

**Office for Victims of Crime**  
**Victim Compensation Formula Grant Program**  
**Annual Performance Measures Report**  
**October 01, 2017 - September 30, 2018**

**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 2017:   
 Q2: Jan-Mar 2018:   
 Q3: Apr-Jun 2018:   
 Q4: Jul-Sep 2018:   
 Annual:

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

Q1: Oct-Dec 2017:   
 Q2: Jan-Mar 2018:   
 Q3: Apr-Jun 2018:   
 Q4: Jul-Sep 2018:   
 Annual:

3. Victim Demographics

Population		Number of Victims				
		Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Annual
<b>A. RACE/ETHNICITY</b>						
American Indian or Alaska Native		1	0	2	0	3
Asian		1	0	3	0	4
Black or African American		75	73	98	102	348
Hispanic or Latino		12	15	20	4	51
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander		0	0	0	0	0
White Non-Latino or Caucasian		74	65	51	76	266
Some Other Race		0	1	0	0	1
Multiple Races		4	6	2	2	14
Not Reported		0	0	0	0	0
Not Tracked		0	0	0	0	0
Race/Ethnicity Total		167	160	176	184	687
<b>B. GENDER</b>						
Male		82	84	93	107	366
Female		85	76	83	77	321
Not Reported		0	0	0	0	0
Not Tracked		0	0	0	0	0
Gender Total		167	160	176	184	687
<b>C. AGE</b>						
Age 0- 12		0	2	1	1	4
Age 13- 17		1	0	1	0	2
Age 18- 24		17	22	20	26	85
Age 25- 59		128	112	128	135	503
Age 60 and Older		21	24	26	22	93
Not Reported		0	0	0	0	0
Not Tracked		0	0	0	0	0
Age Total		167	160	176	184	687

## PERFORMANCE MEASURES

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

Q1: Oct-Dec 2017:

Victims and indirect victims generally count as separate applications

Q2: Jan-Mar 2018:

Victims and indirect victims generally count as separate applications

Q3: Apr-Jun 2018:

Victims and indirect victims generally count as separate applications

Q4: Jul-Sep 2018:

Victims and indirect victims generally count as separate applications

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

Q1: Oct-Dec 2017: 167

Q2: Jan-Mar 2018: 160

Q3: Apr-Jun 2018: 176

Q4: Jul-Sep 2018: 184

Annual: 687

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

Q1: Oct-Dec 2017: 97

Q2: Jan-Mar 2018: 69

Q3: Apr-Jun 2018: 81

Q4: Jul-Sep 2018: 122

Annual: 369

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

Q1: Oct-Dec 2017: 112

Q2: Jan-Mar 2018: 86

Q3: Apr-Jun 2018: 82

Q4: Jul-Sep 2018: 70

Annual: 350

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	1	2	1	0	4
B. Failure to report to police	0	0	0	0	0
C. Failure to cooperate with law enforcement, victim/witness coordinator, and/or other official required by program	3	4	2	2	11
D. Incomplete information	15	6	11	7	39
E. Contributory misconduct	21	15	15	7	58
F. Ineligible crime	6	4	5	2	17
G. Ineligible application	63	51	47	44	205
Other	3	4	1	8	16

Denial explanation:

Qtr 1: Claim decision delayed by Board pending outcome of the investigation and/or prosecution

Qtr 2: 2 victim withdrew eligible application; 2 Board delayed decision pending outcome of investigation

Qtr 3: Decision delayed pending outcome of the investigation and/or prosecution.

Qtr 4: Applicant withdrew claim; Decision on claims delayed pending outcome investigation and/or trial proceedings

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

Q1: Oct-Dec 2017: 402

Q2: Jan-Mar 2018: 333

Q3: Apr-Jun 2018: 320

Q4: Jul-Sep 2018: 479

Annual: 1,534

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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																		
Assault	49	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 45,663	\$ 0	\$ 105,850	\$ 3,075	NA	\$ 12,960		\$ 0		\$ 167,549	0	10	2	0	7
Burglary																		
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect	3	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,194	NA	\$ 0		\$ 211	\$ 0	\$ 1,405	0	3		0	0
Child Pornography																		
Child Sexual Abuse	402	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0	\$ 382,008	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 382,008	0	0		0	0
DUI/DWI	1	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 5,000	\$ 0	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 5,000	0	0	0	0	0
Fraud/Financial Crimes																		
Homicide	42	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 6,190	\$ 190,559	\$ 0	\$ 663	NA	\$ 0		\$ 300		\$ 197,711	0	13	0	0	0
Human Trafficking																		
Kidnapping																		
Other Vehicular Crimes	2	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 960	\$ 2,500	\$ 0	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 415	\$ 3,875	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery																		
Sexual Assault	3	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 4,298	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 75	NA	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 4,373	0	1	0	0	0
Stalking																		
Terrorism																		
Total	502	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 57,111	\$ 198,059	\$ 105,850	\$ 5,007	NA	\$ 12,960	\$ 382,008	\$ 511	\$ 415	\$ 761,920	0	27	2	0	7

**\* Other expense explanations**

Other Vehicular Crimes      Legal and filing fees for guardianship

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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	1	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 2,643	\$ 0	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 2,643	0	0	0	0	0
Assault	40	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 21,579	\$ 0	\$ 39,227	\$ 2,080	NA	\$ 9		\$ 612	\$ 12	\$ 63,520	0	11	1	0	0
Burglary																		
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect																		
Child Pornography																		
Child Sexual Abuse	335	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,655	NA	\$ 0	\$ 317,417	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 319,072	0	2		0	0
DUI/DWI	1	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 4,547	\$ 0	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 4,547	0	0	0	0	0
Fraud/Financial Crimes																		
Homicide	23	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 163	\$ 155,791	\$ 13	\$ 965	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0		\$ 156,932	0	11	0	0	0
Human Trafficking																		
Kidnapping																		
Other Vehicular Crimes	1	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,959	\$ 0	\$ 10,000	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 11,959	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery																		
Sexual Assault	1	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,705	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,705	0	0	0	0	0
Stalking																		
Terrorism																		
Total	402	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 23,701	\$ 162,981	\$ 49,240	\$ 6,405	\$ 0	\$ 9	\$ 317,417	\$ 612	\$ 12	\$ 560,378	0	24	1	0	0
<b>* Other expense explanations</b>																		
Assault	Security; replacement of locks of primary residence of domestic violence and/or sexual assault victim.																	

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PAYMENT STATISTICS BY CRIME TYPE      Qtr:3

EXPENSE TYPES PAID (in dollars)													TYPES OF VICTIMIZATIONS RELATED TO 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 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	98	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 34,850	\$ 0	\$ 80,383	\$ 2,318	NA	\$ 467		\$ 699	\$ 0	\$ 118,716	0	19	0	0	1
Burglary																		
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect																		
Child Pornography																		
Child Sexual Abuse	362	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 2,813	NA	\$ 0	\$ 286,188	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 289,000	0	2		0	0
DUI/DWI	1	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 9,396	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 9,396	0	0	0	0	0
Fraud/Financial Crimes																		
Homicide	42	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 320	\$ 172,888	\$ 0	\$ 4,230	NA	\$ 0		\$ 300	\$ 0	\$ 177,738	0	5	0	0	0
Human Trafficking																		
Kidnapping																		
Other Vehicular Crimes	2	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 449	\$ 0	\$ 307	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 755	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery																		
Sexual Assault	4	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 974	\$ 0	\$ 2,889	\$ 145	NA	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 4,008	0	0	0	0	0
Stalking																		
Terrorism																		
Total	509	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 36,592	\$ 172,888	\$ 92,975	\$ 9,505	NA	\$ 467	\$ 286,188	\$ 999	\$ 0	\$ 599,614	0	26	0	0	1

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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	40	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 13,187	\$ 0	\$ 66,124	\$ 535	NA	\$ 0		\$ 29	\$ 300	\$ 80,175	0	7	0	0	0
Burglary																		
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect	1	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 25	\$ 0	\$ 0	NA		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 25	0	1		0	0
Child Pornography																		
Child Sexual Abuse	413	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 4,228	NA	\$ 0	\$ 318,286	\$ 0		\$ 322,514	0	1		0	0
DUI/DWI	4	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 7,500	\$ 5,207	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0		\$ 12,707	0	0	0	0	0
Fraud/Financial Crimes																		
Homicide	39	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 2,957	\$ 224,397	\$ 35	\$ 680	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 228,069	0	4	0	0	0
Human Trafficking																		
Kidnapping																		
Other Vehicular Crimes	1	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 279	\$ 0	\$ 1,000	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,279	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery																		
Sexual Assault	3	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 529	\$ 0	\$ 4,808	\$ 25	NA	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 5,362	0	0	0	0	0
Stalking																		
Terrorism																		
Total	501	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 16,952	\$ 231,897	\$ 77,199	\$ 5,468	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 318,286	\$ 29	\$ 300	\$ 650,131	0	13	0	0	0
<b>* Other expense explanations</b>																		
Assault	Lodging for medical treatment																	

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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	1	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 2,643	\$ 0	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 2,643	0	0	0	0	0
Assault	227	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 115,279	\$ 0	\$ 291,584	\$ 8,008	NA	\$ 13,436		\$ 1,341	\$ 312	\$ 429,960	0	47	3	0	8
Burglary																		
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect	4	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 25	\$ 1,194	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 211	\$ 0	\$ 1,430	0	4		0	0
Child Pornography																		
Child Sexual Abuse	1,512	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 8,695	NA	\$ 0	\$ 1,303,898	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,312,593	0	5		0	0
DUI/DWI	7	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 17,047	\$ 14,604	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 31,651	0	0	0	0	0
Fraud/Financial Crimes																		
Homicide	146	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 9,630	\$ 743,634	\$ 48	\$ 6,538	NA	\$ 0		\$ 600	\$ 0	\$ 760,450	0	33	0	0	0
Human Trafficking																		
Kidnapping																		
Other Vehicular Crimes	6	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 3,646	\$ 2,500	\$ 11,307	\$ 0	NA	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 415	\$ 17,868	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery																		
Sexual Assault	11	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 5,801	\$ 0	\$ 7,697	\$ 1,950	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 15,449	0	1	0	0	0
Stalking																		
Terrorism																		
Total	1,914	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 134,357	\$ 765,824	\$ 325,265	\$ 26,384	\$ 0	\$ 13,436	\$ 1,303,898	\$ 2,152	\$ 727	\$ 2,572,044	0	90	3	0	8

## NARRATIVE QUESTIONS

1. **Please explain any significant change in the number of applications received during the reporting period.**  
The change in the number of applications is not real significant. The decrease could possibly be due to collateral sources.
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. 90  
  
Please explain your state's procedure for processing an application for claim eligibility, from time of receipt of application to decision. Claim is received and entered into the database; issued a claim number and assigned to an investigator; ACIC (criminal history) and Medicaid eligibility report then ran on the victim or claimant. This process is done within the first 2 days of receipt; Claim is then given to investigator, who within 3 days will acknowledge the claim and request pertinent information from law enforcement and medical providers to determine facts of the incident. A detailed summary will then be given to Board member for approval or denial of claim.
3. **Does your state have a victim satisfaction survey?**  
No
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.**  
Although VOCA Funds have enabled the Arkansas Crime Victims Reparations Board to continue to provide compensation to eligible victims, the uncertainty of availability of funds is a constant concern for budgeting.
5. **Please describe in detail efforts taken to serve Victims of Federal Crime during the reporting period.**  
There is no differentiation in serving federal and non-federal victims as long as the eligibility criteria have been met. All efforts are put forth to serve all victims of criminally injurious conduct.
6. **Please describe any notable activities during the reporting period that improved the process of victim compensation services.**  
Site and networking visits are done on a monthly basis. Investigators visit various, prosecuting attorneys, victim advocates, law enforcement agencies, medical facilities, etc., in their assigned judicial districts providing material and information about the program. Continuous trainings on the program to these and other statewide audiences concerning the Crime Victims compensation program.
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.**  
Due to budget concerns, all VOCA funds are used for compensation.
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.**  
No.
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.**  
There is a continuous and concentrated effort to work with all of the above officials to verify facts and information regarding the eligibility criteria of claims.
10. **Please explain any public outreach efforts to improve awareness of your program.**  
See question 6. Additionally, the staff participates in various Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Forums; Victim Assistance Academy, and multiple trainings throughout the state.
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.**  
None other than what is reported in the progress reports.
12. **Please provide any additional comments that are helpful to improving the Victim Compensation state and/or federal program.**  
None at this time.