfare that is not supportive of counseling services. 10. In the 2019-2020 Regular Session, HB962 was signed into law which allowed Sexual Assault victims to file claims to VCAP for counseling without reporting to law enforcement. This wording has now been added to the CVA as Section 701.1.

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 Victims Compensation Program Administrator and State VOCA Assistance Administrator are both within the same office in Pennsylvania. There is a very close working relationship. Since the Deputy Director oversees both areas, it provides a better source of communication among the programs. This is an ideal working situation which quickly addresses any barriers that may arise. Victims compensation also works closely with partners to ensure barriers are addressed immediately. Through committee structures at the Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency, staff have access to Criminal Justice Advisory Boards which have the ability to coordinate with local law enforcement, courts, etc. The PCCD, Office of Victim Services also has a very good working relationship with the Pennsylvania District Attorneys Association to quickly address barriers that may arise with prosecutor offices.

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

Pennsylvania continues to promote the victims compensation program using its own website, the app, newsletter articles, pamphlets, brochures (especially the law enforcement brochures that were developed for law enforcement to provide at the time of the crime) and various other outreach such as presentation and conference participation. Staff participated in legislative community events in which information related to Victims Compensation was shared. Quarterly meetings have been conducted with VCAP staff and the victim service providers.

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 Program submitted a State Performance Plan for Fiscal year 2021-2022. The following performance measures were reported: Total number of VCAP claims received annually (11,999); number of individuals receiving VCAP benefit in the year (8,333) Unique, non-FRE, claimants receiving VCAP funding (2,939); Average processing time for claims (12 weeks); total sexual assault counseling claims paid (184); total VCAP benefit paid (\$13,198,583); and total non-FRE VCAP benefit paid (\$8,677,620). In years past the Program has reported the percentage of satisfactory surveys received. However, we receive a low return rate of surveys (about 4% that we send are returned). The survey has been revamped and is now available online as of May 2022. As a result of this work and a low response rate for this reporting period, survey results are not available. The Program will be making efforts to market this new survey for completion over the next year.

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

None at this time.

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