

Emerging Issues and Training and Technical Assistance Call for Concept Papers

PRE-APPLICATION CALL

JANUARY 4, 2023

Agenda of Pre-Application Call

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Overview of Call for Concept Papers

- Emerging issues addressing needs and challenges of OVW grantees, subgrantees, and the violence against women field or in technical assistance
- NEW ideas OVW is not currently supporting via the Training and Technical Assistance Initiative and new pilot project ideas (See existing projects at www.TA2TA.org)

Due Date: Thursday January 26, 2023 9:00pm ET

Eligibility

- National, tribal, statewide, or local nonprofit organizations
 - 501c3 status is not required
- Institutions of higher education
- State, local, or tribal government or governmental agencies (e.g., police departments, prosecutor's offices, or probation departments)
- **Individuals and for-profit entities are not eligible applicants for this call for concept papers**

Purpose Areas

Purpose area 1: Emerging Issues

- TA projects
- Pilot projects

Purpose areas

Specific TA purpose areas included in the Call for Concept papers

Purpose Area 2: Technical Assistance for Alaska Tribes Implementing Special Tribal Criminal Jurisdiction

Purpose Area 3: Campus Special Initiative - Culturally Specific Campuses

Purpose Area 4: Expanding Legal Services Initiative (ELSI)

Purpose Area 5: Culturally Specific Cross-Program Technical Assistance

OVW staff available to answer questions about the purpose areas during call or via email.

***** Please note that OVW can only provide limited guidance regarding whether an idea is within the scope of Purpose Area 1. We cannot provide feedback on the quality or likely success of a proposal or idea for any of the purpose areas, including Purpose Area 1 for emerging issues..**

Application Requirements

- All projects must be for a national audience (unless specified in one of the included TA purpose areas)
- Three parts of the application
 - Summary Data Sheet
 - Project Narrative
 - Statement of Expertise
- Do not include additional documents not requested in the Call for Concept Papers, e.g. resumes, letters of support, articles, budgets, table of contents, appendices, etc.

5) Submission Process

- All documents must be submitted as single attachments - not in a Zip file.
- OVW will not merge proposal documents from multiple emails.
- Each email will be its own application.
- Applicants can submit up to 3 separate and distinct applications. Additional emails exceeding the cap will be removed from consideration.

Submission Process (continued)

- What happens if you mistakenly submit a proposal multiple times or send four different proposals:
 - OVW will review the most recently submitted (time stamped) emailed applications of any non-duplicative applications
 - If you do need to resubmit an application via email before the due date and time, resubmit via email and state in the email which email you would like to remove from review (that this application is replacing).
- Each concept paper must be submitted in its own email
 - For example: if submitting three concept papers, send each concept paper in its own email with a distinct name – do not send all three concept papers in the same email
- If you are submitting multiple concept papers, please use the subject line in the email to distinguish each email
 - For example: Email one – “Emerging Issues Purpose Area – Concept paper 1”; Email 2 - “Emerging Issues Purpose Area –Concept Paper 2”; and Email 3 - “Campus Special Initiative – Culturally Specific Campuses – Concept Paper 3”

Review Process

- Internal review process of all eligible applicants.
- As part of the review process, applicants and project partners may be contacted to conduct virtual or in-person meetings.

Post-Decision Process

- The project point-of-contact identified in the Summary Data Sheet will be contacted via the email address provided regarding the outcome of the application. This applies to both successful and unsuccessful applications. Separate emails will be sent regarding each application submitted.
- Negotiation of full scope of project, partnerships, and budget amount with OVW will take place before final proposal approval.
- Selected applicants will be required to submit a full proposal through Grants.Gov and JustGrants.

Q&A

Please post questions in the chat box

Please send any questions after the pre-application call to:

OVW.TechAssistance@usdoj.gov

All proposals must be emailed to OVW.TechAssistance@usdoj.gov **by 9:00 pm ET on Thursday January 26, 2023.**