

Justice for Families Project

Warren and Washington Counties, NY

Catholic Charities' Domestic Violence Project (DVP) of Warren &
Washington Counties – lead agency

Warren and Washington Counties Family Courts

Legal Aid Society of Northeastern NY (LASNNY)

Justice for Families (JFF) is a funding program of the U.S. Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women (OVW)

Purpose of Justice for Families program

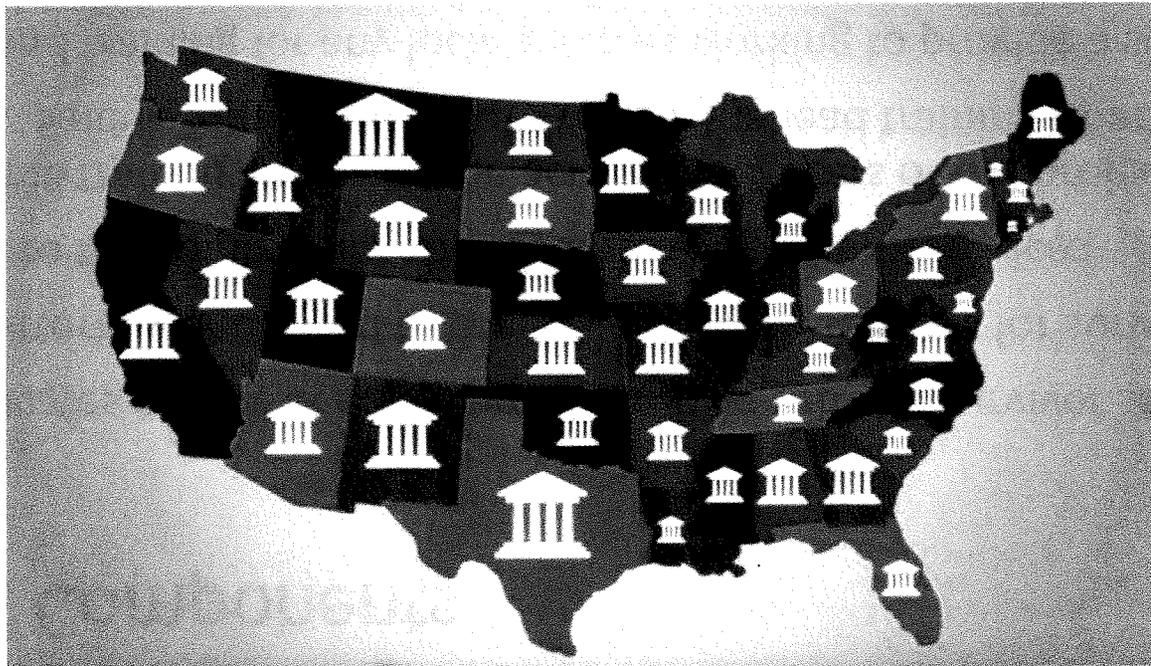
To improve the response of all aspects of the civil and criminal justice system to families that have experienced **domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking**, or in cases involving allegations of child sexual abuse.

To help families, JFF funds projects that offer a coordinated approach to **court-based and court-related programs, civil legal services, training, and supervised visitation.**

JFF is a court-focused funding program

- **Applicants must include a court, and a domestic violence or sexual assault victim service provider**
- Either entity can be the lead applicant; the other entity must be a project partner

Justice for Families, in the United States



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Warren & Washington Counties: Justice for Families Project Components

- DVP advocates on-site at each Family Court to provide survivor services
- LASNNY attorney dedicated to project: civil legal services for survivors
- Outreach to the community about survivor rights and services
- Professional training for everyone across the 3 years of the project, as well as coaching. Safe & Together Institute will be the lead training/coaching provider.
- Support and training for any local services working to provide a supervised visitation/exchange service to the courts
- In all components, a special emphasis on reaching underserved rural survivors

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