

CALIFORNIA ADVANCING THE PRISON RAPE ELIMINATION ACT PROGRAM
Component: 40.20.161

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The purpose of the project is to help bring the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) into compliance with the Prison Rape Elimination Act standards by establishing victim services for incarcerated survivors of sexual abuse. Using funding made available through the Violence Against Women Act STOP Program, Just Detention International (JDI) will work with the California Coalition Against Sexual Assault (CALCASA) and CDCR to secure formal partnerships between all CDCR facilities and their local rape crisis centers. The project partners will provide training and resources to prison officials and rape crisis counselors, establishing basic emergency services for inmates who report sexual abuse. The grant subaward period is from March 1, 2015, through February 29, 2016.

FUNDS AWARDED

<u>Fiscal Year</u>	<u>Types of Funding</u>	<u>Total Funding</u>
FY 2014/15	Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) FFY14	\$ 644,839
FY 2015/16	VAWA 15	\$ 628,329
FY 2016/17	Unknown	

2014/15 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS *based on first six months of a new program

- 43 Meetings with CALCASA.
- 21 Rape crisis centers received fund allocations.
- 1 Project evaluator secured, Sandifor Consulting, in order to assess the design of the project from the outset.
- 5 Prisons have met with JDI and CALCASA.
- 21 Rape crisis centers have been contacted within the 34 CDCR facilities areas.
- 5 Two-day meetings were held with five CDCR facilities to bring together key staff from the prisons and local rape crisis centers.

2015/16 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS

Not Available

2016/17 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS

Not Applicable