

BSCC BYRNE STATE CRISIS INTERVENTION PROGRAM

Program and Budget Plan

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The goal of the updated Board of State and Community Corrections (BSCC) Program and Budget plan for the Byrne State Crisis Intervention Program (Byrne SCIP) funding is to continue implementation of BSCC's multipronged approach to decreasing gun violence in California by making subawards to the Judicial Council of California and to units of local government.

As it did with prior Byrne SCIP awards, the BSCC will continue to implement this plan by way of two sets of subawards in amounts determined by the Byrne SCIP allocation formula established by the Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA).

Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2025 Byrne SCIP Funding

The proposed subawards for the Byrne SCIP FFY 2025 award are as follows:

Subawards to the Judicial Council of California (JCC): The BSCC will make a subaward totaling \$1,000,000 to the JCC. These subawards will support two initiatives:

- Continue training and technical assistance efforts put in place with prior SCIP projects to enhance SCIP-funded collaborative courts.
- Support Superior Courts that serve California's smaller "Less-than-\$10,000 jurisdictions" to attend education and training events.

This phase of the SCIP plan will not include additional subawards to California courts, as JCC believes there is insufficient capacity to expand the projects further.

Subawards to Units of Local Government: The BSCC plans to make subawards totaling \$13,161,260 in FFY 2025 funds to units of local government via a competitive Request for Proposals (RFP). Eligible applicants will be California counties and cities. The RFP will seek to fund programs that support activities listed in the FFY 2025 Byrne SCIP solicitation, including:

- Referrals to Treatment for People in Crisis
- Law Enforcement Crisis Intervention
- Court-Based Programming
- Extreme Risk Protection Order Programs

Recognizing that different-sized jurisdictions have different capacities, resources, and needs, the RFP will offer grants in two categories within which applicants can compete. Maximum funding thresholds will be established for each category, as follows:

- Small scope projects will be allocated approximately \$3,948,378 and proposals in this category may apply for up to \$500,000.
- Large scope projects will be allocated approximately \$9,212,882 and proposals in this category may apply for up to \$1,000,000.

The RFP will be submitted to the BSCC Board for approval prior to being released. The proposals received will be rated by a Scoring Panel convened for this RFP. Once proposals are rated, the resulting funding recommendations will be submitted to the BSCC Board for approval.

Administrative Costs: The Program and Budget plan will allocate \$511,035 to the BSCC for administrative costs.