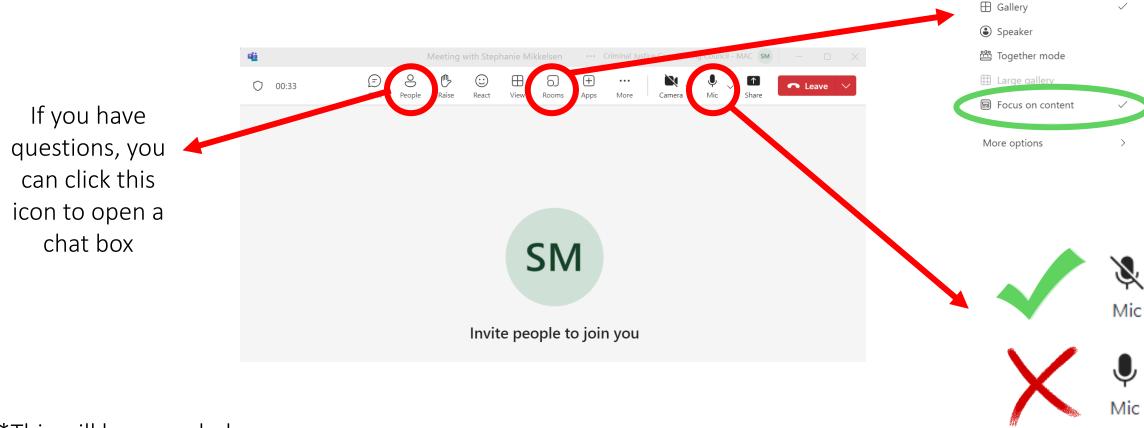


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# Children in Need of Services Grant Program

Criminal Justice Coordinating Council



# CJCC | Agenda



- Welcome/Introduction
- Program Requirements
- Submission & New Grants Management System
- Post Award Requirements
- Chatbox/Formstack Questions



The Children in Need of Services (CHINS) Grant Program provides funding for the implementation of programming for prevention from the juvenile justice system and intervention services for youth as alternatives to detention. Funding will be used to promote programming related to CHINS.



# FY26 Application

#### General

- Applications are due July 30th
- Award notifications will be made via email after the Criminal Justice Coordinating Council Full Council meeting – September 24th
- Grant Award Period is October 1, 2025 September 30, 2026

#### **Funding Amount**

- Rural applicants can apply for up to \$50,000
- Non-rural applicants can apply for up to \$100,000

#### Submission

 The entire application (narrative, budget, attachments) will be submitted via the new grants management system, https://grantsportal.cjcc.ga.gov/



#### **General RFP Narrative**

- Data-driven
- Clear target population and number of projected youth served
- Goals and previous accomplishments

## **Key Subjects**

- Type of CHINS
- Collaboration
- Target population
- CHINS Coordinator
- CHINS Protocol
- Student and School Climate Committee





# Submission / New Grants Management System

## How to find the Request for Proposal (RFP)

 The RFP can be found on the Funding Opportunity page at the Criminal Justice Coordinating Council website, https://cjcc.georgia.gov/grants/funding-opportunities/current-grant-opportunities

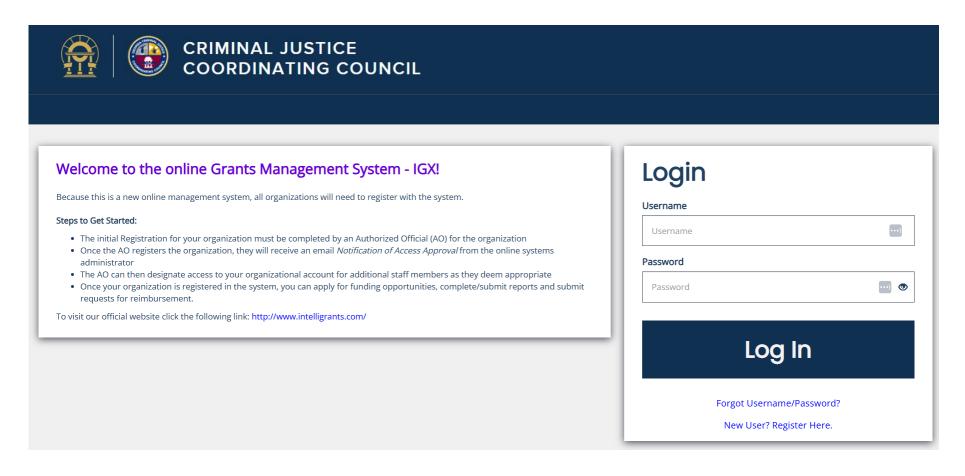
## **Current Grant Opportunities**

FY 2026 Juvenile Justice Incentive Grant Program RFP	
REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS	FY26 Juvenile Justice Incentive Grant Program RFP
LINK FOR ONLINE SUBMISSIONS	https://grantsportal.cjcc.ga.gov/
OVERVIEW	The purpose of this grant opportunity is to provide funding for local programs designed to serve youth in the community who would otherwise be committed to DJJ. Recipients of this grant opportunity will be employing evidenced-based programming appropriate to the needs of youth in the community.
ELIGIBLE PARTICIPANTS	Applicants are limited to local county commissions/boards of commissioners to apply on behalf of juvenile courts within Georgia. High priority will be given to the eighteen (18) counties who commit the highest numbers of juveniles to the Department of Juvenile Justice.
HOW TO APPLY	Interested applicants should review the FY26 Juvenile Justice Incentive Grant Request for Applications in its entirety, and submit the completed application, including the requested information and all required attachments.
	This application will be submitted through the new grants management system, IGX. Please see the accompanying step-by-step guides for more details and instructions on the



#### How to Submit

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## **Important Links**

- How to Submit the Application: <a href="https://grantsportal.cjcc.ga.gov/">https://grantsportal.cjcc.ga.gov/</a>
  - Must register as the Implementing Agency and add the Authorized Official.
- How to Register to the Online Grants Management System:
   https://scribehow.com/shared/How to Register to the GA CJCC Grant Management
   System -JSPd571SJu9Sk1yP5mOzQ
- How to Complete Your Organization Profile: <a href="https://scribehow.com/shared/How to Complete Your Organizations Profile hPamJw6WQ9qgNGAaapasng">https://scribehow.com/shared/How to Complete Your Organizations Profile hPamJw6WQ9qgNGAaapasng</a>
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# Post Award Requirements

#### **Award Document Submission**

- Complete and submit within 45 days of receipt. Reimbursements cannot be issued until a complete packet is received.
- Award Packet
  - Award letter
  - Special conditions
  - Reimbursement selection form and voided check
  - Delegation of signing authority from the authorized official (if applicable)
  - Personnel action forms / Copy of MOUs
  - Federal documents
- Risk Assessments
  - Must be completed as part of the award packet.
  - Every two years must be resubmitted.



#### **Program Reporting**

- All program reporting is submitted outside of the grants management system.
- Data is electronically submitted on a monthly basis.



#### Financial Reporting

All SERs and SARs must be submitted via the new grants management system.

- Quarterly or Monthly
- For any financial related questions, please email Laura Oropeza directly at: <u>Laura.Oropeza@cjcc.ga.gov</u>.

#### Reminders

- SARs Please submit SARs for adjustments prior to submitting an SER.
   This must be submitted via IGX Grant Management System.
- Contracts Services will not be reimbursable without a signed contract.
- Budgets These can be adjusted via an SAR post award. However, this budget should not veer significantly from the narrative or the original budget.



#### **Fiscal Site Visits**

Virtual or In-person

- Procurement Policies: The procurement policy used for procurement of services for CHINS must be highlighted in site visit documentation.
- Procurement Documents: All documents used for the procurement process must be provided, unless the procurement policy allows for an exemption.
   If an exemption is allowed, please highlight the exemption.
- Background Checks





# Chatbox/Formstack Questions

## CJCC | Contact Information



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