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**SCIP: FRO COMPLIANCE AND ENFORCEMENT
NOFO # 3342-0425**

RESPONSE TO APPLICANT QUESTIONS

Day posted: May 16, 2025

No questions asked this week.

Day posted: May 9, 2025

Question

I am interested in learning more about the Byrne State Crisis Intervention Program (SCIP) grant opportunity.

Response

Thank you for your interest in the Byrne State Crisis Intervention Program FRO Compliance and Enforcement Notice of Funding Opportunity. Unfortunately, ICJIA staff cannot openly discuss the NOFO with potential applicants as it is an active competitive funding opportunity. Please refer to the [NOFO website linked here](#) for information on the opportunity. If you have any specific questions, please submit them to the NOFO email (CJA.SCIP@Illinois.gov) and they will be posted publicly with the weekly Q&A.

Day posted: May 2, 2025

No questions asked this week.

Day posted: April 25, 2025

No questions asked this week.

Day posted: April 18, 2025

Question

Can this funding be used to remove and safely store firearms recovered or relinquished through order of protection enforcement?

Response

Yes, applicants may propose to use funds to increase compliance and enforcement of Orders of Protection (also known as restraining orders) requiring the safe and timely removal of firearms. Applicants must demonstrate that grant funds budgeted and spent are necessary for the proper and efficient performance of a crisis intervention program, being reasonably connected or logically related to the program purpose. A crisis intervention program is one that is focused on identifying risk and intervening before harm occurs, rather than in response to a crime already committed. Funds may not be

used for general violence prevention, investigation or general law enforcement activity that is unconnected to crisis intervention.

Question

Specifically, just to confirm, is approximately \$3,573,395 available to support awards ranging from \$50,000 to \$500,000?

Response

The correct information is as follows:

A total of \$3,573,395 in funding is available through this solicitation. Applicants may request a minimum of \$50,000 and a maximum of \$500,000 in grant funding.

Last day for question submission is 5:00 p.m. CST, June 17, 2025.