Sex Trafficking Investigations 2025 RFP Q & A

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Q1: Is it a requirement for a multi-jurisdictional sex trafficking investigation task force to be "multi-county" or can the task force be solely comprised of inter-county law enforcement agencies? Can our task force be made up of law enforcement agencies all within one single county along with our local prosecutor's and victims' advocates?

A1: No, any two or more law enforcement agencies can make up a Sex Trafficking Investigation Task Force.

Q2. Can we have a task force partner that is from a bordering state?

A2. Yes, out of state partners are allowed but grant funds cannot go to their agencies.

Q3: Does this grant only pay for overtime?

A3: Salaries of grant personnel are allowable.

Q4: Can I include equipment and technology in my application?

A4: Equipment and technology are only allowable.

Q5. Will grants be awarded geographically?

A5. As with all our grant programs, we take geography into consideration during the review process and make awards throughout the state.

Q6. I have an existing task force with a signed MOU. Do I have to get a new MOU for this new grant?

Q6. As long as the dates of the MOU cover the new grant period and nothing inside the MOU has changed, then you can upload the current MOU. If the dates do not currently cover a new grant period or if there are any other changes in the MOU then you need to submit a new one.

Q7. We would like to use grant funds to send an investigator to work on a task force housed in a different agency, should we write a grant to fund this position?

A7. One application should be submitted for each task force. Reviewing multiple applications to fund people in the same task force is confusing for reviewers.