



Budget Development for NCAI Fund Victim Services Micro-grant Program

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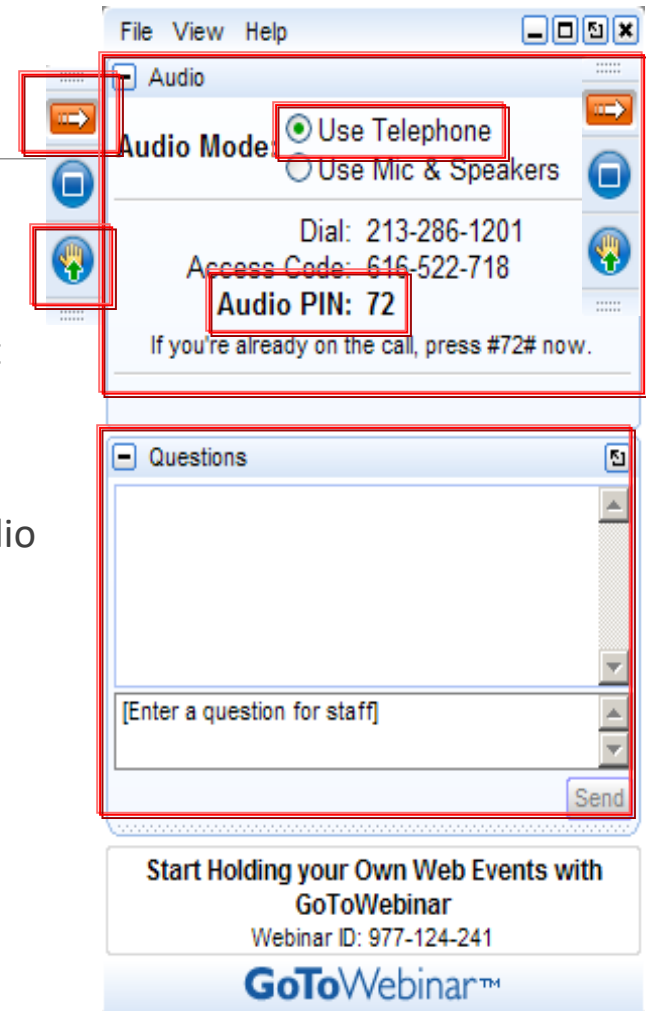
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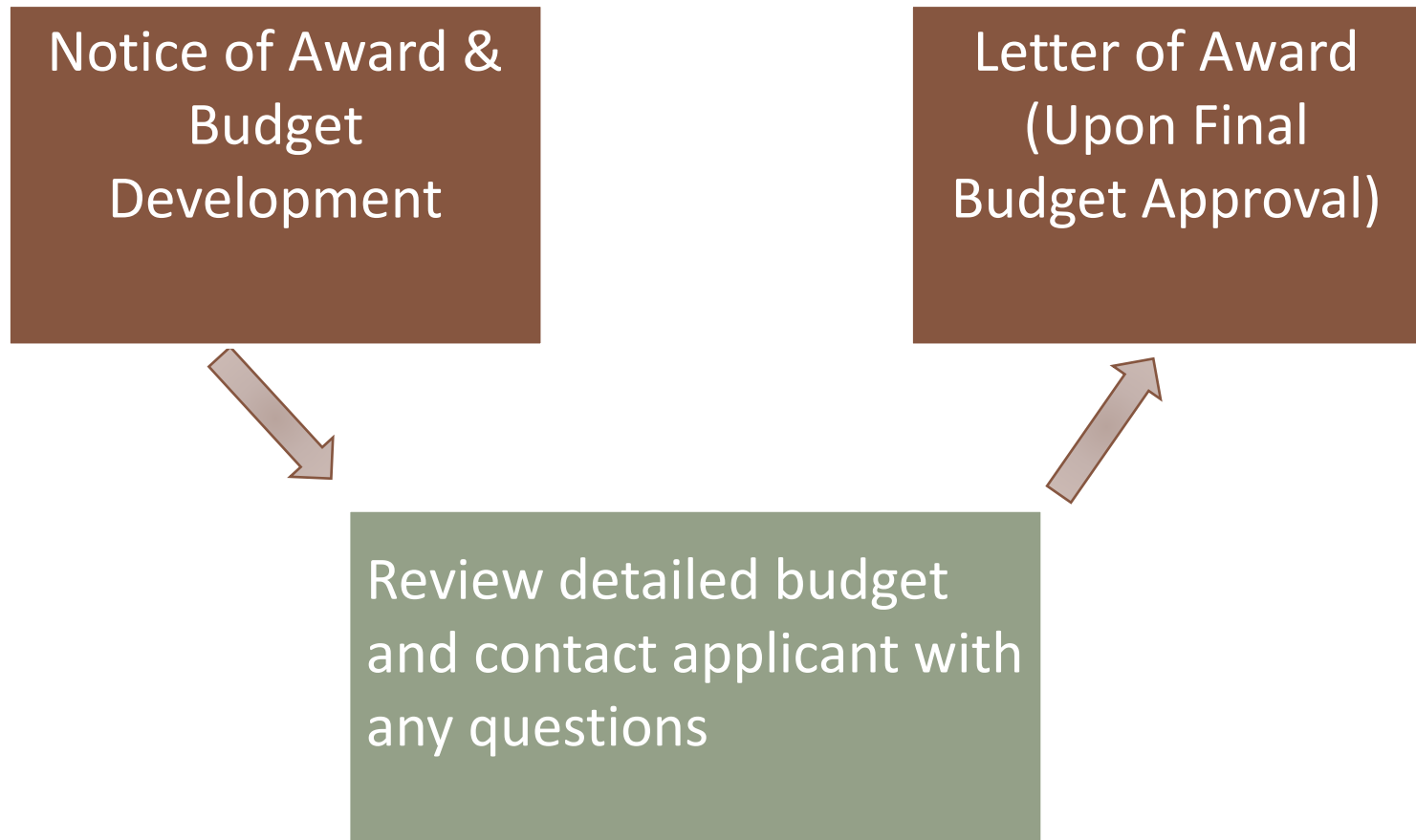
Welcome

Goal: Review the detailed budget submission process within the online reporting site and provide guidance on compliance requirements.

Panelists

- Robin Paterson, Project Manager, FirstPic, Inc.

Budget/Letter of Award Process



What can funding be used for?

Examples of Victim Services include:

- Victim advocate or victim assistance program
- Domestic violence shelter
- Rape crisis center
- Child advocacy center
- Elder abuse program
- Mental health counseling
- Substance abuse treatment
- Legal services
- Forensic exams
- Emergency shelter
- Transitional housing
- Traditional, cultural, or alternative therapy
- Transportation, meals, lodging, child care for court or counseling
- Restorative justice

Funding Amounts: Most grants will be between \$25,000-\$150,000.

A chart of allowable and unallowable costs can be found at https://tribalvictimservices.org/PDF/2021_Examples_of_Allowable_and_Unallowable_Costs.pdf

What can funding be used for?

Examples include:

- Salary
- Fringe benefits
- Travel
- Equipment
 - Vehicles
 - Security system at victim service facility
 - Remote access equipment in court
- Minor construction – renovation, remodeling, maintenance, and repair costs
- Facility Costs
 - Rental space for project activities (e.g. office space, shelter facility)
 - Utilities and maintenance
 - **Note:** these costs must be reasonably apportioned, if they also support non-grant activities, and may not be charged directly if charged indirectly
- Supplies
 - Computers, printers, scanners, cell phone, office supplies, furnishings
 - Supplies necessary to support victim participation in traditional/cultural therapeutic practices (sweat lodges, smudging, crafting supplies, etc.)
 - Food, as part of cultural/traditional activities reasonably incorporated into victim services
- Emergency needs for victims
- Program operating costs
- Subcontracts
- Indirect costs

What is unallowable?

Examples
include:

- Law enforcement/prosecution
- Crime prevention
- Offender services not related to victimization
- Major construction or purchase of real estate
- Lobbying
- Fundraising
- Travel: Expenses related to travel for unauthorized/unapproved conferences, meetings, or other events

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HELLO MATT BIELER (LOCAL).

To complete your Stage 2 application click [here](#).

Incomplete Applications

Application Id	Status	Submitted Date
APP-00442	Sent to Applicant	



HELLO MATT BIELER (LOCAL).

To complete your Stage 2 application click here.

To enter a budget, select the “Sub-Grants” tab.

Incomplete Applications		
Application Id	Status	Submitted Date
APP-00442	Sent to Applicant	

SUB-GRANTS

Grant: View All

Sub-Grant Name:

Status: View All

Sort By: Name

Update

View AllExport ResultsView My Assignments

Sub-Grant Name	Awarded	Total Budgeted	Requested Amount	Approved Amount	Balance	Status
OVC Example Org 2 Grant	\$75,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	Incomplete

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View Closed Grants

Click on the sub-grant related to the budget you are creating.
For this program, there should just be one sub-grant listed here.



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OVC EXAMPLE ORG 2 GRANT

TOTAL AWARDED: \$75,000.00

Organization: OVC Example Org 2 **Date Range:** 10/1/2020 - 6/30/2022 **Duration:** 638.00 **Status:** Incomplete

Total Budgeted: \$0.00 **Requested Amount:** \$0.00 **Approved Amount:** \$0.00 **Balance:** \$0.00

Indirect Rate: 0.0% **Procurement Threshold:**

Click "Update Budget"
to begin the budget
submission process.

Update Budget

NOTE: This budget has not yet been submitted. Please review and click submit.

Submit

Personnel

Title	Hourly/Salary Rate/Salary	Grant Hrs/Wk	Wks on Grant	% on Grant	Amount Allocated	Requested Amount	Approved Amount	Balance	Notes
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Fringe Benefits



Please Note: When first entering your budget in the online reporting site:

- **“Update Budget & Indirect Rate”** should be used to move forward in the initial submission process.
- “Update Budget” option should only be used when submitting a budget revision request later in the program that does not include a change of the indirect cost rate.

Indirect Rate: 10.0%

Update Budget

You will not be able to submit any reimbursement requests until your updated budget has been submitted and approved. Are you sure you want to continue?

Cancel

Update Budget

Update Budget & Indirect Rate

Update Budget

Submit

Personnel

Title

Hourly/Salary Rate/Sa

Approved Amount Balance Notes

Fringe Benefits

Personnel & Fringe Notes

No Notes from Affiliate

Select “Update
Budget & Indirect
Rate”



OVC EXAMPLE ORG 2 GRANT

TOTAL AWARDED: \$75,000.00

Personnel

Title

Fringe Benefits

Update Amounts

Add Personnel

Add

Update Amounts

Personnel & Fringe Notes

Indirect Rate: 10.0

Apply Indirect Rate to Expenses: ☒

Mark Inactive

Delete

- If your tribe has an approved NICRA, please enter the rate in the “Indirect Rate” field.
- If your tribe does not have an approved NICRA, you may use the 10% de minimis rate.
- If choosing not to charge an indirect rate or de minimis to your budget, please enter 0.
- Enter the number only, do not enter the % sign.

The budget will default to the indirect rate being applied to both personnel/fringe as well as all of the other expenses in the budget (equipment, supplies, travel, etc.). If you would like to **only** apply this rate to the personnel/fringe costs, you must opt out and unclick the blue check box.

You will need to upload a copy of your NICRA with your budget. Details on how to do this will be provided a little later in the webinar.

Differentiating between Direct and Indirect Costs

If you will be including an indirect rate in your budget, you cannot include items that are part of your indirect rate (such as rent, utilities, etc.) in your direct costs.

If you are **not** including an indirect rate or the de minimus in your budget, you may include a portion of these costs.

However, specific direct programming costs that may seem like an indirect cost, may be included in your budget if they are strictly used for direct programming.

EXAMPLE: Renting a space for two hours a week to host a victim's support group, this would be allowed as a direct cost.

What should you consider in drafting your budget?

Personnel

- How many staff will be working on the project?
- Are they full-time or part-time?
- Hourly or salaried?
- Will they work 100% on the program or just dedicate a portion of their time?
- Will they be starting work on the program from the very start, or will there be a delay? (e.g., hiring process to fill position)


Fringe Benefits

- What fringe benefits do you want to include in your budget, if any? Be sure to check with your payroll system to determine which payroll taxes you are required to pay, as these can be covered by the grant.



OVC EXAMPLE ORG 2 GRANT

TOTAL AWARDED: \$75,000.00

Indirect Rate:  Apply Indirect Rate to Expenses: ☒

Personnel

Mark Inactive

Delete

Title	Hourly/Salary	Rate/Salary	Total Hrs/Wk	Grant Hrs/Wk	Wks on Grant	% on Grant	Amount Allocated	Notes
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Fringe Benefits

Update Amounts

Add Personnel

Delete

Add

Update Amounts

To add a staff line item, click the “Add” button in the “Add Personnel” box.

Personnel & Fringe Notes



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Fringe Benefits

1 Enter the employee title (not their name).
This should be short but descriptive of their role
with the program.
Ex: Program Coordinator, Case Manager, etc.

Delete

	Title	Hourly/Salary	Rate/Annual Salary	Total Hrs/Wk	Grant Hrs/Wk	# Weeks on Grant	% Time on Grant	Amount Allocated to Grant	Notes
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<div>Salary ▾</div>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text" value="91.14"/>			<input data-bbox="1825 685 1845 706" type="text" value="+"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Medical

FICA %

Dental

Vision

Workers Comp %

Other

Benefits Allocated to Grant

2 Select whether the employee is hourly or salaried.

3 For **hourly** employees, enter their *hourly rate*.
For **salary** employees, enter their *annual salary*.

Add Update Amounts



Fringe Benefits

Update Amounts

Add Personnel

Title	Hourly/Salary	Rate/Annual Salary	Total Hrs/Wk	Grant Hrs/Wk	# Weeks on Grant	% Time on Grant	Allocated to Grant	Notes
<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="text"/>	Salary ▾	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text" value="91.14"/>			+

? Medical

FICA %

Please Note: Not all employees will be working on the program for the entire program period. Therefore, when adding an employee, the “# Weeks on Grant” should accurately reflect what is appropriate for each staff member.

her ed to Grant

Add

Update Amounts

The system will automatically calculate the amount allocated to the grant based on information entered in the payroll section and here.

Please Note: You are not required to include fringe benefits in your budget, you may leave any or all of these options blank.

1

On the top line of the fringe benefits, enter the **annual premium** for benefits paid as a set rate each month.

Example: Employer pays \$500 per month towards the Medical Insurance for this employee: $\$500 \times 12 \text{ mos.} = \$6,000$ annual premium (enter 6,000 in the Medical box)

<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	Salary ▾	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	91.14							
<input type="checkbox"/> Medical	<input type="text"/>	Dental	<input type="text"/>	Vision	<input type="text"/>	Short Term	<input type="text"/>	Long Term	<input type="text"/>	Life	<input type="text"/>	Other	<input type="text"/>
FICA	<input type="text"/> %	SUTA	<input type="text"/> %	Workers Comp	<input type="text"/> %	Retirement	<input type="text"/> %	Other	<input type="text"/> %	Benefits Allocated to Grant			

2

On the bottom line of fringe benefits, enter the percentage based fringe amount (e.g., FICA = 7.65)

Click "Update Amounts" to calculate totals.



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Fringe Benefits

Update Amounts

Add Personnel

Title



Medical

FICA

 %

SUTA

 %

Workers Comp

 %

Retirement

 %

Other

 %

% Time on
Grant

Amount
Allocated to
Grant

Notes

+

Click on the + under Notes to add the narrative information for each staff member. These notes are for both the personnel and fringe benefits entries. Notes included for each line item should describe the work the employee will be doing related to the NCAI Fund Victim Services Micro-grant Program, any other relevant/clarifying information that may be needed, and necessary information related to fringe that is included in the budget.

Please note: If entering an amount for “Other” in the fringe benefits section, you need to provide information specifically identifying this fringe benefit here.

Supporting documentation verifying fringe rate(s) must be uploaded to the budget for percentage based fringe, with the exception of FICA. (ex: Worker’s Compensation, SUTA, etc.)



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Fringe Benefits

Update Amounts

Add Personnel

Title

Hourly/S



Salary



Medical

Dental

FICA

SUTA

%

Add

Update Amounts

Personnel & Fringe Notes

When adding notes, this is the pop up that will appear. Please enter the necessary narrative information and press “Save and Close” to close the screen and return to the budget entry page.

Notes for

No Notes from National

Save and Close

Delete

Amount
Allocated to
Grant

Amount
Allocated to
Grant

Notes

±

Other

Benefits Allocated to Grant



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Fringe benefits

Update Amounts

Add Personnel

Delete



Do not leave any empty items in the Add box. The system will try to save it for you and it will show up as a line item with a random string of numbers and letters as its title in your budget.

Select these empty line items in the Add box and hit delete **before** saving or moving forward.

Title

Hourly/Salary

Rate/Annual
Salary

Total Hrs/Wk

Grant Hrs/Wk

Weeks on Grant

% Time on
Grant

Amount
Allocated to
Grant

Notes

? Medical

De

ong Term

Life

Other

FICA

%

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ther

%

Benefits Allocated to Grant

Add

Update Amounts



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Salary ▾

0

0

91.14



This notes section is utilized when submitting a request for a budget revision after your budget has been approved. Please leave this blank during the original budget submission.

Term

Life

Other

Benefits Allocated to Grant

Add

Update Amounts

Personnel & Fringe Notes

Reviewer Notes:

No Notes from National

Update Amounts

Save

Next

Total Personnel and Fringe Budget: \$ 0.00

Total Expense Budget: \$ 0.00

Total Budget Amount: \$ 0.00



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Salary ▾

0

0

91.14



? Medical

FICA

 %

1

Click here if you need to add another staff person to your budget and repeat the previous steps.

Short Term

Retirement

 %

Long Term

Other

 %

Life

Other

Benefits Allocated to Grant

Add

Update Amounts

2

Click "Update Amounts" at the bottom of the page to calculate the total Personnel and Fringe amount budgeted

Personnel

3

If you need to step away from entering your budget, you may press "Save" and come back to continue later.

Reviewer Notes:

No Notes from National

4

Once you have entered all of the necessary Personnel and Fringe Benefits expenses, press "Next" to move on to the Expenses section of the budget.

Update Amounts

Save

Next

Total Personnel and Fringe Budget: \$ 0.00

Total Expense Budget: \$ 0.00

Total Budget Amount: \$ 0.00



OVC EXAMPLE ORG 2 GRANT

TOTAL AWARDED: \$75,000.00

Indirect Rate: 10.0%

Procurement Threshold: 3,000

Expenses

Equipment

Item

Rate

Travel

Item

Rate

Update Amounts

Mark Inactive

Delete

If the Indirect Rate has been applied to expenses, the rate from the Personnel and Fringe Benefits page has defaulted to expenses in a read-only format.

Please enter the applicable threshold amount for micro-purchases based on your tribe's Procurement Policies and Procedures.

Add Expenses

Delete

Item	Category	Rate	Quantity	Amount Allocated to Grant	Amount Allocated for Indirect Cost	Notes
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Add Expense

Add Mileage

Update Amounts

Procurement Threshold

- The threshold for micro-purchases must match that outlined in the Tribal Nation/organization's procurement policy.
- Micro-purchases are those for which no competitive solicitation is required if the price is considered reasonable.
- Based upon Uniform Guidance requirements, the micro-purchase threshold must be no greater than \$10,000.
- If your Tribal Nation/organization's micro-purchase threshold is currently less than \$10,000, you can update the policy to match the federal requirement.
- FirstPic, Inc. can assist your Tribal Nation/organization in updating your procurement policy if desired.

Procurement Threshold (cont'd)

- Enter your Tribal Nation/organization's micro-purchase procurement threshold.
- Purchases that exceed your micro-purchase procurement threshold require additional paperwork to document that the procurement process was followed. This paperwork must be submitted with your reimbursement request.
 - Templates are available on the website and in the online reporting site.
- More information on the procurement requirements will be provided during the Financial Online Reporting Training webinar [date/time TBD].

Procurement – Indian Preference

- Federal law allows “Indian Preference” in the procurement process if:
 - Indian Preference is included in the written policies and procedures
 - Preference clauses are incorporated into contracts
 - Indian Preference is referenced in notices and advertisements
- Technical assistance providers can help create or adjust your procurement procedures to meet these requirements if needed. Please reach out to microgrants@ncai.org to request this support.

Tips to consider in drafting your budget

- Will any local or out of the area travel be required? If you are purchasing a vehicle, consider gasoline needs once the vehicle has been acquired.
 - If staff will be using personal vehicles, they can be reimbursed at the federal rate of \$0.56/mile* but must track mileage and purpose through a mileage log.

*This is the current rate for 2021, if this rate changes for 2022, reimbursement amount will be based on the new rate for travel in those years as applicable.
- Consider any service contracts such as cell phone, internet, virtual platforms, etc. A portion of these can be paid by the grant if they are shared across other activities as well.
- Other costs include emergency needs for victims including clothing, transportation, toiletries, etc. Review the allowable costs document to find other expenses that could be considered.

Equipment and Supplies Considerations

Think through all auxiliary equipment and supply needs such as locked cabinets for files and computers, computer software, etc.

Equipment Definition

- The DOJ Grant Financial Guide (3.7 Property Standards, Equipment) defines equipment as tangible personal property (including information technology systems) having:
 - A useful life of more than 1 year
 - A per-unit acquisition cost of \$5,000 or greater (or greater than the organization's capitalization threshold, if it is less than \$5,000)

Supplies Definition

- If the item does not meet the threshold outlined under “Equipment” above, enter it under the Supplies category.

Procurement Contracts and Subawards

Applicants will be allowed to use funds to engage in contracts and/or subawards that assist in achieving the goals of the proposed victim services activities. 2 C.F.R. 200 requires that determination of the nature of the relationship be made based upon the substance of the agreement rather than the form.

If your program will involve contracting or subawarding funds to an outside entity, please mention this to the technical assistance provider and provide appropriate information in your budget so that we can support you in ensuring an adequate procurement and monitoring procedure is planned in advance.

Gift Cards

- High level of scrutiny around the purchase and use of gift cards
 - Generic gift cards (*e.g.*, Visa gift cards) are not allowed.
 - Gift cards and vouchers can only be used for emergency needs. Cannot be used for staff.
 - At the end of the grant, value of unused gift cards must be returned to DOJ.
 - Past audits have questioned the amount of gift cards distributed compared to expected costs, so we recommend that you keep internal documentation to justify the distribution of all disbursements.
- Must comply with internal controls around the distribution and use of these items.
 - Must have a system for tracking distribution that upholds confidentiality.
 - Prior to reimbursement for cards or vouchers, subgrantee shall submit a copy of subgrantee's internal policies and procedures regarding the purchase, storage and disbursement of cards or vouchers to the NCAI Fund and/or its technical assistance providers.
- Limit on amount of outstanding gift cards: \$5,000
 - Documentation showing proof of disbursement is required before reimbursement beyond \$5,000.



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OVC EXAMPLE ORG 2 GRANT

TOTAL AWARDED: \$75,000.00

Indirect Rate: 10.0% Procurement Threshold:

Expenses

Mark Inactive

Delete

Equipment

Item	Rate	Quantity	Amount Allocated to Grant	Amount Allocated for Indirect Cost	Notes
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Travel

Item	Rate	Quantity	Amount Allocated to Grant	Amount Allocated for Indirect Cost	Notes
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Update Amounts

Add Expenses

Delete

Item	Category	Rate	Quantity	Amount Allocated to Grant	Amount Allocated for Indirect Cost	Notes
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Add Expense

Add Mileage

Update Amounts

This is the Expenses page. As with Personnel, you add items and include line item notes. To begin, click "Add Expense"



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TOTAL AWARDED: \$75,000.00

Indirect Rate: 10.0% Procurement Threshold: 3,000

Mark Inactive

Delete

1

Enter the Item name.
Please use a **short** general
descriptive name here.
Additional detailed
information will be
provided in the Notes.
Ex: Vehicle; Office Lease;
Program/Office Supplies;
etc.

2

Select the Item type:

- Travel
- Equipment
- Supplies
- Sub-Awards (Sub-Grants)
- Procurement Contracts
- Consultant Travel
- Other Costs

Add Expenses

Delete

Item

Category

Rate

Quantity

Amount Allocated to Grant Amount Allocated for Indirect Cost Notes

Other Costs

1.00

Add Expense

Add Mileage

Update Amounts



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TOTAL AWARDED: \$75,000.00

1

Enter the rate (\$) per unit. For entries such as "Program/Office Supplies" this will be a lump sum as opposed to a per item amount.

2

Enter the quantity to be purchased. In the case of a lump sum amount, this will be 1.

Indirect Rate: 0.0

Procurement Threshold:

Expenses

Update Amount

Mark Inactive

Delete

Add Expenses

Delete

Item	Category	Rate	Quantity	Amount Allocated to Grant Notes
<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="text"/>	Other Costs ▼	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text" value="1.00"/>	<input type="text" value="+"/>

3

Add notes to explain the item(s) and how it will be used for/related to the program. In the case of a more general line item entry, examples and breakouts of what you plan to purchase are also needed. Notes are required for all line items.

Add Expense

Add Mileage

Update Amounts

Expense Notes



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When adding notes, this is the pop up that will appear. Please enter any necessary notes and press “Save and Close” to close the screen and return to the budget entry page.

Notes for

No Notes from National

Save and Close



Expenses

[Mark Inactive](#)[Delete](#)

Rate = Per Item or Lump Sum Fee
Quantity = Number of items

Item	Rate	Quantity	Amount Allocated to Grant
<input type="checkbox"/> Vehicle	10,000.00	1.00	\$10,000.00

Procurement Contracts

Item	Rate	Quantity	Amount Allocated to Grant
<input type="checkbox"/> Contractor 1	250.00	5.00	\$1,250.00

Supplies

Item	Rate	Quantity	Amount Allocated to Grant
<input type="checkbox"/> Office Supplies	750.00	1.00	\$750.00

Rate = Per Item or Lump Sum Fee
Quantity = Number of items

Rate = Per Hour or Per Session Fee
Quantity = Number of hours or sessions
Clarification for what each represents needs to be included in the notes.

Or this could also just be entered as a lump sum amount for the rate with a quantity of 1 if appropriate for this contractor.



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Add Expenses

Delete

Item	Category	Rate	Quantity	Amount Allocated to Grant Notes
<input type="checkbox"/> Airfare	Travel ▼	500.00	1.00	\$500.00 +

Add Expense

Add Mileage

Update Amounts

Click “Add Expense”
to add a new
expense item.

“Add Mileage” is specifically for
creating a line item to reimburse
for travel by personal vehicle.

The current allowable GSA mileage
rate is \$0.56/mile. This should be
used as the mileage rate unless
your Tribal nation/organization has
a lower rate that is used. If this is
the case, please include a comment
about this in the notes.

Reviewer Notes:

No Notes from National



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Add Expenses

Delete

Item	Category	Rate	Quantity	Amount Allocated to Grant Notes
<input type="checkbox"/> Travel to Purchase Sup	Travel	500.00	1.00	\$500.00 +
<input type="checkbox"/> Mileage	Travel	.575	350	+

Add Expense

Travel via program vehicle – gas reimbursement

The general purpose of the travel needs to be included in the line item notes.

Travel via personal vehicle

The general purpose of the travel needs to be included in the line item notes. All travel by personal vehicle needs to be included in this one line item, with different purposes indicated in the notes if applicable.
Please Note: If using a mileage rate lower than the GSA allowable rate, a comment must be included in the notes. You may not enter a rate higher than the GSA allowable rate.

Expense Notes

Reviewer Notes:

No Notes from National



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Supplies

Item

☐

Office Supplies

Amount Allocated to Grant

\$750.00

Notes

+

Update Amounts

Do not leave any empty items in the Add box. The system will try to save it for you and it will show up as an line item with a random string of numbers and letters as its title in your budget. Select these empty line items in the Add box and hit delete **before** saving or moving forward.

Add Expenses

Delete

Item

☒

Category

Other Costs

Rate

Quantity

1.00

Amount Allocated to Grant Notes

+

Add Expense

Add Mileage

Update Amounts

Expense Notes



OVC EXAMPLE ORG 2 GRANT

TOTAL AMOUNT: \$75,000.00

1

For Sub-Awards and Procurement Contracts, \$25,000 is the maximum amount allowable to apply indirect costs. For your initial budget submission, the “Amount Allocated for Indirect Cost” field for line items in these categories will auto-populate based on the “Amount Allocated to Grant” total up to \$25,000 if you have included indirect costs or the de minimis rate in your budget.

2

The system will automatically populate the amount to be used to calculate indirect costs directly from the “Amount Allocated to Grant” field for line items in categories other than Sub-Awards (Sub-Grants) and Procurement Contracts once you click on “Update Amounts” if you have included indirect costs or the de minimis rate in your budget.

Amount Allocated to Grant
\$30,000.00

Amount Allocated for Indirect Cost
25,000

Amount Allocated to Grant
\$750.00

Amount Allocated for Indirect Cost
\$750.00

Expenses

Equipment

Item

☐ Vehicle

Procurement Contracts

Item

☐ Contractor 1

Rate

30,000.00

Quantity

1.00

Supplies

Item

☐ Office Supplies

Update

Add Expenses

Item

Category

Rate

Quantity

Amount Allocated to Grant

Amount Allocated for Indirect Cost

Notes

Add Expense

Add Mileage

Update Amounts

Delete



Expenses

Mark Inactive Delete

Equipment

Item	Rate	Quantity	Amount Allocated to Grant	Amount Allocated for Indirect Cost	Notes
<input type="checkbox"/> Vehicle	10,000.00	1.00	\$10,000.00	\$1,000.00	+

Procurement Contracts

Item	Rate	Quantity	Amount Allocated to Grant	Amount Allocated for Indirect Cost	Notes
<input type="checkbox"/> Contractor 1	250.00	5.00	\$1,250.00		+

Supplies

Item	Rate	Quantity	Amount Allocated to Grant	Amount Allocated for Indirect Cost	Notes
<input type="checkbox"/> Office Supplies	750.00	1.00	\$750.00	\$75.00	+

Update Amounts

After clicking “Update Amounts”
the online reporting site organizes
the items entered per category



Add Expenses

[Delete](#)

Item	Category	Rate	Quantity	Amount Allocated to Grant	Amount Allocated for Indirect Cost	Notes
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[Add Expense](#)[Add Mileage](#)[Update Amount](#)

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“Indirect Cost Approved” will be automatically updated based on indirect costs submitted and approved in reimbursement requests.

3

“Indirect Cost Remaining” is equal to “Indirect Cost Budgeted” minus “Indirect Cost Approved.”

1 The “Indirect Cost Budgeted” will automatically populate based on information entered in the budget.

Indirect Cost

Indirect Cost Budgeted
\$1,075.00

Indirect Cost Approved
\$0.00

Indirect Cost Remaining
\$1,075.00



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Mileage

Travel

.575

350

Add Expense

Add Mileage

Update Amounts

Expense Notes

This notes section is utilized when submitting a request for a budget revision after your budget has been approved.
No notes should be entered here during the original budget submission.

Reviewer Notes:

No Notes from National

Notes from reviewers will appear here. These might include revisions needed if the budget is sent back for adjustment or corrections.
During your original budget entry, this will be blank.

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☐ Mileage

Travel

.575

350

Add Expense

Add Mileage

Update Amounts

Expense Notes

Reviewer Notes:

No Notes from National

Attachments

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Upload Attachment

Click "Upload Attachment" to
add a document to the budget.

Add Expenses Delete

Item	Category	Rate	Quantity	Amount Allocated to Grant	Amount Allocated for Indirect Cost	Notes
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Add Expense Add Mileage Update Amounts

Expense Notes

Reviewer Notes:
No Notes from National

Indirect Cost

Indirect Cost Budgeted
\$3,575.00

Add New Document

SUTA

Workers Comp

SUTA

Pension



Verification Letter

NICRA

Other

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Select the type of document you are uploading: Workers Comp, SUTA, Pension, Verification Letter, NICRA, or Other.

The specific documents listed are the most common attachments needed here. Other is the catch all for any other document that may be needed



Add Expenses

Delete

Item	Category	Rate	Quantity	Amount Allocated to Grant	Amount Allocated for Indirect Cost	Notes
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Add Expense Add Mileage Update Amounts

Expense Notes

Reviewer Notes:
No Notes from National

Indirect Cost

Indirect Cost Budgeted
\$3,575.00

Indirect Cost Remaining
\$3,575.00

Add New Document

- SUTA
- Workers Comp
- SUTA
- Pension
- Verification Letter
- NICRA
- Other

Close

Save and Close

Upload New Attachment

2 Click "Upload New Attachment"

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Expense Notes

Reviewer Notes:

No Notes from National

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Previous

Update Amount

Review and Submit

Add New Document

File Name:

Choose File No file chosen

File size is limited to 5MB. Please upload PDF's Only

Upload

Close

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You may leave this blank.
If you do choose to enter a name,
please end the name with ".pdf"
as some systems have challenges
opening the file when renamed
without this format label.

2

Click "Choose File" to
select the file to
upload. The file must
be a pdf.

3

Once you have
selected the file,
make sure you
click "Upload."

and Fringe Budget: \$ 0.00
Total Expense Budget: \$ 12,500.00
Total Budget Amount: \$ 12,500.00



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Expense Notes

Reviewer Notes:

No Notes from National

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Review and Submit

Add New Document

Attachment uploaded successfully. Click "Choose File" to upload another attachment, or "Close" if you are finished.

File Name:

Choose File

No file chose

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Upload

Close

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You will receive a confirmation message if your upload was successful.

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If you choose to upload another file at this point, it will come under the same document type (e.g., WC, SUTA, etc.) as the already uploaded file. To upload another document of a different type, you will need to click Close and then Upload Attachment again.

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When you are done, click "Close."





Reviewer Notes:
No Notes from National

If you need to delete an attachment (e.g., uploaded the incorrect document), please contact the finance team member at FirstPic you are working for assistance or email support@firstpic.org.

Indirect Cost


Indirect Cost Budgeted
\$1,075.00


Indirect Cost Approved
\$0.00

Indirect Cost Remaining
\$1,075.00

To view an uploaded file, click on the link for the document under “View Attachment(s).”

Attachments

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 SUTA	

Edit/Upload View Attachment(s)
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Upload Attachment



Reviewer Notes:
No Notes from National

Indirect Cost

Indirect Cost Budgeted
\$1,075.00

Indirect Cost Remaining
\$1,075.00

Attachments

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Previous Update Amounts Save **Review and Submit**

Total Personnel and Fringe Budget: \$ 0.00
Total Expense Budget: \$ 12,000.00
Total Budget Amount: \$ 13,075.00

When you are done, hit “Review and Submit.”
This will take you to a screen where you can review what you have created before final submission.



OVC EXAMPLE ORG 2 GRANT


TOTAL AWARDED: \$75,000.00

Organization: OVC Example Org 2	Date Range: 10/1/2020 - 6/30/2022	Duration: 638.00	Status: Incomplete
Total Budgeted: \$0.00	Requested Amount: \$0.00	Approved Amount: \$0.00	Balance: \$0.00
Indirect Rate: 10.0%	Procurement Threshold: \$0		

Update Budget

NOTE: This budget has not yet been submitted. Please review and click submit.

Submit

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These numbers do not need to match exactly; however, they should be relatively close.

General Notes from National
Reviewer Notes: No Notes from National

View Reimbursements Update Budget Submit

Total Budgeted Amount: \$ 0.00

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General Notes from National

Reviewer Notes:

No Notes from National

If you discover you need to make changes before submitting, scroll to the bottom of the review page and click on “Update Budget.” This will take you to the beginning of the process and you will just click through until you get to whatever it is you need to adjust.

View Reimbursements

Update Budget

Submit

Total Budgeted Amount: \$ 0.00



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OVC Example Org 2



OVC EXAMPLE ORG 2 GRANT

TOTAL AWARDED: \$75,000.00

Organization: OVC Example
Org 2

Date Range: 10/1/2020 -
6/30/2022

Duration: 638.00

Status: Incomplete

Total Budgeted: \$0.00

Requested Amount: \$0.00

Approved Amount: \$0.00

Balance: \$0.00

Indirect Rate: 0.0%

Procurement Threshold:

Update Budget

NOTE: This budget has not yet been submitted. Please review

Once you have everything entered the way you want, you must hit this submit button to complete the process and submit your budget for review.

Submit

Personnel

Title	Hourly/Salary Rate/Salary	Grant Hrs/Wk	Wks on Grant	% on Grant	Amount Allocated	Requested Amount	Approved Amount	Balance	Notes
Staff 1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Salary	0.00	91.14	0.00%		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	

Training and Technical Assistance Webinars 2021

Post-Award

- Financial Online Reporting webinar – Date and Time TBD

This webinar will include:

- Step-by-step instructions for submitting a reimbursement request in the online reporting site;
- Required schedule for submission of requests;
- Required documentation needed when submitting a request;
- Reimbursement request review process;
- Helpful tips for submitting a successful reimbursement request.

- Program Reporting webinar – Date and Time TBD

Questions?

1. Use the questions box on your control panel to submit questions and responses.
2. 'Raise' your hand by clicking the hand icon to signal to be unmuted.

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