

Sponsor/Title: Department of Justice (DOJ) - Staffing Analysis Implementation Program

External Link: <https://www.grants.gov/search-results-detail/362822>

Funding Opportunity Number: 26JD01

Submission Limitation per Institution: One (1)

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Internal Expression of Interest Deadline: 2026-06-30

Sponsor Application Deadline: 2026-07-30

General Purpose: The Staffing Analysis program enables agencies to gather and interpret vital data, leading to optimized resource utilization, informed policy adjustments, and substantiated staffing requests.

NIC Funding Priorities / Focus Areas: The National Institute of Corrections (NIC) supports public safety by providing specialized corrections training, information services, and technical assistance to federal, state, local, and tribal justice agencies. The outcomes of NIC's activities contribute significantly to the achievement of the following correctional goals and priorities:

- **Effectively managed prisons, jails, and community corrections programs and facilities.** NIC provides services related to effective planning, management, and operational practice leading to safe and secure prisons, jails, and community services.
- **Enhanced organizational and professional performance in corrections.** NIC provides education and training in management, leadership, and corrections operations based on that enhance organizational and professional performance.
- **Community, staff, and offender safety.** NIC promotes correctional practices and procedures that maximize the safety of the community, staff, and offenders; holds detainees, inmates, and parolees/probationers accountable; and seeks to reduce recidivism.
- **Improved correctional practices through the exploration of trends and public policy issues.** NIC promotes the exploration of critical issues and the shaping of public policies that strengthen and improve the effectiveness and efficiency of corrections.
- **Enhanced services through improved organizational and staff effectiveness.** NIC provides opportunities for organizational and professional growth that enhance the field of corrections.

Goals: This program aims to advance operational safety and security by enhancing correctional staffing practices through innovative training, technical assistance, and e-resources.

Objectives: The objectives for the project include the following:

1. Deliver two iterations for Federal and State Prisons in addition to three iterations for local and tribal jails of NIC's Staffing Analysis Training Program designed for virtual instructor-led training (VILT)
2. Collect and analyze post-delivery feedback from participants, instructors, and project team members.

Internal Application Requirements: Upload the following information to the Google Form at <https://forms.gle/32wYQ6nrQxKeyhUYA> by the internal deadline:

- Name of the Principal Investigator (PI)
- Project Title
- All ND Collaborators:

- For each ND Collaborator listed, include name, department or unit, and specific role for this project in three sentences (maximum).
- Project Summary: Three (3) pages (maximum), addressing the Application Review Information as outlined in the Selection Criteria on pages 27-28 of the NOFO.
 - Criterion 1: Programmatic Review
 - Criterion 3: Management/Administrative Review

Questions: Contact Notre Dame Research Limited Submissions at limited@nd.edu.

Unless otherwise noted, all internal applications are due by 11:59 PM Eastern Time on the internal expression of interest deadline.

Internal applications submitted after the deadline will not be accepted.