

VAWA and Related Programs Appropriations for Fiscal Years 16, 17, and 18

CAMPAIGN FOR FUNDING TO END DOMESTIC AND SEXUAL VIOLENCE

All numbers are expressed in millions (except as otherwise noted). FY stands for Fiscal Year.

Updated: July 2017

	FY 16 Budget	FY 17 Budget	FY 18 President's Proposed Budget	FY 18 House CJS Bill	FY 18 Senate CJS Bill	Authorized/ Requested Level
COMMERCE, JUSTICE, SCIENCE APPROPRIATIONS						
VAWA PROGRAMS						
Name of Grant Program						
STOP - Grants to Combat Violence Against Women	\$215.00	\$215.00	\$215.00	\$215.00	\$215.00	\$222.00
Sexual Assault Services Program (SASP)	\$35.00	\$35.00	\$35.00	\$35.00	\$35.00	\$40.00
Services for Rural Victims	\$34.00	\$35.00	\$34.00	\$35.00	\$36.00	\$50.00
Civil Legal Assistance for Victims	\$45.00	\$45.00	\$45.00	\$45.00	\$45.00	\$57.00
Transitional Housing (OVW)	\$30.00	\$30.00	\$30.00	\$30.00	\$31.00	\$35.00
Improving Criminal Justice Response ¥ (ICJR)	\$51.00	\$53.00	\$51.00	\$53.00	\$53.00	\$73.00
Consolidated Youth-Oriented Program ‡	\$11.00	\$11.00	\$11.00	\$11.00	\$11.00	\$15.00
Grants to Support Families in the Justice System	\$16.00	\$16.00	\$16.00	\$16.00	\$16.00	\$22.00
Violence on College Campuses (Campus Grants)	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$26.00
Protections and Services for Disabled Victims	\$6.00	\$6.00	\$6.00	\$6.00	\$6.00	\$9.00
Elder Abuse Grant Program	\$5.00	\$5.00	\$5.00	\$5.00	\$5.00	\$9.00
National Institute of Justice (NIJ)	\$5.00	\$3.00	\$5.00	\$3.50	\$3.00	-
Research on Violence Against Indian Women	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00	\$1.00
National Resource Center on Workplace Responses	\$0.50	\$0.50	\$0.50	\$0.50	\$0.50	\$1.00
Nat'l Clearinghouse on Sexual Assault of American Indian and Alaska Native Women	\$0.50	\$0.50	\$0.50	\$0.50	\$0.50	\$0.50
Outreach to Underserved Populations	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$2.00
National Tribal Sex Offender Registry	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1.00
Tribal Jurisdiction	\$2.50	\$4.00	\$2.50	\$4.00	\$4.00	\$5.00
Rape Survivor Child Custody Act †	\$2.50	\$1.50	\$2.50	\$1.50	\$1.50	\$2.50
VAWA CJS Total ^	\$480.00	\$481.50	\$480.00	\$482.00	\$483.50	\$571.00
Rape Kit Backlog Community Response	\$45.00	\$45.00	\$45.00	\$45.00	\$45.00	\$45.00
VOCA FUND CAP ¶	\$3.04b	\$2.57b	\$3.00b	\$4.62b	\$3.64b	\$4.62b
Tribal Funding Stream	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$150.00	5%	5%	10%
Transfer to DOJ Programs	\$379.00	\$326.00	\$610.00	-	\$379.00	\$0.00
Victim Compensation/Other Statutory & Administrative Spending	\$403.00 (est.)	\$409.00 (est.)	\$548.00 (est.)	TBD	TBD	-
State Victim Assistance Grants	\$2.21b (est.)	\$1.84b (est.)	\$1.69b (est.)	TBD	TBD	-

VAWA and Related Programs Appropriations for Fiscal Years 15, 16, 17 and 18

Campaign for Funding to End Domestic and Sexual Violence

Name of Grant Program	FY 15 Budget	FY 16 Budget	FY 17 Budget	FY 18 President's Proposed Budget	FY 18 House LHHS Bill	Authorized/ Requested Level
LABOR, HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, AND EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS						
ADMINISTRATION FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES						
Name of Grant Program						
Family Violence Prevention and Services Act (FVPSA) ^o / Domestic Violence Shelters	\$135.00	\$150.00	\$151.00	\$151.00	\$151.00	\$175.00
National Domestic Violence Hotline ^{**}	\$4.50	\$8.25	\$8.25	\$8.25	\$8.75	\$8.25
CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL						
Rape Prevention and Education	\$38.80	\$44.43	\$44.43	\$44.43	\$44.43	\$50.00
DELTA - Preventive Health Enhancement and Leadership Through Alliances ^o	\$5.40	\$5.50	\$5.50	\$5.50	\$5.50	\$6.00
Preventive Health and Health Services Block Grant (PHHSBG) Sex Offense Set-Aside ^Δ	\$7.00	\$7.00	\$7.00	\$0.00	\$7.00	\$7.00
OFFICE ON WOMEN'S HEALTH						
Violence Against Women Health Initiative	\$3.10	\$3.10	\$3.10	\$3.10	\$0.00	\$10.00
L-HHS Total	\$193.80	\$218.28	\$219.28	\$212.28	\$216.68	\$256.25

PLEASE NOTE: This chart will continue to be updated throughout the FY 2018 Appropriations process. Updates can be found at www.nnedv.org/funding.

* Rescissions: Final bills often include rescissions. The final bills included the following rescissions from OVW from unobligated or deobligated funds: FY 13 and FY 14 \$12 million; FY 15 \$16 million; FY17 \$10 million; and President's FY 18 Proposed Budget \$15 million.

¥ Improving Criminal Justice Response to Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking Grant Program (ICJR) was formerly named the Grants to Encourage Arrest Program (GTEAP). In FYs12-18, \$4 million has been set aside in ICJR for a homicide reduction initiative.

‡ VAWA 2013 consolidated youth and prevention programs into two programs, which have been further consolidated via appropriations for the past several years. The individual programs are called "CHOOSE" and "SMART."

ℵ The Rape Survivors Child Custody Act boosts VAWA funding for states that allow for women to petition for the termination of parental rights based on clear & convincing evidence that a child was conceived through rape.

^ VOCA transfers to VAWA. In FY 16, Congress transferred \$379 million from VOCA to VAWA; in FY 17, Congress transferred \$326 million from VOCA to VAWA. The FY 18 President's budget proposal recommends transferring \$445 million from VOCA to VAWA. The FY 18 Senate CJS bill transfers \$379 million from VOCA to VAWA. The victim advocacy field objects to these transfers.

¶ VOCA: We request that annual release of VOCA funds are at least based on the three year average of deposits into the Crime Victims Fund. Tribal funding: We support establishing a VOCA Tribal funding stream at 10% of VOCA funds. The FY 18 CJS bills that passed the House and Senate included a 5% set-aside for Tribes. Transfers and Rescissions: We object to proposals and bills that transfer funds from Crime Victims Fund to other accounts (e.g. FY 17 final omnibus, FY 18 President's Proposal, FY 18 Senate CJS bill). Additionally we strongly object to the President's Proposal that permanently rescinds \$1.31 billion from the VOCA fund, as this violates the statute and threatens to destabilize the Crime Victims Fund. The FY 18 budget proposal also recommends significant increases in management and administration, in addition to research funds.

**Funding would maintain and increase capacity of the National Domestic Violence Hotline, fund a tribal domestic violence hotline and other hotline-related projects.

^oFVPSA, the National Domestic Violence Hotline, and DELTA are authorized through the Family Violence Prevention and Services Act (FVPSA). The additional \$1 million is to establish a new Alaska Native Tribal Resource Center on Domestic Violence, which would build capacity in tribes across the State to develop effective, local responses to domestic violence.

^Δ PHHSBG is authorized through the Public Health Services Act and includes a mandatory set-aside for providing services to rape victims and for rape prevention.