

*What Are They Talking About?* Guide to Acronyms for DVSA Funding Allocations

<b>Acronym</b>	<b>Full Name</b>	<b>Explanation</b>
AGSATF	Attorney General's Sexual Assault Task Force	Statewide nonprofit with appointed membership founded in 1999, focuses on developing and supporting effective, consistent & collaborative approach to response to and reduction of adult and adolescent sexual assault in Oregon; administers RPE funding.
ARRA VOCA & VAWA	American Recovery & Reinvestment Act of 2009	Federal <u>one-time</u> "stimulus" funds offered within various federal titles as both formula and discretionary awards to maintain/restore jobs & services.
CFAA/DV& SA	Criminal Fines & Assessments Account / Domestic Violence & Sexual Assault Funds	State funding derived from fines and fees paid by convicted offenders in state courts and administered by DHS.
DHS DV/SA	Department of Human Services Domestic Violence & Sexual Assault Funds	DHS administers 3 kinds of funding to support domestic violence services (CFAA/DV, FVPSA & MLT), as well as CFAA/SA funds.
FVPSA	Family Violence Prevention & Services Act	Federal general fund formula grant program administered by DHS (combined in a single contract with CFAA/DV & MLT).
MLT	Marriage License Surcharge	A portion of each fee paid for a marriage or domestic partnership license goes to DHS to support domestic violence services (the "T" is for "tax" though it's technically a surcharge).
OCADSV	Oregon Coalition Against Domestic & Sexual Violence	Statewide feminist membership-based nonprofit coalition established in 1978 to provide technical assistance, training, public education to local crisis centers & their communities; to engage in systems advocacy; and support multi-disciplinary efforts to develop agency protocols in order to promote recognition of sexual assault and domestic violence, enhance systemic responses to victims & their families, & support innovative approaches to ending domestic and sexual violence.
ODSVS	Oregon Domestic & Sexual Violence Services Fund	State general fund established to provide leadership and funding for a comprehensive response to domestic & sexual violence. Administered by Oregon DOJ.
OFH	Office of Family Health within the Oregon Public Health Division (of DHS)*	The Women's Health Program within this office receives the RPE funding from federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and collaborates in providing leadership in statewide prevention efforts.
OVC	Office for Victims of Crime	The Office for Victims of Crime (OVC) was established by the 1984 Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) to oversee diverse programs

***What Are They Talking About?*** Guide to Acronyms for DVSA Funding Allocations

<b>Acronym</b>	<b>Full Name</b>	<b>Explanation</b>
		that benefit victims of crime. OVC provides substantial funding to state victim assistance and compensation programs-the lifeline services that help victims to heal. The agency supports trainings designed to educate criminal justice and allied professionals regarding the rights and needs of crime victims. OVC also sponsors an annual event in April to commemorate National Crime Victims' Rights Week.
OVW	Office of Violence Against Women	One of the Office of Justice Programs, OVW was established in 2004 to coordinate with other departments, agencies, and offices regarding all activities authorized or undertaken under the Violence Against Women Act.
RPE	Rape Prevention & Education Program	Federal formula grant program authorized in VAWA (2000) that comes through the federal Center for Disease Control (CDC) to the Women's Health Program of Oregon Office of Family Health in Oregon to the AGSATF, which subgrants to programs for primary prevention projects. The current 5-year RPE award cycle is in its final year and an RFP for a new cycle to begin 10/10 is currently open.
SASP	Sexual Assault Services Program	One of the VAWA "titles", this formula grant is about to begin funding direct services projects. A RFA is currently open.
STOP VAWA	Services*Training* Officers *Prosecution VAWA Formula Grant Program	One of the VAWA "titles", this population-based formula grant program is administered in Oregon by DOJ to encourage the development and strengthening of effective law enforcement, prosecution, and judicial strategies to end violent crimes against women and the development and strengthening of victim services in cases involving crimes against women.
VAWA	Violence Against Women Act	Comprehensive federal legislation first passed in 1994 and periodically reauthorized, provides a legal framework and funding in support of a comprehensive response to violence against women. Specific VAWA titles (sections) address safety for Indian women, for battered & trafficked immigrant women, health care response, prevention and economic security/workplace response. Grant programs authorized in VAWA include STOP VAWA, RPE & FVPSA.
VOCA	Victims of Crime Act	Federal formula grant program funding collected from fines and fees paid by convicted offenders in federal court, supports services to victims of all crimes, including domestic violence and sexual assault.

\* The Public Health Division is in transition to become part of the Oregon Health Authority.