2021 VOCA Match Waiver Guidance



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Agenda

VOCA Fix Legislation

OVC Guidance

KGGP Policy Update

Match Waiver Acceptance

Match Waiver Declination

VOCA Fix Legislation

• "The VOCA Fix" (34 U.S.C. 20103)

Effective July 22, 2021

Match shall be waived

OVC Guidance

- Office for Victims of Crime Guidance
 - Released September 20, 2021

- "Unmet" match shall be waived
 - Determined at time of waiver

KGGP Policy Update

- August 23, 2021: All 2021 VOCA Subgrantees instructed to report no further match on August and September FSRs
- Update Effective September 27, 2021
 - Posted on KGGP website
- October 1, 2021: All 2021 VOCA Subgrantees with "unmet" match provided detailed instructions to implement the automatic match waiver

Match Waiver Acceptance

Steps to Take:

- By October 15, 2021, submit revised budget
- Match allocated to line items per July FSR and amount waived
- No budget changes to federal funds fields
- Budget Summary totals remain unchanged

Considerations:

- Year-end FSR, SAR Part 1, and PMT SAR Part 2 must reconcile
- Final quarter data includes match-related services/statistics for July only

Match Waiver Declination

- Steps to Take:
 - By October 11, 2021, notify KGGP of decision
 - Revise August FSR to report match
 - Prepare September FSR to report match
- Considerations:
 - Subgrantee must meet the 20 percent match requirement to receive full reimbursement *
 - *or current approved match percentage if prior waiver in place
 - All match subject to audit (as if waiver not offered)



Questions & Answers

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For questions regarding the VOCA match waiver process for 2021 Subgrant awards, contact your VOCA Analyst.