**Agency Name:** Collin County

Grant/App: 4731103 Start Date: 10/1/2025 End Date: 9/30/2026

Project Title: Texas Veteran Rehabilitation Substance Abuse Treatment Program

Status: Application Pending Submission

#### **Narrative Information**

#### Introduction

The purpose of this funding is to support development and implementation of residential substance abuse treatment programs within correctional and detention facilities in which prisoners are incarcerated for a period of time sufficient to permit substance abuse treatment and after-care programs for those prisoners.

# **Program-Specific Questions**

#### **Drug Testing**

Projects must perform urinalysis or conduct other proven reliable methods of drug and alcohol testing for program participants and former participants while they remain in the custody of the state or local government.

Describe the testing policy, including the method used for testing and the frequency of testing for participants: The following describe the policy that will be put in place including the method used for testing and the frequency of testing the Veteran while incarcerated but not limited to: Although, a drug testing policy is not in place. This question brings to light the prevention of possible substance abuse in the facility and aligns with the goals of the program. Going forward we will ensure the staff receives adequate training on drug testing policies; develop a randomized drug testing plan; policies and procedures for positive UA's as well as develop alternative treatment plan adjustments. Monthly Testing: All participants will go through monthly testing.

#### Certifications

In addition to the requirements found in existing statute, regulation, and the funding announcement, this program requires applicant organizations to certify compliance with the following:

## **Constitutional Compliance**

Applicant assures that it will not engage in any activity that violates Constitutional law including profiling based upon race.

# **Twelve-Step Programs**

Grant funds may not be used to support or directly fund programs such as the Twelve Step Program which courts have ruled are inherently religious. OOG grant funds cannot be used to support these programs, conduct meetings, or purchase related materials.

## **Cybersecurity Training Requirement**

Local units of governments must comply with the Cybersecurity Training requirements described in Section 772.012 and Section 2054.5191 of the Texas Government Code. Local governments determined to not be in compliance with the cybersecurity requirements required by Section 2054.5191 of the Texas Government Code are ineligible for OOG grant funds until the second anniversary of the date the local government is determined ineligible. Government entities must annually certify their compliance with the training requirements using the Cybersecurity Training Certification for State and Local Government. A copy of the Training Certification must be uploaded to your eGrants application. For more information or to access available training programs, visit the Texas Department of Information Resources Statewide Cybersecurity Awareness Training page.

#### **Criminal History Reporting**

Entities receiving funds from PSO must be located in a county that has an average of 90% or above on both adult and juvenile dispositions entered into the computerized criminal history database maintained by the Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS) as directed in the *Texas Code of Criminal Procedure, Chapter 66*. The disposition completeness percentage is defined as the percentage of arrest charges a county reports to DPS for which a disposition has been subsequently reported and entered into the computerized criminal history system.

Counties applying for grant awards from the Office of the Governor must commit that the county will report at least 90% of convictions within five business days to the Criminal Justice Information System at the Department of Public Safety.

## **Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR)**

Eligible applicants operating a law enforcement agency must be current on reporting complete UCR data and the Texas specific reporting mandated by 411.042 TGC, to the Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS) for inclusion in the annual Crime in Texas (CIT) publication. To be considered eligible for funding, applicants must have submitted a full twelve months of accurate data to DPS for the most recent calendar year by the deadline(s) established by DPS. Due to the importance of timely reporting, applicants are required to submit complete and accurate UCR data, as well as the Texas-mandated reporting, on a no less than monthly basis and respond promptly to requests from DPS related to the data submitted.

# Entities That Collect Sexual Assault/Sex Offense Evidence or Investigate/Prosecute Sexual Assault or Other Sex Offenses

In accordance with Texas Government Code, Section 420.034, any facility or entity that collects evidence for sexual assault or other sex offenses or investigates or prosecutes a sexual assault or other sex offense for which evidence has been collected, must participate in the statewide electronic tracking system developed and implemented by the Texas Department of Public Safety. Visit <a href="DPS's Sexual Assault Evidence Tracking Program">DPS's Sexual Assault Evidence Tracking Program</a> website for more information or to set up an account to begin participating. Additionally, per Section 420.042 "A law enforcement agency that receives evidence of a sexual assault or other sex offense...shall submit that evidence to a public accredited crime laboratory for analysis no later than the 30th day after the date on which that evidence was received." A law enforcement agency in possession of a significant number of Sexual Assault Evidence Kits (SAEK) where the 30-day window has passed may be considered noncompliant.

# Compliance with State and Federal Laws, Programs and Procedures

Local units of government, including cities, counties and other general purpose political subdivisions, as appropriate, and institutions of higher education that operate a law enforcement agency, must comply with all aspects of the programs and procedures utilized by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security ("DHS") to: (1) notify DHS of all information requested by DHS related to illegal aliens in Agency's custody; and (2) detain such illegal aliens in accordance with requests by DHS. Additionally, counties and municipalities may NOT have in effect, purport to have in effect, or make themselves subject to or bound by, any law, rule, policy, or practice (written or unwritten) that would: (1) require or authorize the public disclosure of federal law enforcement information in order to conceal, harbor, or shield from detection fugitives from justice or aliens illegally in the United States; or (2) impede federal officers from exercising authority under 8 U.S.C. § 1226(a), § 1231(a), § 1357(a), § 1366(1), or § 1366(3). Lastly, eligible applicants must comply with all provisions, policies, and penalties found in Chapter 752, Subchapter C of the Texas Government Code.

Each local unit of government, and institution of higher education that operates a law enforcement agency, must download, complete and then upload into eGrants the <u>CEO/Law Enforcement Certifications and Assurances Form</u> certifying compliance with federal and state immigration enforcement requirements. This Form is required for each application submitted to PSO and is active until August 31, 2026 or the end of the grant period, whichever is later.

# **Equal Employment Opportunity Plan (EEO Plan)**

If awarded, applicant agrees to comply with the Equal Employment Opportunity Program (EEOP) requirements per 28 C.F.R. § 42 Subpart E. Agencies may use the EEO Utilization Report Builder to assist with preparing Verification Forms and, if required, Utilization Reports.

## Civil Rights Liaison

A civil rights liaison who will serve as the grantee's civil rights point of contact and who will be responsible for ensuring that the grantee meets all applicable civil rights requirements must be designated. The designee will act as the grantee's liaison in civil rights matters with PSO and with the federal Office of Justice Programs. Enter the Name of the Civil Rights Liaison:

Cynthia Jacobson

Enter the Address for the Civil Rights Liaison:

2300 Bloomdale Rd, Mckinney, TX 75071

Enter the Phone Number for the Civil Rights Liaison [(999) 999-9999 x9999]:

(972)-548-4606

#### **Overall Certification**

Each applicant agency must certify to the specific requirements detailed above as well as to comply with all requirements within the PSO Funding Announcement, the *Guide to Grants*, the *Grantee Conditions and Responsibilities*, any authorizing or applicable state and federal statutes and regulations to be eligible for this program.

X I certify to all of the application content & requirements.

#### **Project Abstract:**

Collin County is the sixth largest county in Texas by population (of one million plus) and lies just northeast of the Dallas –Fort Worth Metroplex. Decades of research have shown that veterans can have difficulty readjusting to civilian life. Studies have shown that Veterans have a higher than average prevalence of mental health and substance abuse issues, frequently resulting in illegal, violent, and risky behavior which leads to increased contact with the criminal justice system and incarceration. Unfortunately, many jails and prisons cannot offer the incarcerated adequate mental health and substance abuse treatment. Veterans need to be provided with educational and therapeutic services while inpatient as alternatives to incarceration in the criminal justice system. The Texas Veteran Rehabilitation Substance Abuse Treatment Program will be the expansion of the known program VALOR that operate as an intermediate sanctions facility (ISF) for Texas justice-involved veterans who are facing Felony or Misdemeanor probation revocations or incarceration across the state of Texas. The program is a collaborative effort between the Veteran Treatment Court, Collin County Community Supervision and Corrections Department (CSCD), and the Sheriff's Office to provide veteranstructured treatment programs with the goal to to successfully reintegrate the veterans into civilian society. Upon meeting minimum criteria, the program is open to all Texas Veterans and does not have to be sanctioned through a Veteran Treatment Court. In the Texas Veteran Rehabilitation Substance Abuse Treatment Program,

veterans will be housed together, mimicking the unit structure familiar to veterans. Veterans will be surrounded by others who are suffering from similar mental illnesses, substance abuse issues, and unhealthy coping mechanisms and who understand the sacrifice of military service. Putting them together allows them to begin to heal through unit bonding, allowing them to be open and vulnerable and to assist one another. Veteranspecific programming will be offered by qualified treatment providers who have experience working with veterans or are veterans themselves, providing an integrative and holistic approach for re-entry based on treatment plans developed to comprehensively address their individual needs. Utilizing grant funding, Veterans will be provided group and individual sessions, develop new coping skills, learn to establish safety and control in their lives, and create re-entry plans. Daily programming routine will include alcohol/drug treatment, PTSD/trauma counseling, peer mentoring, anger management, emotional regulation, among other treatment modalities, as well life skills training and enrichment activities, such as art/music therapy, mindful mediation, and access to the veterans' book library. The extensive treatment regimen will be supervised by a licensed Clinician. The program will provide a secure setting, foundation for ongoing treatment and a restoration of honor and dignity following their release from inpatient treatment. The program strives to assist the veterans rediscover purpose, direction and rebuild their lives.

#### **Problem Statement:**

In 2018, with seed grant funding provided by the Texas Veterans Commission, VALOR was established. Now that we can assure viability as an intermediate sanction facility, we will continue to increase Veteran access, expand our programming and leave no Veteran behind. We strive to be an inclusive Veteran rehabilitation facility and provide treatment to ALL Texas Veterans. We are on the cusp of being named a Center of Innovation by the United States Department of Justice. Currently, our Intermediate Sanction Facility is denying 67% (slight increase) of Justice-Involved Veterans and 100% of female Veterans. With administrative changes, the current denial rate is anticipated to drop by half, creating a participant waiting list. With grant funding for additional staff and direct client service; we will not only serve more Texas Veterans, but allow us to develop Texas very first female Veteran Rehabilitation unit. We are paving the way for Texas leadership in working with justice-involved Veterans. One of the many group of individuals in our jails and prisons are military veterans who have served from Iraq to Vietnam or other military posts around the world. More than 22 million men and women living in the US have served in the US military and according to the US Census Bureau 2022, 1,401,173 reside in Texas and 177,501 veterans reside in Collin County service area. Those numbers are expected to rise based on anecdotal evidence. Texas is considered the second state next to California that veterans move to and prefer to live in. Community need in regard to Veteran services: Many of these veterans were deployed to engage in combat operations, spending long periods being hyper-vigilant in high stress situations. Combat zone duty can result in injuries both to the body and psyche including Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD), Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI), orthopedic injury and/or amputations, which are all conditions that can derail emotional control and lead to interpersonal conflicts and/or other erratic behaviors resulting in job loss, divorce, and strained relationships. Unfortunately, decades of research had shown that veterans can have a difficult time of readjusting to civilian life and have been shown to have higher than normal prevalence of mental health and substance abuse issues, which frequently result in illegal, violent, and/or risky behaviors resulting in increased contact with the criminal justice system and incarceration. A Department of Justice Bureau of Justice Statistics study released showed that a higher percentage of detained veterans (60%) than nonveterans (44%) has been diagnosed with some form of mental disorder. Veterans need to be provided with educational and therapeutic services as alternatives to spiraling deeper into the criminal justice system. Unfortunately, many jails and prisons are unable to offer adequate mental health treatment to the incarcerated.

## **Supporting Data:**

America's Veterans are in trouble...Each year roughly 200,000 service members transition out of the military, and while most reenter civilian life successfully, others struggle with drugs and alcohol addiction, PTSD, TBI, and homelessness (Time, Nov. 2022). For many, this post-service journey leads to a grim destination: the criminal justice system. One in three of the nation's 19 million veterans report having been arrested and jailed at least once, and more than 181,000 are behind bars. (Bureau of Justice Statistics, 2022). Currently, Texas has the second largest population of Veterans, with 10% of the total prison population being veterans, many of whom are repeat offenders. Colin County alone has more than 41,666 veteran residents according to the US Census Bureau 2022 Quick Facts. While the number of veterans has increased in Collin County since 2010, the number of veterans jailed has increased as well by 385% over the same time period. The number of veterans housed in the Collin County jail show an alarming increase of Veterans jailed from 2018-2022. Unduplicated: FY 2018: 437, FY2019: 442, FY2020: 553, FY2021: 671, FY2022: 690 and FY2023: 750 Veterans. Recognizing the increase in veterans facing felony charges in his District Court, Judge John Roach, Jr. implemented a

Veterans Treatment Court in 2013, which has since grown to encompass over 5 counties with a waiting list of over 30 Veterans. Through interactions and networking to assist community-based justice-involved veterans, it has become apparent that there is also a need to provide veteran-specific mental health and substance abuse services for detained veterans in an effort to help rehabilitate in order to reintegrate them back into civilian society which led to the development of VALOR and the need of funds to assist the Veterans on the waiting list. Facts on US veterans: • 68% alcohol and drug addiction. • 45% difficulty adjusting to civilian life. • 66.9% was cited by court that they had history of mental health problems. • Economic Disadvantages • 61% reported difficulty paying their bills following discharge. • 42% have trouble obtaining medical care. • 98% incarcerated veterans in the US are male. • 70% of incarcerated veterans are convicted of violent crimes. • About 2 million times each year, people with serious mental illness are booked into jails (NAMI, 2022). • The majority of male veterans in state (56%) and federal (53%) prison served in the Army. • About 1 in 4 male veterans in state (28%) and 1 in 5 in federal (21%) prison were combat veterans. • An estimated 74% of male veterans in state prison and 77% of those in federal received an honorable discharge or a general discharge under honorable conditions. • 15.3% of U.S. Veterans experienced a mental illness in 2019 (31.3 million people) (NAMI, 2020). • 8.4% of Active Component service members in the U.S. military experienced a mental health or substance use condition in 2019. • 30% of military personnel deployed to Iraq or Afghanistan have mental health conditions (U.S. Dept. of Veteran Affairs, 2022). • Over 20% of veterans return home with Traumatic Brain Injury and PTSD (U.S. Dept. of Veteran Affairs, 2020). • A little over 77% of service members in active duty hospitalized for Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder have comorbidities (U.S. Dept. of Veteran Affairs, 2022). • 897,000 (39%) of Iraq/Afghanistan veterans likely suffer from alcohol abuse (U.S. Dept. of Veteran Affairs, 2022). • Over 40% of all veterans struggle with their mental health or substance abuse (U.S. Dept. of Veteran Affairs, 2022).

## **Project Approach & Activities:**

The overall goal of the Texas Veteran Rehabilitation Substance Abuse Treatment Program will be the following but not limited to: 1) To equip veteran offenders with tools and decision-making strategies; 2) To facilitate positive changes through counseling, group activities, and skills-building exercises; 3) To model pro-social behaviors fitting of a US Veteran throughout the program; 4) To motivate the veteran to exhibit positive behaviors by assisting in re-establishing control of their lives; and 5) To create an environment where veterans offenders will be safe to grieve, process, and heal from wounds not visible of their service. The program will be an in-custody facility that will offer work opportunities and treatment alternatives for felony/misdemeanor Veteran offenders facing probation revocations or incarceration. The program will utilize the treatment team approach to help the veterans with their needs. The multidisciplinary team will effectively address the many unique and significant needs of these veterans. The team will consist of the following but not limited to: • Judge • Clinician • Intake Coordinator • Detention Officer • Treatment Provider • Community Partnerships The program will combine the treatment with frequent visits from Judge, counseling, community based support, based on the track they are assigned. Each member on the team plays a vital role in helping the veteran successfully complete the program as well as providing safety for the community. Community partnerships/resources will be used to provide supportive services for the veteran to ensure they are and will continue to receive targeted interventions. The following will be programs for veteran offenders but not limited based on the track they will be assigned to: • Intensive/Supportive Substance Abuse Treatment (IOP/SOP) • Specialized Individual/Group Counseling: CPT, CBT, EMDR • Solution/Trauma Focused therapies that address PTSD, TBI, MST • AA and/or NA • Anger Management • Moral Recognition Therapy (MRT)/Battling Shadows • Thinking for a Change • Seeking Safety • Integrative therapies include: Art, Yoga, Narrative, & mindfulness Practices • Life Skills/Parenting • Military Benefits From the first day of admission into the program, we educate the veteran to be responsible. The program will provide a structured environment and teach work ethic similar to their military experience. Please read below an example of the basic schedule: changes in class type, date of services, and needs that will be reflected for each individual treatment plan: 0400-0530 -Reveille/Hygiene 0500-0600 - Breakfast 0615-0700 - Scheduled Medications 0700-1130 - Work Crew 1130-1230 - Break/Homework 1230-1330 - Lunch 1330-1500 - SOP 1500-1630 - MRT 1630-1730 - Seeking Safety 1715-1800 - Integrative therapy 1800-1900 - Dinner 1900-2200 - Free time/Medications/TAPS 2230 - Lights out

## Capacity & Capabilities:

All of the personnel on the Texas Veteran Rehabilitation Substance Abuse Treatment Program team not only have professional expertise in their field but also have significant experience and understanding of veteran services. Texas Veteran Rehabilitation Substance Abuse Treatment Program Team: Judge: the Judge will conduct status hearings as ordered. The Judge will encourage the veteran to do well and stay on target. The Judge will hold the veteran accountable if they fail to comply with the program and/or requirements. They will also ask what the team can do for them and their family to keep them on track. • Honorable John Roach, Jr

District Court Detention Officer: The Detention Officer will provide safety and security of the jail facilities within the Veteran Pod. The Detention Officer will provide the following but not limited to: care, custody and control of (Veteran) inmates and administer work furlough and working (Veteran) inmate programs. Ensures the clean, safe environment of the Veteran Pod. Transports inmates to various locations, processes new (Veteran) inmates, and assists the team when needed, supervises (Veteran) inmate visitation, distributes food, conducts security checks, and handles paperwork. The Detention Officer will also review and verifies the (Veteran) inmate trust fund account. The Detention Officer will perform related duties as required. Intake Coordinator: The Intake Coordinator will be responsible for application screenings, file maintenance, coordination between staff members, coordinating meetings, and assisting case management with discharges. Treatment Provider: The Treatment Provider will establish and comprehensive, community-based treatment plan for the veteran and for the family pursuant to their mental health evaluation(s)/assessment(s). The treatment provider will also have a designee assigned to the team. They will provide group, individual and family counseling sessions, and medication management services (if necessary). Veterans will learn various copings skills on how to manage their emotions as well as ways to become free of drugs. The treatment provider will review the progress towards goals as well as provide weekly reports to the team regarding progress towards treatment goals, attendance and participation, and provide insight to the team on how best to provide support for treatment compliance. Collaborative Partnerships: The program has identified and developed relationships with local resources and organizations that provide ongoing support for the veterans. The program will partner with the following but not limited to: • US Department of Veterans Affairs/Dallas VA Medical Center • Dallas Vet Center • Texas Workforce Commission • Military Veteran Peer Network • Steven A. Cohen Military Family Clinic at Metrocare • Texas Department of Public Safety • Guitars for Vets • North Texas Art Therapy • Veterans Center of North Texas • Collin County Veteran Services • Texas Legal Services Center Successful completion of the program results in case dismissal and agreed expunction,

# **Performance Management:**

Goal: Deliver services to Veterans. Objectives: 1 .Ensure minimum of 80% of veterans seeking assistance will be served. 2 .Demonstrate 10% increase yearly in veteran enrollment. 3. Graduate 20 from program. Measures: 1. Provide assistance/services to 25 veterans (over the course of the grant) 2 .Provide counseling advocacy for 25 veterans (over the course of the grant) 3. Provide advocacy and assistance for adults with a mental illness. 4. Provide treatment referrals for 30 veterans (whether ultimately accepted into the program or not) (over the course of the grant). 5. Assist 25 veterans with developing plans (over the course of the grant). Client outcome measurements will be used to establish and evaluate the program's progress in achieving service goals. The coordinator will analyze the outcomes and an action plan will be developed and implemented as needed to ensure that objectives are being met. Performance measurement/data will be collected, reported and submitted in a timely matter.

#### Target Group:

The program accepts veterans of the Armed Forces, including State and National Guard, who did not receive a dishonorable discharge and who are facing criminal charges (misdemeanor or felony) in Texas. Eligibility for program participation is ultimately determined upon completion of a complete classification evaluation by team. To be eligible, veterans must not have been dishonorably discharged or convicted of violent or sexual offenses and should have a mental health diagnosis such as (but not limited to) anxiety, depression, post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD), traumatic brain injury (TBI), or substance abuse/addiction, determined by assessment to be caused or exacerbated by their military service. Participants will be only Veterans who are incarcerated for a period no more than 12 months and who are incarcerated with only 6 to 12 months remaining in their confinement.

#### **Evidence-Based Practices:**

The Texas Veteran Rehabilitation Substance Abuse Treatment Program recognizes the importance in incorporating current theory, best practice, and evidence-based service delivery. As such, the program will maintain an updated knowledge base through research and training, informally reviews the program on a continual basis, and formally reviews the program annually, changes are made as needed. The following are a few of the therapeutic evidence-based service models which may be used: • Group therapy • Substance abuse • Support System • Treatment Planning (ongoing treatment) • Alternative therapies (art therapy, music therapy, community service projects, etc.) • Family Treatment Court Best Practice Standards (NADCP)

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## **Project Activities Information**

## Introduction

This section contains questions about your project. It is very important for applicants to review their funding announcement for guidance on how to fill out this section. Unless otherwise specified, answers should be about the EXPECTED activities to occur during the project period.

## **Program Type**

Select one:

X Jail-Based Residential
\_ Jail-Based Pretrial

**Selected Project Activities:** 

ACTIVITY	PERCENTAGE:	DESCRIPTION
Counseling, Therapy, or Other Care Performed by a Licensed Professional	100.00	Counseling, treatment may include Seeking Safety, Moral Reconation Therapy, cognitive behavioral therapy, Thinking for a Change, Art/Music Therapy, Anger Management, Peer Mentoring, Agricultural and Vocational Rehabilitation, Alcohol/Drug Treatment, PTSD/Trauma counseling, Resilient Warrior, Yoga/Mindful Mediation, Emotional Regulation, Acceptance and Commitment Therapy, Wellness Recovery Action Plan and others. Veterans will attend group and individual sessions, complete assignments, implement new coping skills, and create re-entry plans based on what they learn in program. All overseen by a Licensed Professional Therapist.

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**Measures Information** 

# Objective Output Measures

OUTPUT MEASURE	TARGET LEVEL
Counseling, therapy, or other care performed by a licensed professional: Hours delivered	3200
Counseling, therapy, or other care performed by a licensed professional: Individuals receiving	25
Licensed counseling/therapy: Individuals assessed or screened for needs	30
Licensed trauma-informed therapy: individuals receiving	25
Licensed treatment for mental health disorders: Individuals receiving	25

## Objective Outcome Measures

OUTCOME MEASURE	TARGET LEVEL
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## Custom Output Measures

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**Budget Details Information** 

**Budget Information by Budget Line Item:** 

CATEGORY	SUB CATEGORY	DESCRIPTION	oog	CASH MATCH	IN- KIND MATCH	4 :	TOTAL	UNIT/%
Personnel	Counselor and/or Therapist (non- licensed)	The Lieutenant provides leadership and oversight for the Valor Program, focusing on jail operations. This role includes supervising jail staff, ensuring compliance with rules, standards, and procedures, and maintaining effective communication with the Sheriff and the Judge to promote the effective implementation of Valor Program initiatives. Start date: 10/1/2025 End date: 9/30/2026; Salary: \$114,110.63; Fringe: 41,652.99; Total: \$155,763.62, The minimum match is 25%, totaling \$145,866.29. Match personnel: PSM	\$0.00	\$47,805.94	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$47,805.94	100
Personnel	Counselor and/or Therapist (non- licensed)	The Probation Officer dedicated to the Valor program is responsible for conducting participant intake, gathering all required documentation, and working closely with the Program Manager and Lieutenant to assess program eligibility.  Additionally, the Probation Officer	\$0.00	\$98,060.35	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$98,060.35	100

		coordinates with Texas counties to manage jail arrivals, exchange information, and ensure program compliance across jurisdictions. Start date: 10/1/2025 End date: 9/30/2026; Salary: \$65,300.99; Fringe: \$32,759.36; Total: \$98,060.35, The minimum match is 25%, totaling \$145,866.29. Match personnel: MR				The second of th		
Contractual and Professional Services	Substance Abuse- Related Case Management, Counseling, Outpatient, and/or Treatment Services	Clinical Director is responsible for developing treatment and group curriculum based on evidence-based protocols and research. The director creates individualized treatment plans for VALOR participants, conducts individual and group sessions, and manages client records for all Veterans enrolled in the program. Annual Salary: \$115,000/12 =\$9,583.33 monthly. Contractual Services: PW	\$115,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$115,000.00	0
Contractual and Professional Services	Substance Abuse- Related Case Management, Counseling, Outpatient, and/or Treatment Services	Counseling/Treatment services are individualized to meet the needs of each veteran. Seeking Safety, Moral Reconation Therapy, cognitive behavioral therapy, Thinking for a Change, Art/Music Therapy, Anger Management, Peer Mentoring, Agricultural and Vocational Rehabilitation, Alcohol/Drug Treatment, PTSD/Trauma counseling, Resilient Warrior,	\$40,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$40,000.00	0

		Yoga/Mindful Mediation, Emotional Regulation, Acceptance and Commitment Therapy, Wellness Recovery Action Plan and others. Therapist is licensed by the State. 50 veterans x \$200 x 4 session = \$40,000.00. Vendor: TBD						
Contractual and Professional Services	Drug Analysis or Employee Drug Testing Services	Drug testing for Veterans throughout the program will include drug and alcohol/urinalysis tests. The cost per test is \$10 x 50 tests x 12 months = \$6,000	\$6,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$6,000.00	0
Contractual and Professional Services	Mental Health Assessment Services	Mental Health Clinician: Contracted clinician will conduct initial intake assessments, treatment planning, and pre/post assessments, along with providing individual therapy for Veterans. Annual salary: \$72,000.00 (\$6,000 monthly). Clinician AL	\$72,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$72,000.00	0
Contractual and Professional Services	Mental Health Assessment Services	Mental Health Clinician: Contracted clinician will conduct initial intake assessments, treatment planning, and pre/post assessments, along with providing individual therapy for Veterans. Annual Salary: \$72,000 (\$6,000 monthly). Clinician TBD	\$72,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$72,000.00	0
Contractual and Professional Services	Mental Health Assessment Services	Mental Health Clinician: Contracted clinician will conduct initial intake assessments, treatment planning, and pre/post assessments, along	\$72,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$72,000.00	0

		with providing individual therapy for Veterans. Annual Salary: \$72,000.00 (\$6,000 monthly). Clinician TBD						
Contractual and Professional Services	Mental Health Assessment Services	The Valor Program Support Coordinator manages the admission process, ensuring applications are efficiently screened and processed. This role supports veterans, coordinates transportation, schedules meetings, and handles financial responsibilities, such as tracking expenses and preparing reports. Acting as a liaison between the program manager and admission stakeholders, the coordinator maintains accurate records, ensures compliance with financial grant requirements, and prepares materials to help achieve program goals. Annual Salary: \$41,607/12 = \$3,467.25 monthly. Valor Program Support Coordinator: IS	\$41,607.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$41,607.00	0
Travel and Training	In-State Registration Fees, Training, and/or Travel	The TASC Conference will provide education on working with Veterans experiencing Mental Illness, Substance Use, Trauma Treatment and Recovery management, Multidisciplinary Team collaboration, Caseload management, Equity and Inclusion, and addressing Mental Illness within Criminal Justice	\$3,075.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3,075.00	0

		Systems, among other topics. Estimated Costs for 2 Staff. Registration: \$350.00 x 2 = \$700.00; Lodging: \$250/night x 2 nights x 2 staff = \$1000.00; Airfare: \$550.00 x 2 = \$1,100.00; Meals: \$68.75 x 2 days x 2 staff = \$275.00; Total Estimated Cost: \$3,075.00. Reimbursements will be processed in line with Collin County's policies and procedures, provided all required receipts and forms are submitted. Attached is the Collin County Travel Policy for reference. Location and date: TBD						
Travel and Training	Out-of-State Registration Fees, Training, and/or Travel	National Association of Drug Court Professionals (NADCP) Conference (Now ALLRise 2025) will be in Summer Location and Date: TBD. The NADCP will benefit grant employees by giving them ideas and information in order to expand treatment for Vets/participants with Mental Health and Substance use who are involved in the justice system. Two individuals (Clinician and Intake Coordinator). Dates and Location TBD. Registration: \$225 x 2 = \$450.00, Lodging: \$250 per night x 4 nights = \$526.00 x 2 staff =\$1,052, Airfare: \$550.00 per staff x 2 = \$1,100 and Meal Reimbursement: \$68.75 x 4 days \$275	\$3,152.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3,152.00	0

		x 2 staff = \$550.00. Total: \$3,152.00.	***************************************	interpression and constraints				
Supplies and Direct Operating Expenses	Specialized Computer Software (\$5,000 or less per unit)	MIFI is a mobile hotspot that provides internet access to the Intake Coordinator, enabling them to work effectively in the field. This internet access is essential for reviewing work emails, accessing necessary websites, and completing jobrelated tasks outside the office. MIFI Device/Service for 1 laptop: \$40 per month \$40 x 12 = \$480.00	\$480.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$480.00	0
Supplies and Direct Operating Expenses	Laptop System and Accessories (\$5,000 or less per unit)	The laptops will be used by mental health clinicians to assist with their work both in the field and in the office. The Collin County Laptop Station includes the following components: Two units of the Dell Latitude 7430 laptop (MFG # 210-BDSS) at \$2,011.11 each x 2 = \$4,022.22; two units of the Dell KB216 Wired Multi-Media Keyboard (MFG # 580-ADJC) at \$16.13 each x 2 = \$32.26; two units of the Dell MS116 Wired Mouse (MFG # 275-BBBW) at \$13.98 each x 2 = \$27.96; two units of the Dell Active Pen PN7522W (MFG # PN7522W) at \$69.89 each x 2 = \$139.78; two units of the Dell 24" Monitors (MFG # E2422HS) at \$152.22 each x 2 = \$304.44; two units of the 6' DisplayPort to DisplayPort Cables at \$9.41 each x 2 = \$18.82; two units of	\$5,284.87	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$5,284.87	0

		the Dell Ecoloop Pro Backpack (MFG # 460-BDKH) at \$37.63 each x2 = \$75.26; two units of the Dell Dock WD19S with 130W Adapter (MFG # 210-AZBG) at \$230.39 each x 2 = \$460.78; and two units of the 6x Slim Portable USB 3.0 BD/DVD/CD Burner (MFG # BDR-XD05S) at \$101.73 each x 2 = \$203.46. Total cost for the complete laptop stations is \$5,284.87.						
Supplies and Direct Operating Expenses	Office Supplies (e.g., paper, postage, calculator)	Consumable Office Supplies: Includes paper, folders, pens, pencils, notebooks, calculators, staplers, and other routine office items necessary for program operations – \$1000.00.	\$1,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,000.00	0
Supplies and Direct Operating Expenses	Medically Assisted Treatment Supplies	Program Therapy Handbooks and Workbooks are essential tools that are designed to support individuals participating in therapeutic programs. They include structured exercises, educational content, and practical strategies to help Veterans improve their mental health and overall wellness. Vendor: Correctional Counseling Inc. Cost: \$100 per Veteran x 60 Veterans = \$6,000.00	\$6,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$6,000.00	0

**Agency Name:** Collin County

Grant/App: 4731103 Start Date: 10/1/2025 End Date: 9/30/2026

Project Title: Texas Veteran Rehabilitation Substance Abuse Treatment Program

Status: Application Pending Submission

## **Resolution from Governing Body**

Applications from nonprofit corporations, local units of governments, and other political subdivisions must include a <u>resolution</u> that contains the following:

1. Authorization by your governing body for the submission of the application to the Public Safety Office (PSO) that clearly identifies the name of the project for which funding is requested;

2. A commitment to provide all applicable matching funds;

- 3. A designation of the name and/or title of an authorized official who is given the authority to apply for, accept, reject, alter, or terminate a grant (Note: If a name is provided, you must update the PSO should the official change during the grant period.); and
- 4. A written assurance that, in the event of loss or misuse of grant funds, the governing body will return all funds to PSO.

Upon approval from your agency's governing body, upload the <u>approved</u> resolution to eGrants by clicking on the **Upload Files** sub-tab located in the **Summary** tab.

## **Contract Compliance**

Will PSO grant funds be used to support any contracts for professional services?

Select the appropriate response:

X Yes No

For applicant agencies that selected **Yes** above, describe how you will monitor the activities of the sub-contractor(s) for compliance with the contract provisions (including equipment purchases), deliverables, and all applicable statutes, rules, regulations, and guidelines governing this project.

Enter a description for monitoring contract compliance:

All County contractors submit monthly reports and/or invoices, including programmatic reports, which are reconciled and audited to ensure contractor is fulfilling statement of work and expenses match receipts. Program contractors will be required to submit a detailed invoice including date and type of service for participants.

#### Lobbying

For applicant agencies requesting grant funds in excess of \$100,000, have any federally appropriated funds been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any federal contract, the making of any federal grant, the making of any federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any federal contract, grant loan, or cooperative agreement?

Select the	appropriate	response:
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\_ Yes **X** No

\_ N/A

For applicant agencies that selected either **No** or **N/A** above, have any non-federal funds been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress in connection with this federal contract, loan, or cooperative agreement?

Select the	appropriate	response:
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\_ Yes

X No

\_ N/A

#### Fiscal Year

Provide the begin and end date for the applicant agency's fiscal year (e.g., 09/01/20xx to 08/31/20xx).

Enter the Begin Date [mm/dd/yyyy]:

10/1/2025

Enter the End Date [mm/dd/yyyy]:

9/30/2026

## **Sources of Financial Support**

Each applicant must provide the amount of grant funds expended during the most recently completed fiscal year for the following sources:

Enter the amount (in Whole Dollars \$) of Federal Grant Funds expended:

16171898

Enter the amount (in Whole Dollars \$) of State Grant Funds expended:

4246620

#### Single Audit

Applicants who expend less than \$1,000,000 in federal grant funding or less than \$1,000,000 in state grant funding are exempt from the Single Audit Act and cannot charge audit costs to a PSO grant. However, PSO may require a limited scope audit as defined in 2 CFR Part 200, Subpart F - Audit Requirements.

Has the applicant agency expended federal grant funding of \$1,000,000 or more, or state grant funding of \$1,000,000 or more during the most recently completed fiscal year?

Select the appropriate response:

X Yes

\_ No

Applicant agencies that selected **Yes** above, provide the date of your organization's last annual single audit, performed by an independent auditor in accordance with the State of Texas Single Audit Circular; or CFR Part 200, Subpart F - Audit Requirements.

Enter the date of your last annual single audit: 9/30/2024

#### Debarment

Each applicant agency will certify that it and its principals (as defined in 2 CFR Part 180.995):

- Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, sentenced to a denial
  of Federal benefits by a State or Federal Court, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by
  any federal department or agency;
- Have not within a three-year period preceding this application been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (federal, state, or local) transaction or contract under a public transaction; violation of federal or state antitrust statutes or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property; or
- Are not presently indicted for or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a governmental entity (federal, state, or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated in the above bullet; and have not within a three-year period preceding this application had one or more public transactions (federal, state, or local) terminated for cause or default.

Select the appropriate response:

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X I Certify
Unable to Certify
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If you selected **Unable to Certify** above, please provide an explanation as to why the applicant agency cannot certify the statements.

NA

## **FFATA Certification**

#### **Certification of Recipient Highly Compensated Officers**

The Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act (FFATA) requires Prime Recipients (CJD) to report the names and total compensation of each of the five most highly compensated officers (a.k.a. positions) of each sub recipient organization for the most recently completed fiscal year preceding the year in which the grant is awarded if the subrecipient answers **YES** to the **FIRST** statement but **NO** to the **SECOND** statement listed below.

In the sub recipient's preceding completed fiscal year, did the sub recipient receive: (1) 80 percent or more of its annual gross revenue from Federal contracts (and subcontracts), loans, grants (and subgrants) and cooperative agreements; AND (2) \$25,000,000 or more in annual gross revenue from Federal contracts (and subcontracts), loans, grants (and subgrants) and cooperative agreements?

Yes X No

Does the public have access to information about the compensation of the senior executives through periodic reports filed under Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C. 78m(a), 78o(d)) or Section 6104 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986?

Yes X No

If you answered **YES** to the **FIRST** statement and **NO** to the **SECOND** statement, please provide the name and total compensation amount of each of the five most highly compensated officers (a.k.a. positions) within your agency for the current calendar year. If you answered NO to the first statement you are NOT required to provide the name and compensation amounts. NOTE: "Total compensation" means the complete pay package of each of the sub recipient's compensated officers, including all forms of money, benefits, services, and inkind payments (see SEC Regulations: 17 CCR 229.402).

Position 1 - Name:
Position 1 - Total Compensation (\$):
0
Position 2 - Name:
Position 2 - Total Compensation (\$):
0
Position 3 - Name:
Position 3 - Total Compensation (\$):
0
Position 4 - Name:
Position 4 - Total Compensation (\$):
0
Position 5 - Name:
Position 5 - Total Compensation (\$):

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