Office for Victims of Crime Victim Compensation Formula Grant Program Annual Performance Measures Report

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GRANTEE INFORMATION

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POPULATION DEMOGRAPHICS

1. Number of people for whom an

application was made for v compensation benefits duri reporting period.	
Q1: Oct-Dec 2022:	78
Q2: Jan-Mar 2023:	66

Q3: Apr-Jun 2023: Q4: Jul-Sep 2023:

88 76

Annual:

76 308

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

Q1: Oct-Dec 2022:	72
Q2: Jan-Mar 2023:	56
Q3: Apr-Jun 2023:	68
Q4: Jul-Sep 2023:	63
Annual:	259

Victim Demographics					
Population	Q1	Nı Q2	ımber Q3	of Vict	ims Annual
A. RACE/ETHNICITY	G(I	G(Z	QU	Q(T	Ailliadi
American Indian or Alaska Native	19	21	16	15	71
Asian	0	1	4	2	7
Black or African American	3	2	4	8	17
Hispanic or Latino	6	3	2	2	13
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2	0	1	0	3
White Non-Latino or Caucasian	39	28	36	33	136
Some Other Race	1	1	0	0	2
Multiple Races	2	0	5	3	10
Not Reported	0	0	0	0	0
Not Tracked	0	0	0	0	0
Race/Ethnicity Total	72	56	68	63	259
B. GENDER	ı				
Male	30	19	30	31	110
Female	42	37	37	32	148
Not Reported	0	0	1	0	1
Not Tracked	0	0	0	0	0
Gender Total	72	56	68	63	259
C. AGE	ı				
Age 0- 12	4	8	9	3	24
Age 13- 17	6	5	7	6	24
Age 18- 24	11	6	10	7	34
Age 25- 59	47	32	40	41	160
Age 60 and Older	4	5	2	6	17
Not Reported	0	0	0	0	0
Not Tracked	0	0	0	0	0
Age Total	72	56	68	63	259

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PERFORMANCE MEASURES

4.	Based on your program's general procedure, indicate if	Number of applications approved) during the re
	Q1: Oct-Dec 2022:	Q1: Oct-Dec 2022:
	Only one application is usually counted per crime	Q2: Jan-Mar 2023:
	Q2: Jan-Mar 2023:	Q3: Apr-Jun 2023:
	Only one application is usually counted per	Q4: Jul-Sep 2023:
	crime	Annual:
	Q3: Apr-Jun 2023:	Reason(s) for denial
	Only one application is usually counted per crime	Po
	Q4: Jul-Sep 2023:	A. Application not filed
	Only one application is usually counted per crime	B. Failure to report to
	CHILC	C. Failure to cooperate victim/witness coording
5.	Number of new applications received during	required by program
	the reporting period	D. Incomplete informa
	Q1: Oct-Dec 2022: 72	E. Contributory miscor
	Q2: Jan-Mar 2023: 56	- ····· , ···· · ·

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

Q1: Oct-Dec 2022:	69
Q2: Jan-Mar 2023:	58
Q3: Apr-Jun 2023:	57
Q4: Jul-Sep 2023:	59
Annual:	243

Q3: Apr-Jun 2023:

Q4: Jul-Sep 2023:

Annual:

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

Q1: Oct-Dec 2022:	8
Q2: Jan-Mar 2023:	2
Q3: Apr-Jun 2023:	2
Q4: Jul-Sep 2023:	4
Annual:	16

Reason(s) for denial or close status applicable for the reporting period:

Population					ctims
T. P. C. C.	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Annual
A. Application not filed within time limit	0	0	0	0	0
B. Failure to report to police	1	0	0	0	1
C. Failure to cooperate with law enforcement, victim/witness coordinator, and/or other official required by program	1	0	1	0	2
D. Incomplete information	0	0	0	0	0
E. Contributory misconduct	6	2	1	4	13
F. Ineligible crime	0	0	0	0	0
G. Ineligible application	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0
B : 1					

Denial explanation: Qtr 1: NA

Qtr 2: NA

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

Q1: Oct-Dec 2022: Not applicable

to my state's process

Q2: Jan-Mar 2023: Not applicable to my state's process

Q3: Apr-Jun 2023: Not applicable to my state's process

Q4: Jul-Sep 2023: Not applicable

to my state's process

Annual: 0

					EXPE	NSE TYPES PA	ID (in dollars	s)								ICTIMIZATIONS O 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	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	53	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 5,303	\$ 0	\$ 94,693	\$ 5,681	\$ 0	\$ 129		\$ 1,495	\$ 4,508	\$ 111,809	0	26	0	0	0
Burglary	1	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 870	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 870	0	0	0	0	0
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect																		
Child Pornography	1	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 130	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 130	0	0		0	0
Child Sexual Abuse	15	\$ 0	\$ 1,200	\$ 290	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 2,551	\$0	\$ 192	\$ 0	\$ 3,148	\$ 1,000	\$ 8,380	0	11		0	0
DUI/DWI																		
Fraud/Financial Crimes																		
Homicide	10	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 35,228	\$ 134	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 35,362	0	7	0	0	0
Human Trafficking	1	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 2,155	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 2,155	0	1	0	0	0
Kidnapping																		
Other Vehicular Crimes	6	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 12,058	\$ 0	\$ 5,672	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$0		\$ 1,440	\$ 0	\$ 19,170	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery																		
Sexual Assault	9	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 207	\$0	\$ 24	\$ 4,965	\$ 0	\$ 445	\$ 0	\$ 116	\$ 0	\$ 5,757	0	2	0	0	0
Stalking	1	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 50	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 0		\$0	\$0	\$ 50	0	1	0	0	0
Terrorism												$\overline{}$						
Total	97	\$ 0	\$ 1,200	\$ 18,728	\$ 35,228	\$ 102,729	\$ 13,327	\$ 0	\$ 766	\$0	\$ 6,198	\$ 5,508	\$ 183,684	0	48	0	0	0

Assault security devices
Child Sexual Abuse Security Devices

					EXPE	NSE TYPES P	AID (in dollar	s)								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 Plad During the Reporting Period	Number of Applications Related to Elder Abuse/Neglect that were Paid During the	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	30	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 3,255	\$ 0	\$ 28,580	\$ 5,873	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 37,708	0	15	0	0	
Burglary	1	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 167	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0		\$ 167	0	0	0	0	
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect																		
Child Pornography	2	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 639	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0		\$ 639	0	0		0	
Child Sexual Abuse	9	\$0	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,433	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 608	\$ 500	\$ 2,541	0	4		0	
DUI/DWI	2	\$0	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 199	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$0		\$ 150	\$ 0	\$ 349	0	0	0	0	
Fraud/Financial Crimes																		
Homicide	17	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 29,679	\$ 226	\$ 575	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 2,434	\$ 0	\$ 32,915	0	7	0	0	
Human Trafficking																		
Kidnapping	2	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 0	\$0	\$0	\$ 370	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$0		\$ 370	0	0	0	0	
Other Vehicular Crimes	3	\$0	\$0	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 15,920	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$0	$\overline{}$	\$ 15,920	0	0	0	0	
Robbery	7											\equiv						
Sexual Assault	9	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 6,065	\$0	\$ 975	\$ 2,611	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 89	\$ 0	\$ 9,740	0	3	0	0	
Stalking																		
Terrorism																		
Total	75	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 9,321	\$ 29,679	\$ 45,900	\$ 11,669	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 3,281	\$ 500	\$ 100,349	0	29	0	0	

Child Sexual Abuse Security Devices

					EXPE	NSE TYPES PA	AID (in dollars	s)					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	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	34	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 4,500	\$ 0	\$ 52,934	\$ 4,737	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 1,565	\$ 900	\$ 64,635	2	20	0	0	0				
Burglary	1	\$0	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 242	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 242	0	0	0	0	0				
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect																						
Child Pornography	1	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 12	\$ 0	\$0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 12	0	0		0	0				
Child Sexual Abuse	4	\$0	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 2,246	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 2,246	0	2		0	0				
DUI/DWI	1	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 174	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 0	\$0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 174	0	0	0	0	0				
Fraud/Financial Crimes																						
Homicide	10	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 18,412	\$ 0	\$ 917	\$ 0	\$0		\$ 1,537	\$ 0	\$ 20,866	0	3	1	0	0				
Human Trafficking	1	\$0	\$ 0	\$0	\$0	\$ 6,269	\$0	\$ 0	\$0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 6,269	0	1	0	0	0				
Kidnapping	4	\$0	\$ 0	\$0	\$0	\$ 1,044	\$ 2,888	\$ 0	\$0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 3,932	0	0	0	0	0				
Other Vehicular Crimes	12	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 5,989	\$ 13,329	\$ 20,318	\$ 405	\$ 0	\$ 113		\$ 1,130	\$ 0	\$ 41,284	0	0	0	0	0				
Robbery	7																					
Sexual Assault	10	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 334	\$0	\$ 650	\$ 4,486	\$ 0	\$ 98	\$ 0	\$ 659	\$ 0	\$ 6,227	0	3	0	0	0				
Stalking	7																					
Terrorism	7							\equiv				$\overline{}$										
Total	78	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 10,997	\$ 31,742	\$ 81,457	\$ 15,691	\$ 0	\$ 211	\$ 0	\$ 4,890	\$ 900	\$ 145,887	2	29	1	0	0				

Security Devices

Assault

PAYMENT STATISTICS BY CRIME TYPE Qtr:	4																			
					EXPE	ENSE TYPES I	PAID (in dolla	rs)						TYPES OF VICTIMIZATIONS RELATED TO A CRIME TYPE						
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Arson																				
Assault	32	\$ 0	\$ 300	\$ 1,236	\$ 0	\$ 39,988	\$ 3,652	\$ 0	\$ 211		\$ 1,390	\$ 559	\$ 47,337	1	21	0	1			
Burglary																				
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect																				
Child Pornography	1	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 78	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0		\$ 78	0	0		0			
Child Sexual Abuse	5	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 2,110	\$ 0	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 2,110	0	0		0			
DUI/DWI	3	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 316	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 118		\$ 720	\$ 0	\$ 1,154	0	2	0	0			
Fraud/Financial Crimes																				
Homicide	18	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 580	\$ 67,651	\$ 7,008	\$ 1,147	\$ 0	\$ 107		\$ 1,449	\$ 664	\$ 78,607	0	7	0	0			
Human Trafficking			\equiv																	
Kidnapping			\equiv																	
Other Vehicular Crimes	4	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 11,973	\$0	\$0	\$ 110		\$ 406	\$ 0	\$ 12,489	0	0	0	0			
Robbery		\equiv																		
Sexual Assault	14	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 580	\$ 0	\$ 3,049	\$ 3,729	\$ 0	\$ 115	\$0	\$ 908		\$ 8,381	0	6	0	0			
Stalking																		1		
Terrorism																				
Total	77	\$0	\$ 300	\$ 2,396	\$ 67,651	\$ 62,334	\$ 10,717	\$0	\$ 661	\$ 0	\$ 4,873	\$ 1,224	\$ 150,155	1	36	0	1			

* Other expense explanations

Assault Security Device Homicide Child Support

PAYMENT STATISTICS BY CRIME TYPE - Aggreg	gated																	
					EXPE	NSE TYPES P	AID (in dolla	rs)								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 of Applications Related to Elder Abuse/Neglect that were Paid During the Renortion 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	149	\$ 0	\$ 300	\$ 14,295	\$ 0	\$ 216,194	\$ 19,944	\$ 0	\$ 340		\$ 4,450	\$ 5,967	\$ 261,490	3	82	0	1	0
Burglary	3	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 870	\$ 0	\$ 242	\$ 167	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,279	0	0	0	0	0
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect																		
Child Pornography	5	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 859	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 859	0	0		0	0
Child Sexual Abuse	33	\$ 0	\$ 1,200	\$ 290	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 8,340	\$ 0	\$ 192	\$ 0	\$ 3,756	\$ 1,500	\$ 15,278	0	17		0	0
DUI/DWI	6	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 174	\$0	\$ 515	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 118		\$ 870	\$0	\$ 1,677	0	2	0	0	0
Fraud/Financial Crimes	7																	
Homicide	55	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 580	\$ 150,970	\$ 7,369	\$ 2,639	\$ 0	\$ 107		\$ 5,420	\$ 664	\$ 167,749	0	24	1	0	0
Human Trafficking	2	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 8,424	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 8,424	0	2	0	0	0
Kidnapping	6	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,044	\$ 3,258	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 4,302	0	0	0	0	0
Other Vehicular Crimes	25	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 18,047	\$ 13,329	\$ 53,883	\$ 405	\$ 0	\$ 223		\$ 2,976	\$0	\$ 88,863	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery																		
Sexual Assault	42	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 7,186	\$0	\$ 4,698	\$ 15,792	\$ 0	\$ 658	\$0	\$ 1,771	\$0	\$ 30,105	0	14	0	0	0
Stalking	1	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$ 50	\$0	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$0	\$0	\$ 50	0	1	0	0	0
Terrorism					- 11													
Total	327	\$ 0	\$ 1,500	\$ 41,441	\$ 164,299	\$ 292,420	\$ 51,404	\$0	\$ 1,638	\$ 0	\$ 19,243	\$ 8,131	\$ 580,075	3	142	1	1	0

NARRATIVE QUESTIONS

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

SD CVC steadily increased applications received since transferring from the Dept. of Social Services to the Department of Public Safety in 2019. The increases can be attributed to increased and improved relationships with our Victims' Services partners, improved processes, and a decrease in the return on requested information from Law Enforcement and Providers.

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. 25

Please explain your state's procedure for processing an application for claim eligibility, from time of receipt of application to decision. SDVS Compensation moved from an entirely hard paper file application file management system to an online application and data management system. Applications may be received through online submissions, mail, or digital copies may be provided via e-mail or fax. Upon receipt of an application, if required information is complete and eligible crime has been identified, a letter to law enforcement and providers are sent for verification of the information submitted on the application. When the law enforcement report is received, it is reviewed to ensure the information matches the application and that the crime is a compensable crime. Claim eligibility is determined by South Dakota Codified Law, Administrative Rules, Policy, and guidance provided by the Compensation Federal Register. A summary is completed by the claims specialist who provides a recommendation for the claim decision and sent to the program manager for review and approval. Expenses for approved claims are verified once provider information has been received. Denial letters are sent to claimants who do not meet compensation requirements with the option to appeal decisions to the Crime Victims' Compensation Commission.

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.

Although there are no notable trends - SD CVC continues to promote awareness to partners and crime victims on the processes and opportunities for CVC benefits.

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

SDVS Staff worked closely with FBI Victims Specialists, Federal Homeland Security Victims' Services, and the US Attorney's office within the state to ensure Federal crime victims are served. South Dakota is home to nine tribal nations where crimes are enforced under federal law. South Dakota has established a Victim Witness Subcommittee which meets bi-annually in the spring and fall. SD CVC provides updates and TA at this meeting. Federal Victims' Services partners, state and county-level system-based victims' specialists, as well as the state DV coalition members, are active attendees at each meeting.

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

In January 2021 SDVS transitioned to the new MAVIS online application and data management system. This has notably increased the efficiency of claims management and has provided better tools to analyze trends going forward. Additionally, the increased awareness and technical assistance provided to VS partners and VOCA subgrantees have contributed to improved processes.

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.

Administrative funds were used for personnel salary and fringe benefits, Travel costs to attend the annual VOCA Assistance and Compensation National Conference, and technology enhancements to improve our data management system for improved efficiencies of our data management system.

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.

SDVS DPS worked with the Legislative Research Council (LRC) to update minor "clean-up" language to state administrative rules however, there was no significant impact with the updates.

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 Office of Victims Services under DPS has shown improvement in relationships with Law Enforcement. We are receiving law enforcement verification information in less time from many agencies. We have received positive feedback from Law Enforcement, Prosecution, tribal agencies as well as multiple systems and shelter-based victims' services providers regarding the noticeable increase of support, training and technical assistance, and victim-centered practices SDVS has adopted in the last 4 years. The SDVS Program Director administers VOCA Victim Assistance and Victims Compensation, as well as FVPSA, STOP, SASP, State DASA funds, and Access and Visitations funding. We find valuable benefits to having VOCA Assistance and Compensation under the same department as this assists in guiding compensation victims to shelter programs that may be able to assist beyond what compensation requirements allow.

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

SDVS and the CVC Staff have seized opportunities through online meetings and training events to provide for continuity of awareness activities. SDVS Continues to partner with the SD Network Against Family Violence as the state-designated coalition, to host bi-weekly meetings to provide updates and support, which often includes CVC awareness opportunities. SDVS will continue instituting new outreach and awareness of the online application system which was live in January 2021.

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.

There are no additional outcomes to report at this time.

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

None to report at this time.