

FY22 Appropriations Request

Labor, Health and Human Services Subcommittee

Family Violence Prevention and Services Act Program (FVPSA)

HHS, Administration on Children and Families

FVPSA is the first and only federal funding stream dedicated to supporting domestic violence shelters. USASpending reports that 61 YWCAs in 28 states have received FVPSA funding in the past five years, which—when combined with local, state, and private investments—supports lifesaving services in safety, childcare, housing, transportation, counseling and more.

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\$182.5M	At least \$225M

** YWCA USA supports the \$489M for gender-based violence to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services proposed in the President's "Skinny Budget". In particular, we support robust FVPSA funding that aligns or exceeds the President's budget requests.*

Child Care Development Block Grant (CCDBG)

HHS, Office of the Administration for Children & Families

The Child Care Development Block Grant is the primary federal grant program that provides child care assistance to families and funds child care support programs and initiatives. YWCAs across the nation have received CCDBG or Child Care Development Fund (CCDF) funds and the support remains critical to their programs.

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\$5.911B	\$14.1B

Commerce, Justice, and Science Subcommittee

Transitional Housing Assistance Grants for Victims

DOJ, Office on Violence Against Women (OVW)

Transitional housing, short-term housing, and related support services are crucial for the safety and stability of survivors and their families. According to OVW, 26 YWCAs in 20 states in the past six years have received \$14.5 million through Transitional Housing Assistance to support their transitional housing, short-term housing, and related support services.

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\$40M	\$50M

** YWCA USA supports the proposed historic investment of \$1 billion in total funding for DOJ Violence Against Women Act programs to help end gender-based violence in the President's "Skinny Budget," which includes transitional housing assistance.*



Transportation, Housing, and Urban Development Subcommittee

Continuum of Care (CoC)

HUD, Office of Community Planning and Development

The HUDExchange reports that, over the past six years, 54 YWCAs from 24 states have used Continuum of Care (CoC) funding to support people experiencing homelessness, including survivors of domestic and sexual violence. In 2018, 10 YWCAs from 8 states across the country received \$4.4 million from the CoC Domestic Violence Bonus Projects program, which was first distributed in 2018, to provide rapid rehousing and other housing options to survivors.

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\$2.569B	\$3.3B for CoC \$75M for Domestic Violence Bonus Projects

Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) Program

HUD, Office of Community Planning and Development

Up to 57% of women experiencing homelessness indicate that domestic violence was the immediate cause. According to USASpending, 46YWCAs from 25 states received at least \$9.4 million over the past six years to support permanent and stable housing and services under this program leading to improved outcomes for women, children, and families.

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\$290M	\$300M

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