

Office for Victims of Crime
Victim Compensation Formula Grant Program
Annual Performance Measures Report
October 01, 2022 - September 30, 2023

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 2022:
 Q2: Jan-Mar 2023:
 Q3: Apr-Jun 2023:
 Q4: Jul-Sep 2023:
 Annual:

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

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

3. Victim Demographics

Population	Number of Victims				
A. RACE/ETHNICITY	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Annual
American Indian or Alaska Native	30	26	20	39	115
Asian	20	30	16	20	86
Black or African American	33	39	34	44	150
Hispanic or Latino	294	381	284	356	1315
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	13	18	15	22	68
White Non-Latino or Caucasian	946	963	919	921	3749
Some Other Race	36	57	64	53	210
Multiple Races	NT	0	NT	NT	0
Not Reported	472	90	600	514	1676
Not Tracked	89	99	0	64	252
Race/Ethnicity Total	1933	1703	1952	2033	7621
B. GENDER					
Male	302	355	313	457	1427
Female	1631	1274	1123	1485	5513
Not Reported	0	4	516	1	521
Not Tracked	0	70	0	90	160
Gender Total	1933	1703	1952	2033	7621
C. AGE					
Age 0- 12	291	215	252	344	1102
Age 13- 17	414	308	334	376	1432
Age 18- 24	331	314	396	339	1380
Age 25- 59	822	792	893	879	3386
Age 60 and Older	57	70	71	64	262
Not Reported	12	4	6	NT	22
Not Tracked	6	0	0	31	37
Age Total	1933	1703	1952	2033	7621

PERFORMANCE MEASURES

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

Q1: Oct-Dec 2022:

Only one application is usually counted per crime

Q2: Jan-Mar 2023:

Only one application is usually counted per crime

Q3: Apr-Jun 2023:

Only one application is usually counted per crime

Q4: Jul-Sep 2023:

Only one application is usually counted per crime

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

Q1: Oct-Dec 2022:

Q2: Jan-Mar 2023:

Q3: Apr-Jun 2023:

Q4: Jul-Sep 2023:

Annual:

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

Q1: Oct-Dec 2022:

Q2: Jan-Mar 2023:

Q3: Apr-Jun 2023:

Q4: Jul-Sep 2023:

Annual:

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

Q1: Oct-Dec 2022:

Q2: Jan-Mar 2023:

Q3: Apr-Jun 2023:

Q4: Jul-Sep 2023:

Annual:

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	0	0	0	0	0
B. Failure to report to police	2	1	0	0	3
C. Failure to cooperate with law enforcement, victim/witness coordinator, and/or other official required by program	22	31	31	48	132
D. Incomplete information	31	11	19	25	86
E. Contributory misconduct	11	11	10	14	46
F. Ineligible crime	33	32	116	174	355
G. Ineligible application	127	17	19	22	185
Other	4	172	71	272	519

Denial explanation:

Qtr 1: Applicant withdrew (4)

Qtr 2: Withdrew claim. No police report received, Duplicate claim, did not occur in UT

Qtr 3: Withdrew application, Duplicate claim, Police report not received by CVR

Qtr 4: Withdrew claim, doesn't meet statutory definition of a victim, incident did not occur in Utah, incomplete application, crime occurred before Jan 1, 1987, police report not received, closed due to the 3 year rule, incident doesn't qualify.

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

Q1: Oct-Dec 2022:

Q2: Jan-Mar 2023:

Q3: Apr-Jun 2023:

Q4: Jul-Sep 2023:

Annual:

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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	1	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		NT	\$ 210	\$ 210	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Assault	176	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		NT	\$ 351,310	\$ 351,310	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Burglary																		
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect	15	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		NT	\$ 10,836	\$ 10,836	NT	NT		NT	NT
Child Pornography																		
Child Sexual Abuse	115	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	\$ 74,213	\$ 74,213	NT	NT		NT	NT
DUI/DWI	9	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		NT	\$ 21,069	\$ 21,069	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Fraud/Financial Crimes																		
Homicide	12	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		NT	\$ 57,963	\$ 57,963	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Human Trafficking	1	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		NT	\$ 1,000	\$ 1,000	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Kidnapping	7	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		NT	\$ 4,888	\$ 4,888	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Other Vehicular Crimes	15	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		NT	\$ 22,961	\$ 22,961	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Robbery	9	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		NT	\$ 56,030	\$ 56,030	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Sexual Assault	845	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	\$ 274,215	NT	\$ 109,110	\$ 383,325	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Stalking	6	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		NT	\$ 3,660	\$ 3,660	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Terrorism																		
Total	1,211	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	\$ 274,215	NT	\$ 713,249	\$ 987,464	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT

* Other expense explanations

Arson	We do not track the type of benefit and crime type together. I am unable to gather this data.
Assault	We do not track the type of benefit and crime type together. I am unable to gather this data.
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect	We do not track the type of benefit and crime type together. I am unable to gather this data.
Child Sexual Abuse	We do not track the type of benefit and crime type together. I am unable to gather this data.
DUI/DWI	We do not track the type of benefit and crime type together. I am unable to gather this data.
Homicide	We do not track the type of benefit and crime type together. I am unable to gather this data.
Human Trafficking	We do not track the type of benefit and crime type together. I am unable to gather this data.
Kidnapping	We do not track the type of benefit and crime type together. I am unable to gather this data.
Other Vehicular Crimes	We do not track the type of benefit and crime type together. I am unable to gather this data.
Robbery	We do not track the type of benefit and crime type together. I am unable to gather this data.
Sexual Assault	We do not track the type of benefit and crime type together. I am unable to gather this data.
Stalking	We do not track the type of benefit and crime type together. I am unable to gather this data.

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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	0	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 0	\$ 0	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Assault	263	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 537,495	\$ 537,495	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Burglary																		
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect	22	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 8,973	\$ 8,973	NT	NT		NT	NT
Child Pornography																		
Child Sexual Abuse	179	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 88,277	\$ 88,277	NT	NT		NT	NT
DUI/DWI	7	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 11,001	\$ 11,001	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Fraud/Financial Crimes																		
Homicide	29	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 118,194	\$ 118,194	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Human Trafficking	1	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 140	\$ 140	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Kidnapping	5	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 2,248	\$ 2,248	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Other Vehicular Crimes	7	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 38,328	\$ 38,328	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Robbery	16	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 27,600	\$ 27,600	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Sexual Assault	626	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 539,702	\$ 539,702	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Stalking	8	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 3,740	\$ 3,740	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Terrorism																		
Total	1,163	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 1,375,696	\$ 1,375,696	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT

* Other expense explanations

Arson	0
Assault	All payments for this crime type are lumped together into one total. We do not track them separately.
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect	All payments for this crime type are lumped together into one total. We do not track them separately.
Child Sexual Abuse	All payments for this crime type are lumped together into one total. We do not track them separately.
DUI/DWI	All payments for this crime type are lumped together into one total. We do not track them separately.
Homicide	All payments for this crime type are lumped together into one total. We do not track them separately.
Human Trafficking	All payments for this crime type are lumped together into one total. We do not track them separately.
Kidnapping	All payments for this crime type are lumped together into one total. We do not track them separately.
Other Vehicular Crimes	All payments for this crime type are lumped together into one total. We do not track them separately.
Robbery	All payments for this crime type are lumped together into one total. We do not track them separately.
Sexual Assault	All payments for this crime type are lumped together into one total. We do not track them separately.
Stalking	All payments for this crime type are lumped together into one total. We do not track them separately.

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PAYMENT STATISTICS BY CRIME TYPE Qtr:3

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	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 2,535	\$ 2,535	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Assault	315	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 425,503	\$ 425,503	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Burglary																		
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect	24	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 21,069	\$ 21,069	NT	NT		NT	NT
Child Pornography																		
Child Sexual Abuse	192	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 96,035	\$ 96,035	NT	NT		NT	NT
DUI/DWI	5	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 15,684	\$ 15,684	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Fraud/Financial Crimes																		
Homicide	35	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 96,885	\$ 96,885	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Human Trafficking	1	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 140	\$ 140	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Kidnapping	5	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 8,403	\$ 8,403	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Other Vehicular Crimes	1	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 152	\$ 152	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Robbery	13	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 10,320	\$ 10,320	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Sexual Assault	619	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 589,074	\$ 589,074	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Stalking	10	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 5,733	\$ 5,733	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Terrorism																		
Total	1,221	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		\$ 1,271,533	\$ 1,271,533	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT

* Other expense explanations

Arson	The above is the total we paid for Arson in this period because we do not break it down further.
Assault	The above is the total we paid for Assault in this period because we do not break it down further.
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect	The above is the total we paid for child physical abuse/neglect in this period because we do not break it down further.
Child Sexual Abuse	The above is the total we paid for child sexual abuse in this period because we do not break it down further.
DUI/DWI	The above is the total we paid for DUI/DWI in this period because we do not break it down further.
Homicide	The above is the total we paid for Homicide in this period because we do not break it down further.
Human Trafficking	The above is the total we paid for human trafficking in this period because we do not break it down further.
Kidnapping	The above is the total we paid for kidnapping in this period because we do not break it down further.
Other Vehicular Crimes	The above is the total we paid for other vehicular crimes in this period because we do not break it down further.
Robbery	The above is the total we paid for robbery in this period because we do not break it down further.
Sexual Assault	The above is the total we paid for sexual assault in this period because we do not break it down further.
Stalking	The above is the total we paid for stalking in this period because we do not break it down further.

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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	2	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 45	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 45	0	0	0	0	0
Assault	491	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 41,736	\$ 0	\$ 182,927	\$ 29,082	\$ 9,072	\$ 25,000		\$ 0	\$ 5,750	\$ 293,567	0	386	1	2	0
Burglary																		
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect	98	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 10,596	\$ 7,001	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 17,597	0	64		0	0
Child Pornography																		
Child Sexual Abuse	359	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 13,560	\$ 0	\$ 2,054	\$ 55,381	\$ 3,880	\$ 283	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 75,157	2	13		0	0
DUI/DWI	11	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 747	\$ 7,000	\$ 6,595	\$ 1,804	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 16,145	0	0	0	0	0
Fraud/Financial Crimes																		
Homicide	19	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 4,000	\$ 29,655	\$ 1,093	\$ 3,885	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 774	\$ 0	\$ 39,407	0	7	0	0	0
Human Trafficking																		
Kidnapping	8	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 125	\$ 2,077	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 2,202	0	2	0	0	0
Other Vehicular Crimes	12	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 60	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 60	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery	21	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 236	\$ 3,900	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 4,136	0	3	0	0	0
Sexual Assault	736	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 471	\$ 0	\$ 249	\$ 12,096	\$ 1,791	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 14,608	0	27	0	0	0
Stalking	27	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 728	\$ 5,000	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 5,728	0	7	0	0	0
Terrorism																		
Total	1,784	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 60,514	\$ 36,655	\$ 204,663	\$ 120,271	\$ 14,743	\$ 25,283	\$ 0	\$ 774	\$ 5,750	\$ 468,653	2	509	1	2	0

* Other expense explanations

Assault Essential Property State Funds, From the Old System, Insurance/Spenddown, Legal Reimbursement, Miscellaneous, Pain And Suffering, Property Loss, Security

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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	4	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 45	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 2,745	\$ 2,790	0	0	0	0	0
Assault	1,245	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 41,736	\$ 0	\$ 182,927	\$ 29,082	\$ 9,072	\$ 25,000		\$ 0	\$ 1,320,058	\$ 1,607,874	0	386	1	2	0
Burglary																		
Child Physical Abuse/Neglect	159	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 10,596	\$ 7,001	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 40,878	\$ 58,475	0	64		0	0
Child Pornography																		
Child Sexual Abuse	845	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 13,560	\$ 0	\$ 2,054	\$ 55,381	\$ 3,880	\$ 283	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 258,525	\$ 333,682	2	13		0	0
DUI/DWI	32	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 747	\$ 7,000	\$ 6,595	\$ 1,804	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 47,755	\$ 63,900	0	0	0	0	0
Fraud/Financial Crimes																		
Homicide	95	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 4,000	\$ 29,655	\$ 1,093	\$ 3,885	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 774	\$ 273,041	\$ 312,449	0	7	0	0	0
Human Trafficking	3	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT		NT	\$ 1,280	\$ 1,280	NT	NT	NT	NT	NT
Kidnapping	25	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 125	\$ 2,077	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 15,539	\$ 17,741	0	2	0	0	0
Other Vehicular Crimes	35	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 60	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 61,440	\$ 61,500	0	0	0	0	0
Robbery	59	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 236	\$ 3,900	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 93,949	\$ 98,085	0	3	0	0	0
Sexual Assault	2,826	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 471	\$ 0	\$ 249	\$ 12,096	\$ 1,791	\$ 0	\$ 274,215	\$ 0	\$ 1,237,886	\$ 1,526,708	0	27	0	0	0
Stalking	51	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 728	\$ 5,000	\$ 0	\$ 0		\$ 0	\$ 13,133	\$ 18,861	0	7	0	0	0
Terrorism																		
Total	5,379	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 60,514	\$ 36,655	\$ 204,663	\$ 120,271	\$ 14,743	\$ 25,283	\$ 274,215	\$ 774	\$ 3,366,228	\$ 4,103,346	2	509	1	2	0

NARRATIVE QUESTIONS

1. **Please explain any significant change in the number of applications received during the reporting period.**
There have been no significant changes in the number of applications received during the reporting period.
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. 62

Please explain your state's procedure for processing an application for claim eligibility, from time of receipt of application to decision. Upon receipt of a compensation application, a claim with a unique claim ID is created by UOVC s Support Staff within UOVC s claim processing database, and the claims are assigned on a rotating basis to UOVC s Reparation Officers for review. The applicant is informed in writing (unless they request otherwise) that their claim has been received and is being processed. When a claim is created, a request for an investigative report is sent to the agency investigating the crime. UOVC s Victim Advocates monitor pending police report requests and send follow-up requests as needed, working to build the full kit that UOVC s Reparation Officers need to determine the eligibility of a claim. Once a police report is received for a given claim, Reparation Officers will review and summarize the police reports within the compensation database, and will use the information provided in the report to determine if the incident in question qualifies for compensation and if the applicant is eligible to receive reparations. They may also request supplemental police reports or contact law enforcement, prosecutors, and other professionals as needed to determine both eligibility and that the victim is cooperating with the investigation and prosecution of the crime. UOVC s Reparation Officers, Victim Advocates, and Reparations Program Manager/Assistant Director hold weekly staff meetings to discuss the eligibility of difficult or unusual claims. UOVC s Reparation Officers will then either approve or deny a claim. After this step, the applicant will be informed in writing (unless they request otherwise) either that their claim has been approved, and if so how to seek specific benefits, or that their claim has been denied, and if so that they have a statutory right to formally appeal the denial if they so choose.
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.**
Rising housing costs in the state. The CVRA Board authorized an increase in the administrative rule cap regarding relocation benefits from \$1,000.00 to \$2,000.00. The updated Rule became effective December 8, 2023.
5. **Please describe in detail efforts taken to serve Victims of Federal Crime during the reporting period.**
Victims of all crimes are eligible to apply for the program. The vast majority of applications come from referrals from victim advocates based in local, state and federal law enforcement, prosecution and court agencies. UOVC assigns all federal and tribal cases to one reparation officer, which helps establish and maintain working relationships with outside partners. This past year, that reparation officer, Tisha Littlewood was presented with an award of appreciation from the United States Attorney for Utah, for going above and beyond to build these relationships with federal and tribal partners and for her care and dedication to victims of federal crimes as well as victims and victim issues within our Tribal communities and members.
6. **Please describe any notable activities during the reporting period that improved the process of victim compensation services.**
Members of the compensation team participate in the Statewide Advocates for Victims Organization (SWAVO) quarterly training and collaboration meetings which are held around the state. This past year, there has been a focus on holding listening sessions with victims and victim service providers in Utah s communities, for the purpose of facilitating change and improvement to all victim services, including victim compensation.
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.**
UOVC uses VOCA administrative funds to support attendance in the training and collaboration events described in other sections and other related training. The UOVC has used some administrative funds to support rent, technology enhancements and other expenses essential to developing and maintaining improved compensation services.
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.**
In the past legislative session, eligibility criteria around reporting requirements for victims of sex crimes and domestic violence crimes were decreased. This has resulted in victims of rape and sexual assault being eligible for victim compensation benefits by merely reporting to victim advocates, rather than police. Victims of DV who are strangled become eligible for compensation by seeking emergency medical care for the strangulation and are not required to report to the police.
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.**

In Addition to the responses provided in questions 3, 6 and 7, UOVC has made consistent outreach efforts to vulnerable and underserved populations. We ve continually increased our relationships with agencies that work with plural families and are getting more applications from victims in bigamous marriages than we have gotten previously

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

We have a UOVC Facebook page and YouTube channel. We are also part of a Facebook Victim Advocate page for Utah. Our office does assist in outside agency trainings such as one hosted by the Utah Coalition Against Sexual Assault to help bring awareness of what UOVC does to help victims. We do trainings for our Victim Assistance Academy, various law enforcement, prosecutors offices, shelters, per request. Approximately 18-20 trainings per year.

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.**

UOVC reports to the Governor and Legislature the following: Victim Reparation Claim Timeliness Percent of victim reparations claims processed within 50 days or less. The target is 50% UOVC processed 65% of claims with in 50 days during the last FY.

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

Nothing at this point in time.