

**(h) Support for State strategy**

An eligible entity shall include in its application under subsection (f) information describing how the services and activities proposed in such application are aligned with the State, outlying area, or Tribal strategy, as applicable, for addressing issues described in such application and how such entity will coordinate with existing systems to deliver services as described in such application.

**(i) Data reporting and program oversight**

Each eligible entity awarded a grant under this section shall submit to the Secretary a report at such time and in such manner as the Secretary may require. Such report shall include a description of—

- (1) the programs and activities funded by the grant;
- (2) outcomes of the population of individuals with a substance use disorder the grantee served through activities described in subsection (g); and
- (3) any other information that the Secretary may require for the purpose of ensuring that the grantee is complying with all of the requirements of the grant.

**(j) Reports to Congress****(1) Preliminary report**

Not later than 2 years after the end of the first year of the grant period under this section, the Secretary shall submit to Congress a preliminary report that analyzes reports submitted under subsection (i).

**(2) Final report**

Not later than 2 years after submitting the preliminary report required under paragraph (1), the Secretary shall submit to Congress a final report that includes—

- (A) a description of how the grant funding was used, including the number of individuals who received services under subsection (g)(3) and an evaluation of the effectiveness of the activities conducted by the grantee with respect to outcomes of the population of individuals with substance use disorder who receive services from the grantee; and
- (B) recommendations related to best practices for health care professionals to support individuals in substance use disorder treatment or recovery to live independently and participate in the workforce.

**(k) Authorization of appropriations**

There is authorized to be appropriated \$5,000,000 for each of fiscal years 2019 through 2023 for purposes of carrying out this section.

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**§ 290ee-9. Services for families and patients in crisis****(a) In general**

The Secretary of Health and Human Services may make grants to entities that focus on addiction and substance use disorders and specialize in family and patient services, advocacy for patients and families, and educational information.

**(b) Allowable uses**

A grant awarded under this section may be used for nonprofit national, State, or local organizations that engage in the following activities:

- (1) Expansion of resource center services with professional, clinical staff that provide, for families and individuals impacted by a substance use disorder, support, access to treatment resources, brief assessments, medication and overdose prevention education, compassionate listening services, recovery support or peer specialists, bereavement and grief support, and case management.
- (2) Continued development of health information technology systems that leverage new and upcoming technology and techniques for prevention, intervention, and filling resource gaps in communities that are underserved.
- (3) Enhancement and operation of treatment and recovery resources, easy-to-read scientific and evidence-based education on addiction and substance use disorders, and other informational tools for families and individuals impacted by a substance use disorder and community stakeholders, such as law enforcement agencies.
- (4) Provision of training and technical assistance to State and local governments, law enforcement agencies, health care systems, research institutions, and other stakeholders.
- (5) Expanding upon and implementing educational information using evidence-based information on substance use disorders.
- (6) Expansion of training of community stakeholders, law enforcement officers, and families across a broad-range of addiction, health, and related topics on substance use disorders, local issues and community-specific issues related to the drug epidemic.
- (7) Program evaluation.

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**§ 290ee-10. Sobriety treatment and recovery teams****(a) In general**

The Secretary may make grants to States, units of local government, or tribal govern-