



VOCA NATIONAL EMERGENCY  
Mandatory Match Waiver Form  
JULY 1, 2022-JUNE 30, 2023

The VOCA Fix, section 3(b), provides the following: “Beginning on the date a national emergency is declared under the National Emergencies Act (50 U.S.C. § 1601 et seq.) with respect to a pandemic and ending on the date that is one year after the date of the end of such national emergency, SAAs shall issue waivers for any matching requirement, in its entirety, for all eligible crime victim assistance programs contracted to provide services at that time.” 34 U.S.C. 20103(a)(8). The national emergency with respect to the current pandemic began on March 1, 2020 and is ongoing as of September 2021. SAAs **must** issue match waivers during this time. OVC understands “any matching requirement, in its entirety” to mean the entirety of match required in an open VOCA subaward that remains unmet at the time of the waiver (see Sec. II, above).

As a result of this provision in the VOCA fix, all VOCA subgrants issued by the Center for Crime Victim Services issued for the project period of July 1, 2022, to June 30, 2023, must have match requirements waived in their entirety. It is understood that this waiver is only guaranteed for the duration of these subgrants and that programs will be required to support programing with the 20% non-federal match requirement when the emergency period is over.

I understand that our program will be receiving the mandatory match waiver for our VOCA subgrant with the project period 7/1/2022-6/30/2023.

Signed

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