



Center for  
Prevention Programs  
and Partnerships

# TVTP Grant Program Application Fact Sheet

This fact sheet provides information on the Targeted Violence and Terrorism Prevention (TVTP) Grant application process and requirements. This includes information on the application tracks and program types, required application materials, and key dates.

**PLEASE NOTE:** The final application and all grant program reporting and monitoring materials must be submitted in English.

## Program Priorities

The Department of Homeland Security's Center for Prevention Programs and Partnerships (CP3) helps to prevent targeted violence and terrorism through funding, training, increased public awareness, and the development of partnerships across every level of the government, the private sector, and in local communities across our country. Leveraging an approach informed by public health research, CP3 brings together mental health providers, educators, faith leaders, public health officials, social services, nonprofits, and others in communities across the country to help people who may be escalating to violence. The TVTP Grant Program provides financial assistance to eligible applicants to develop sustainable, multidisciplinary targeted violence and terrorism prevention capabilities in local communities, to pilot innovative prevention approaches, and to identify prevention best practices that can be replicated in communities across the country.

After assessing gaps in the applications and awards in previous cycles, CP3 has established the following priorities for award selection:

- Implementing Prevention Capabilities in Small and Mid-Sized Communities
- Advancing Equity in Awards and Engaging Underserved Communities in Prevention<sup>1</sup>
- Addressing Online Aspects of Targeted Violence and Terrorism
- Preventing Domestic Violent Extremism
- Enhancing Local Threat Assessment and Management Capabilities

The TVTP Grant Program provides funding to applications that align with these priorities and objectives and that protect privacy, civil rights, and civil liberties. Applicants are required to conduct a rigorous needs assessment to outline what resources are already available in their area and what gaps need to be filled. All projects have required performance measures.

<sup>1</sup> An underserved community refers to populations sharing a particular characteristic, as well as geographic communities, that have been systematically denied a full opportunity to participate in aspects of economic, social, and civic life. See Page 40 of the Guidance Document for additional information.



## Eligible Organizations

State, local, tribal, territorial governments; nonprofits with 501(c)(3) IRS status as defined by [2 C.F.R. § 200.1](#); and institutions of higher education are eligible to apply for funds to establish prevention capabilities or fill gaps in their prevention capabilities. Applicants must be U.S.-based and implementing a U.S.-based program.



## Period of Performance

The TVTP Grant Program has a period of performance of 24 months, with limited availability for no-cost extensions.

**Projected Period of Performance Start Date(s): Oct. 1, 2023**

**Projected Period of Performance End Date(s): Sept. 30, 2025**



## Other Eligibility Criteria

In addition to being an eligible organization, the proposed project must meet the following program eligibility criteria to apply:

- **Privacy, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties:** Proposed projects shall protect individual privacy, civil rights, and civil liberties. Applications shall describe any potential impacts to privacy, civil rights, and civil liberties and ways in which applicants will prevent or mitigate those impacts and administer their projects in a nondiscriminatory manner. Applications that describe programs, projects, or activities that do not appropriately protect privacy, civil rights, or civil liberties will be deemed ineligible for funding.
- **Completeness:** All applicants must include all required elements as well as the specific requirements of the project type(s) which they are proposing, which include performance measures. Failure to provide a complete application or significant deviation from the requirements can cause an application to be ineligible and not reviewed or scored. Prospective applicants can refer to the [FY23 TVTP Application Guidance](#) now and the FY23 TVTP Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) upon its release for a detailed breakdown of the required steps and materials for submission and required performance measures for each project type and track.
- **Research:** Projects that consist only of research are not eligible under this program. Research is an allowable expense; however, applicants must propose to implement one or more prevention capabilities during the period of performance and must demonstrate how any proposed research will support that implementation. For any research involving human subjects, please review Section 13 of the NOFO, sub-section “Protection of Human Subjects in Research.”



## Application Tracks and Funding

Under this opportunity there is a total of \$20 million available for awards. Applicants can apply for one or more project types in the Promising Practices Track or submit a proposal in the Innovation Track. The following funding ranges are intended as benchmarks. If the project exceeds the funding target by more than 25 percent, the applicant should provide a detailed justification supporting the higher costs. Note: Target amounts stack. For example, an applicant proposing a Promising Practices application with two types – “Civic Engagement” and “Youth Resilience,” for example, would have the target award amount of \$150,000.

If applying to the Promising Practices Track, applicants should separate costs by project type in case partial funding is available. Please ensure that your application adheres to the requirements and other guidance provided in each track and project type.

Project Types and Tracks	Target Funding Amount/Range
Raising Societal Awareness	\$175,000
Understanding Violent Content	\$115,000
Civic Engagement	\$60,000
Youth Resilience	\$90,000
Threat Assessment and Management Teams	\$350,000
Bystander Training	\$115,000
Referral Services	\$175,000
Recidivism Reduction and Reintegration	\$230,000
Innovation Track	\$300,000 – \$815,000

## Objectives

1. The local community has awareness of the signs that someone may be escalating towards violence and of the threats of targeted violence and terrorism.
2. The local community has awareness of both the risk factors for – and the protective factors against – escalation to violence. Risk factors are negative influences in people’s lives that increase the likelihood of violence. Protective factors are positive influences in people’s lives that decrease the likelihood of violence.
3. Members of the local community engage the broadest and most diverse set of local stakeholders, sharing resources and best practices and building trusted partnerships to prevent targeted violence and terrorism.
4. Members of the local community can act on bystander trainings that seek to increase community members’ understanding of their role in helping individuals before they escalate to violence by contacting threat assessment and management teams or seeking other community resources.
5. Members of the local community have access to multidisciplinary threat assessment and management teams comprised of individuals such as psychologists, educators, faith leaders, and medical personnel who can provide support to an individual before an act of violence takes place.
6. The local community has programs that address risk factors for, and strengthen protective factors against, escalation to violence, including recidivism reduction programming.

# Additional TVTP Grants Resources



[TVTP Grants Page](#)



[How to Register with the System for Award Management \(SAM\)](#)



[Steps to Apply for TVTP Grants](#)



[Implementation and Measurement Plan: Quick-Guide](#)



[How to Get an EIN](#)



[Additional Grant Resources](#)



[How to Register with ND Grants](#)