NEW MEXICO Sentencing Commission

Crime Reduction Grants

FY2023 Round 2

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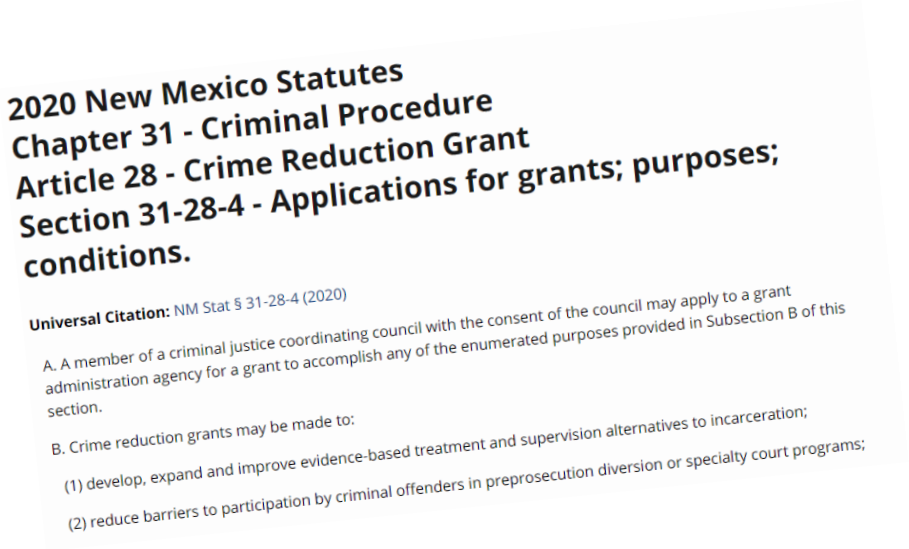
Crime Reduction Act

- Updated in FY2023 to add purpose areas and additional $2m
- Allocated to date: $1.68m
- Available in second round: **$650K**
- **Half** year funding



2020 New Mexico Statutes
Chapter 31 - Criminal Procedure
Article 28 - Crime Reduction Grant
Section 31-28-4 - Applications for grants; purposes; conditions.

Universal Citation: NM Stat § 31-28-4 (2020)

A. A member of a criminal justice coordinating council with the consent of the council may apply to a grant administration agency for a grant to accomplish any of the enumerated purposes provided in Subsection B of this section.

B. Crime reduction grants may be made to:

(1) develop, expand and improve evidence-based treatment and supervision alternatives to incarceration;

(2) reduce barriers to participation by criminal offenders in preprosecution diversion or specialty court programs;

Eligible Programs

- 1. Evidence-based alternatives
- 2. Pre-prosecution diversion, specialty courts
- 3. Pretrial service programs
- 4. Coordinate services between LEA and treatment programs
- 5. LEA crisis intervention
- 6. Transitional/ Reentry homes
- 7. Recruit/ retain employees
- 8. Data-driven policing programs
- 9. Staff CJCCs
- 10. Equipment/ Training

CJCC Requirements

- 1. Grantee agencies/programs must be a part of a CJCC or sponsored by a member.
  - Regular member/partner(s): Police, Courts, Service Providers, Public Defense, etc.
- 2. Approve proposal

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Grantee Requirements

- 1. Quarterly and final reports
- 2. Submit invoices monthly
- 3. Share data and evaluation results
- 4. Participate in an in-person or virtual site visit

NMSC Requirements

NM Sentencing Commission SubCmte:

- 1. Selects grantees

Staff (Keri, Nancy, Amanda, & Linda):

- 1. Help as needed!
- 2. Collect reports/ financial 'back-up'
- 3. Collect performance tracking data
- 4. Performs site visits

Many ways to identify evidence-based programs to meet your needs

Fact Sheet | THE PEW CHARITABLE TRUSTS | April 2020

Where to Search for Evidence of Effective Programs

Collection of resources offers publicly available research and tools

Overview

The Results First Clearinghouse Database contains information from nine clearinghouses that rate programs in social policy areas such as behavioral health, criminal justice, education, and public health, based on the findings of rigorous evaluations.

Beyond the sources included in this database, many additional publicly available resources provide information on the effectiveness of programs and practices in different formats and based on a variety of research types. Some of them are updated on a regular basis like the Clearinghouse Database; others are static publications about specific programs or topics.

The following is a compilation of national and international resources that highlight the efficacy of programs and practices. They are organized under broad themes based on their primary area of focus.

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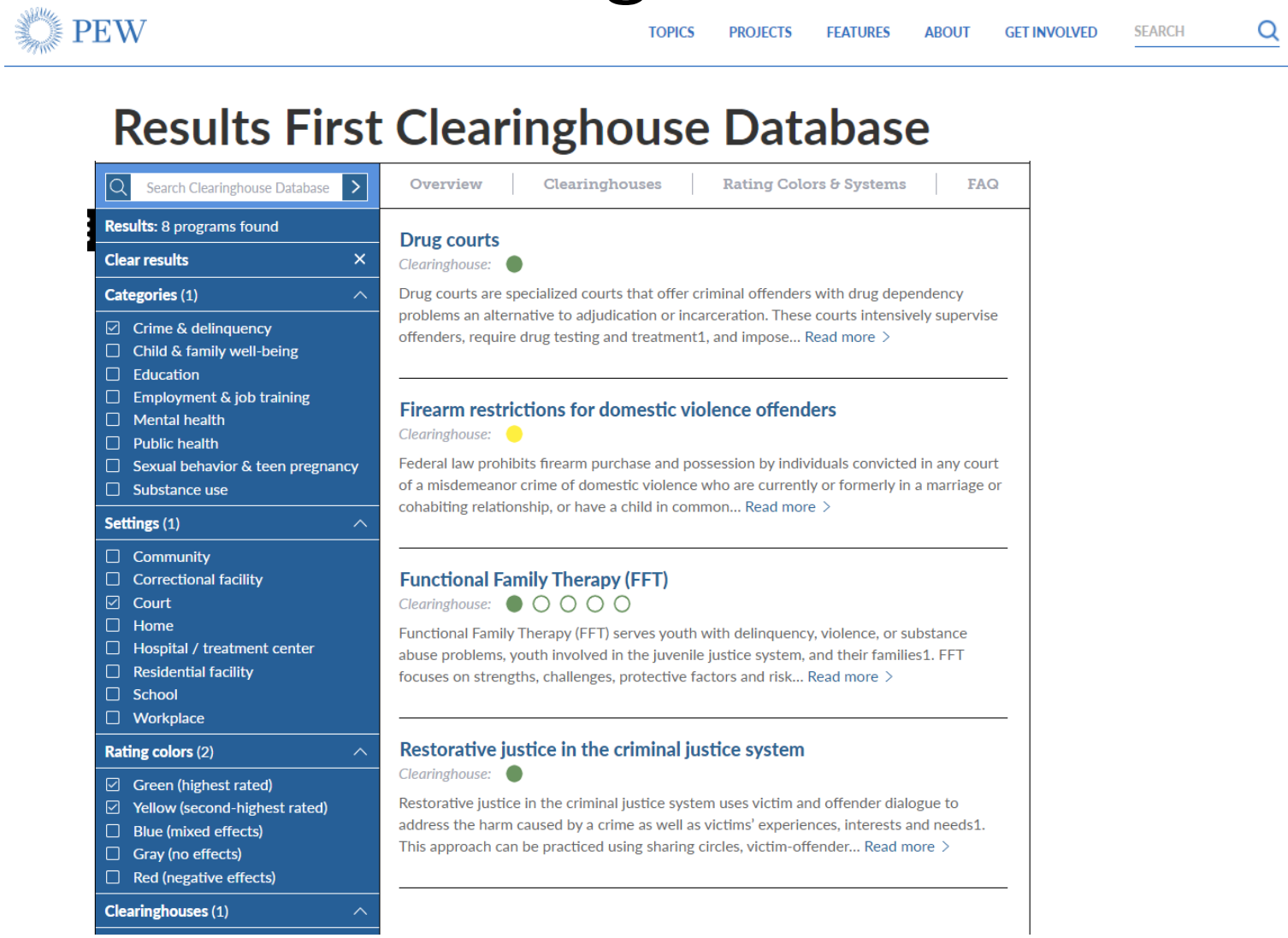
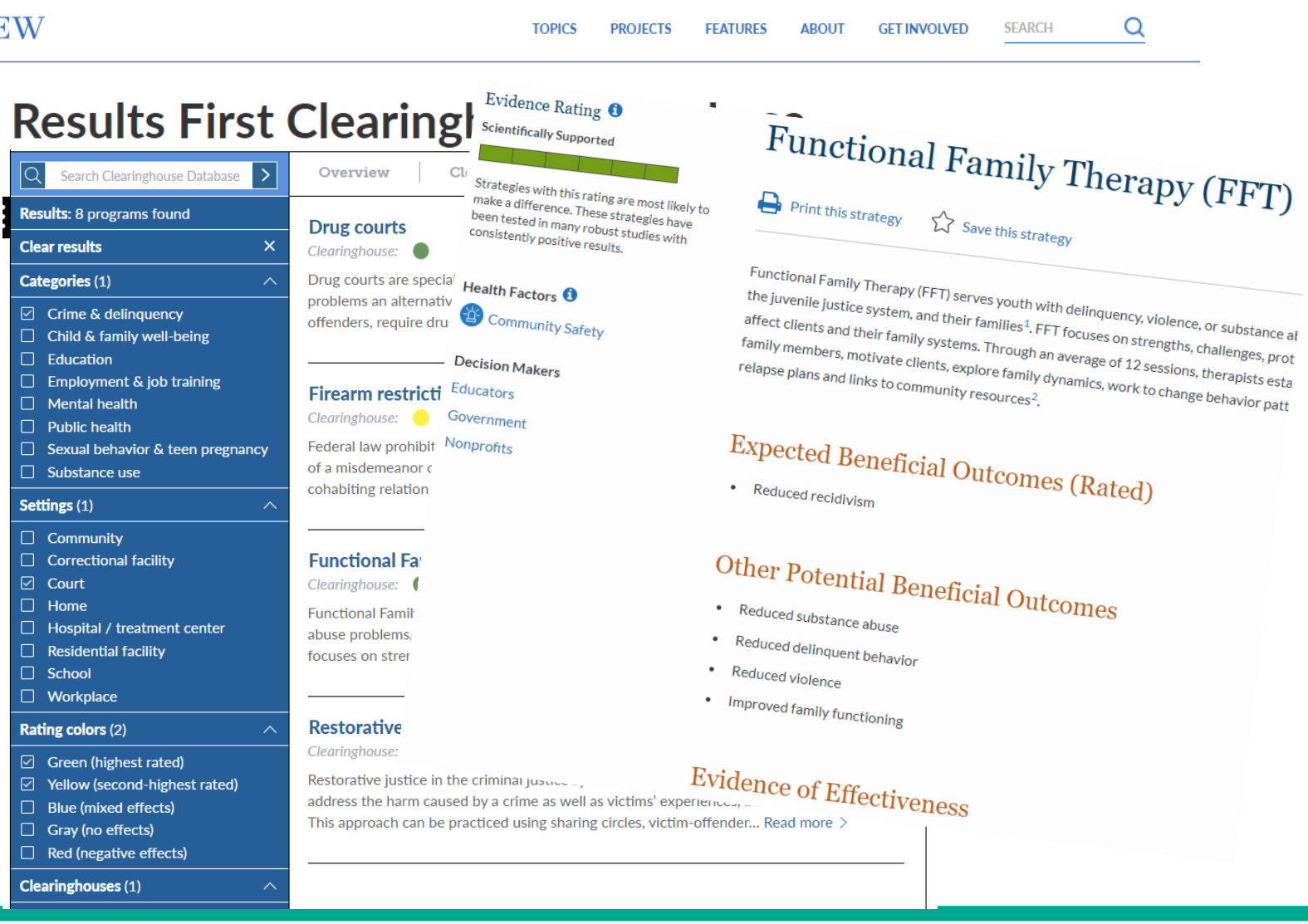
https://www.pewtrusts.org/media/assets/2020/04/evidenceresources_resultsfirst_fs.pdf

Clearinghouses



Example of Clearinghouse details



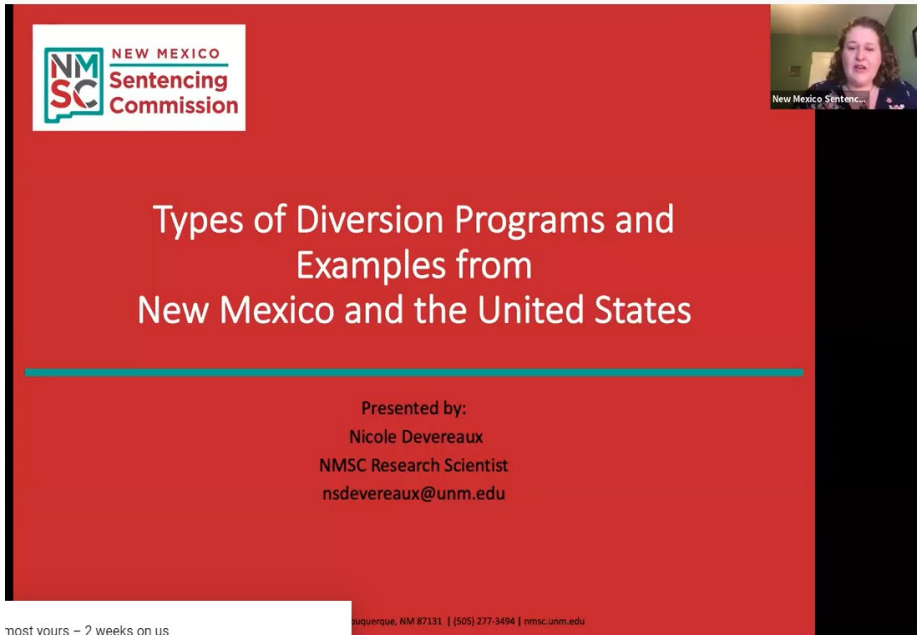
NMSC Resources

Reports

Resources	Type	Description
Pew Trusts Results First	Program Efficacy	A quick way to find articles on the effectiveness of a project and identify model programs. Dig deeper by clicking through footnotes to reach relevant academic research. A great place to start!
National Institutes of Justice	Academic Program Efficacy Studies	Wide ranging resource for criminal justice research. Publications generally tend to the data heavy, academic side.
Council of State Governments	Less Academic Program Information	General clearinghouse from a state level. A lot of information about best practices around the country.
National Drug Court Institute	Drugs	Provides best practices for drug courts. Operating drug courts may be able to make use of their training programs.
Partners for Justice	Courts	Partners with public defenders to provide non-lawyer advocates. Advocates connect to other social services available to clients and serve as legal navigators.

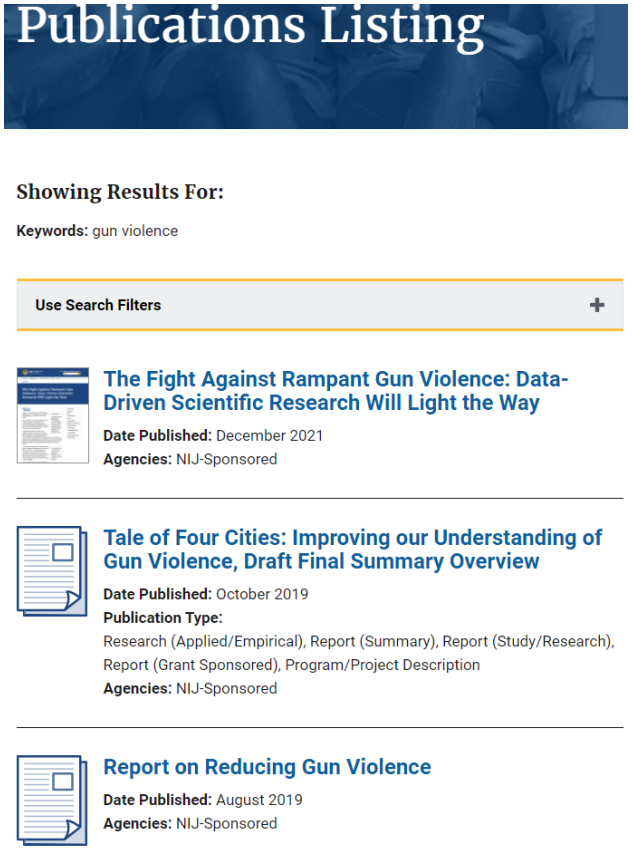
Coming soon: *https://nmsc.unm.edu/reports/2021/types-of-diversion-programs.pdf*

Education Series Webinars

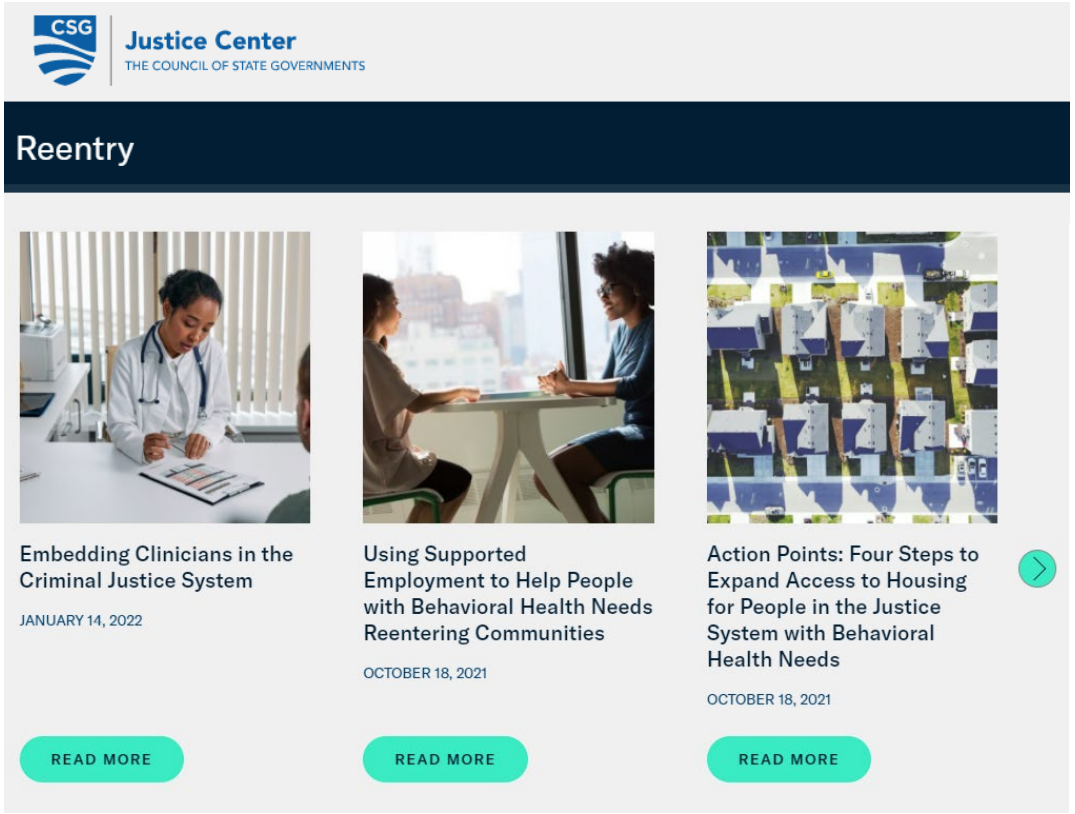


Other Resources for Identifying Programs

DOJ National Institute of Justice



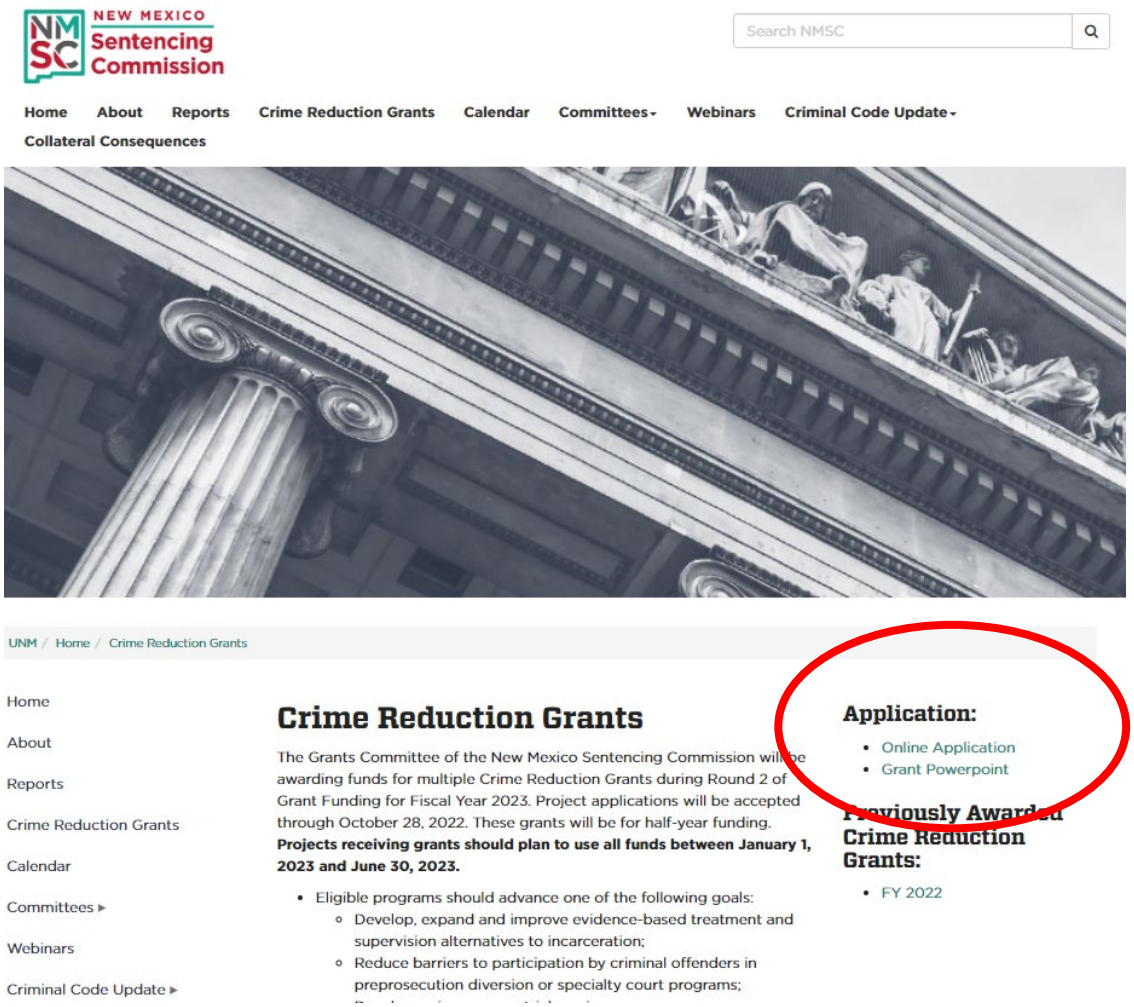
Council of State Govts Justice Center



CRGA Reimbursement Model

- Grantees submit invoices each month through Apply software with supporting documentation.

Want to Apply?



https://nmsc.unm.edu/crime-reduction-grants/index.html

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Applications are DUE
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