Missing and Exploited Children Program
Performance Measures Definitions and Questions

OUTPUTS	DEFINITIONS	QUESTIONS
Training and Technical Assistance		
1. Number of training events held **(OJJDP Overall)**	Training refers to in-person or virtual teaching and learning activities, including planning, curriculum development, and delivery, aimed to help individuals apply the knowledge, skills, and attitudes needed by a task, job, or organization. Training event(s) are planned activities that are delivered to help individuals apply knowledge, skills, and attitudes needed by a task, job, or organization. Training events include both train-the-trainer and training of individuals. Training request(s) are any formal or informal inquiries for learning activities, curriculum development, and delivery, for a group of individuals or organizations.	A. Number of training requests received B. Number of training events held
2. Number of individuals trained (population trained) **(OJJDP Overall)**	Number of individuals who attended a training event.	A. Number of individuals trained B. Population trained
3. Percentage of technical assistance requests delivered **(OJJDP Overall)**	Technical assistance refers to development, dissemination, and delivery of specialized knowledge or expertise to an organization or group of individuals to address a problem, for the purpose of informing policy, procedure, or practice.	A. Number of technical assistance requests accepted B. Number of technical assistance requests delivered by type

OUTCOMES	DEFINITIONS	QUESTIONS
Training and Technical Assistance		
4. Percentage of training participants who reported they applied training knowledge or skills within 6 months of attending a training **(Multi-Program)**	Number of individuals who reported they used the knowledge or skills learned at a training event within 6 months of attending the training, as determined by a post-survey.	A. Number of individuals that used the skills or knowledge learned at a training within 6 months of attending the training
5. Percentage of organizations who employed a new evidence-based or promising service, policy, or practice recommended by a technical assistance provider **(OJJDP Overall)**	Number of organizations who reported employing a new evidence-based or promising service, policy, or practice as a result of receiving technical assistance. A program is a specific set of activities carried out according to guidelines to achieve a defined purpose. The results apply to the exact set of activities and procedures used for that one program as it was implemented at the time of evaluation. A program profile can answer: Did the ABC Mentoring Program in X Town, USA, achieve its goals? A practice is defined as evidence-based when meta-analyses of experimental or quasi-experimental designs assess the average effectiveness of the practice on various outcomes across several studies. The practice must have the highest quality of evidence with a statistically significant average effect size favoring the practice. A practice is a general category of programs, strategies, or procedures that share similar characteristics about the issues they address and how they address them. A single evidence rating is given for each outcome affected by the practice. A practice profile can answer: Does mentoring usually achieve its goals? Evidence-based programs can come from various valid sources (e.g., OJJDP Model Programs Guide, Blueprints for Violence Prevention, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration's National Registry of Evidence-Based Programs and Practices, Office of Justice Programs' CrimeSolutions.gov, and state model program resources).	A. Number of organizations received technical assistance B. Number of organizations that employed a new evidence-based or promising service, policy, or practice after receiving technical assistance