Peer-to-Peer Strategies

This brief outlines top training and technical assistance (TTA) trends and grantee needs for the first quarter of 2022 and provides direct links to support and peer-to-peer strategies for each need.

Top TTA Trends

**Grant Administration | Program Management | Partnerships and Collaboration
Training and Outreach | Legal Services**

TTA Resources/Strategies

Grant Administration
JustGrants Guidance, Financial Management Assistance/ Resources, Grant Administration, Report Submissions

- **Resource Links**
- **Strategies:**
  - Connect with HTC for peer-to-peer support
  - Schedule time to go through Grant Admin resources
  - Start 3-4 weeks before reporting deadlines to review reporting requirements and how to work in reporting systems

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Program Management
Hiring Staff, Case Management Resources, Internal Programming Assistance

- **Resource Links**
- **Strategies:**
  - Join HTC's office hours on Staffing Opportunities
  - Rethink staff roles and matrix staff possibilities
  - Connect with TTA Navigators for peer-to-peer connections
  - Ask for HTC TTA specialized support for new and existing staff trainings

Partnerships and Collaboration
Building Collaborations, Engaging and Connecting With Community Partners

- **Resource Links**
- **Strategies:**
  - Assess community needs and gaps in partnerships regarding victim service delivery
  - Develop or refine policies and procedures, MOUs, roles and responsibilities, etc.
  - Meet regularly with partner leaders and staff; create opportunities to cross-train, navigate challenges, and discuss updates
  - Ensure partners have effective screening and referral protocols; understand current capacity
  - Connect with HTC for peer-to-peer support

Training and Outreach
Training Development, Training Resources

- **Resource Links**
- **Strategies:**
  - Connect with Training and Resource peer-to-peer grantees
  - Contact HTC to review trainings or assist with development and marketing of effective practices
  - Re-think Data and Community needs/gaps
  - Align with Program/Award goals

Legal Services
Expanding Legal Services and Immigration Resources

- **Resource Links**
- **Strategies:**
  - Connect with CAST
  - Connect with HTC for peer-to-peer with Legal grantees
  - Find local HSI support

Contact OVC HTC for Assistance

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Grant Administration Resources

- JustGrants
  - JustGrants User Support
  - Email: JustGrants.Support@usdoj.gov
  - JustGrants FAQs | JustGrants Trainings
  - **Webinar:** "Grantee Meeting: JustGrants FAQ Plenary" (April 2022): Webinar Video, PowerPoint (PDF)
- Financial Management Center (Grant Financial Management FAQs)
  - Financial Guide Sheets (Applicable to all not just Tribal)
- DOJ Grants Financial Guide
- Federal Awards and Processes
  - **Website:** OVC Open Solicitations

- Office of the Chief Financial Officer (OCFO)
  - Budget and Appropriations Process
  - Funding Resource Center
  - OCFO Email: ask.ocfo@usdoj.gov
  - OCFO Customer Service Center: 1-800-458-0786
- **Website:** "Grantee Meeting: Office of the Chief Financial Officer Plenary" (April 2022): Webinar Video, PowerPoint (PDF)

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Program Management Resources

- Performance Measures | Email: ovcpmt@usdoj.gov
- **Website:** Transitional Housing Toolkit
- **Website:** Victim Assistance Training (VAT) *Online*
- Trauma-Informed Case Management Webinar Series
- **Webinar:** "Grantee Meeting: Programmatic Transformation" (April 2022), Webinar Video, PowerPoint (PDF)
- **Website:** Project TRUST E-Learning Curriculum Launched

- **Webinar:** "Grantee Meeting: Labor Trafficking Identification and Service: Where Do I Begin?"(April 2022), Webinar Video, PowerPoint (PDF)
- **Webinar:** "Grantee Meeting: Performance Measures Q&A Plenary"(April 2022), Webinar Video, PowerPoint (PDF)
- **Webinar:** "Grantee Meeting: Effective Screening and Trafficking Victim Identification"(April 2022), Webinar Video, PowerPoint (PDF)

Partnerships and Collaboration Resources

- Futures Without Violence – Building Collaborative Responses to Human Trafficking
- **Website:** Achieving Excellence: Model Standards for Serving Victims and Survivors of Crime
- Freedom Network: Collaboration Toolkit for Anti-Trafficking & Housing Programs

- Human Trafficking Programs Funded by OVC and the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)
  - **Website:** Map of OVC/BJA-Funded Human Trafficking Services and Task Forces
  - **Website:** Trafficking Victim Assistance Program
- Transformational Collaboration: Considerations to Apply A Racial Lens

Training and Outreach Resources

- Human Trafficking Learning Series
- Audience Considerations
- The Ultimate Guide: Data Visualization vs. Data Storytelling
- Outreach Toolkit

- Ethical Storytelling and Images
- Training Facilitation and Learning Styles
- Branding Considerations

Legal Services Resources

- **Website:** Continued Presence: Temporary Immigration Status for Victims of Human Trafficking
- **Website:** ICE announces updated policy to support noncitizen victims of crime (August 2021)
- **Website:** U.S. Department of Labor T-Visa and U-Visa Certifications
- **Website:** VAT *Online*—Immigrant Populations

- U.S. Department of Justice Immigration Court Practice Manual (2020) (PDF)
- **Webinar**: "Eligibility and Certification Letters for Foreign National Trafficking Survivors" (March 2022) Video, PowerPoint (PDF)
- **Website:** CAST Training and Technical Assistance: Technical Assistance Calls and Request