

# Connecting With the Field

## Fiscal Year 2019 Highlights

In fiscal year 2019, the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP) provided timely and reliable information to help juvenile justice practitioners prevent and respond to delinquency and child victimization. Connecting with the field ensures that vital information and resources reach the people who are working to make a difference in the lives of youth.

Select training and technical assistance and communications efforts are highlighted below. For more information, visit [ojjdp.ojp.gov](http://ojjdp.ojp.gov).

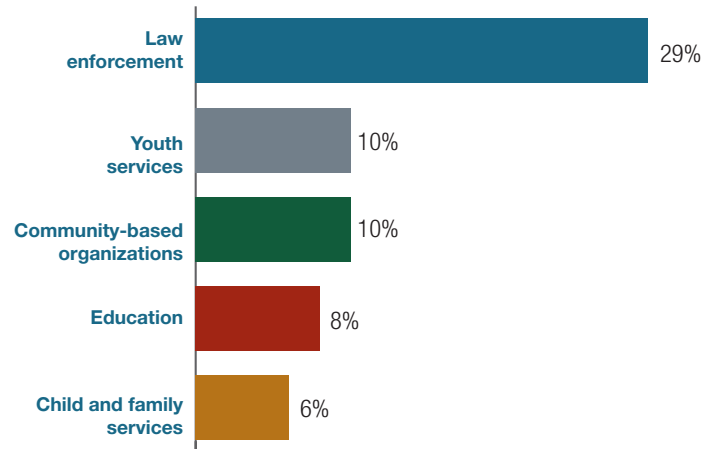


### Training and Technical Assistance

In fiscal year 2019—

- OJJDP received 1,836 requests for training and technical assistance via TTA360, OJJDP's user-friendly online request system. Each of the 50 states submitted requests, as did the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, and Guam.
- The three most requested training and technical assistance topics were mentoring (41 percent), child safety (28 percent), and youth and family engagement (16 percent).
- OJJDP delivered 894 trainings, including 279 webinars. More than 13,500 professionals participated in the webinars, which were designed to keep researchers, practitioners, and policymakers up to date on trends in the field.

### Top Five Requesting Entities

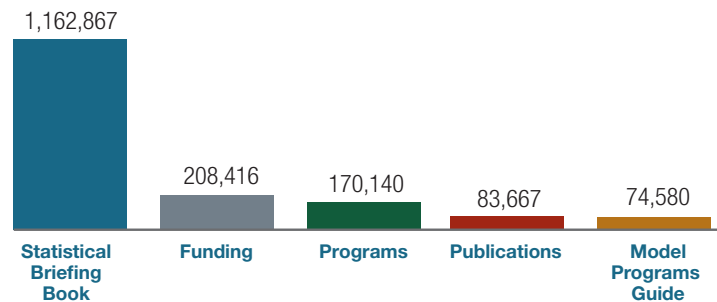


### Digital Outreach

In fiscal year 2019—

- More than 25,643 juvenile justice and child protection professionals were subscribed to *OJJDP News @ a Glance*, the Office's award-winning e-newsletter.
- OJJDP shared up-to-date information with its 6,478 Twitter and 5,249 Facebook followers.
- Approximately 21,100 subscribers received e-mails through OJJDP's JUVJUST listserv with announcements of publications, research findings, funding opportunities, and upcoming events.

### Topics of Interest to OJJDP's Constituents, by Webpage Views



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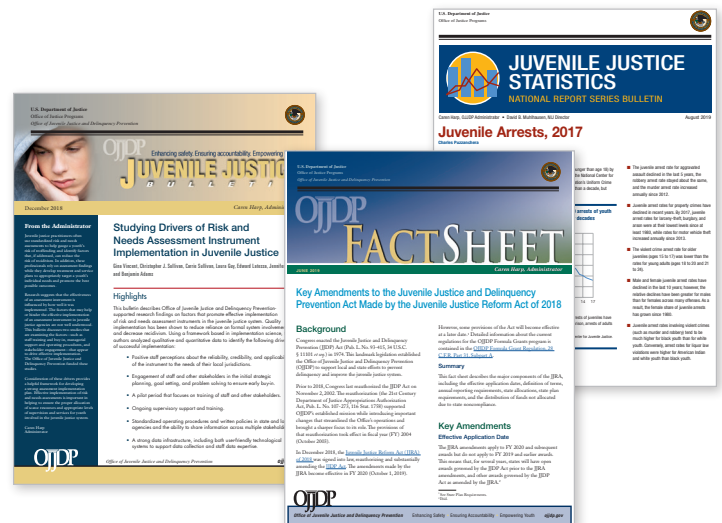
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### Communications Releases

In fiscal year 2019, OJJDP—

- Released six issues of the *OJJDP News @ a Glance* e-newsletter, along with the following publications:
  - » *Key Amendments to the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act Made by the Juvenile Justice Reform Act of 2018* (Fact Sheet)
  - » *Implementation of the Ashlynnne Mike AMBER Alert in Indian Country Act of 2018: A Report to Congress* (Report)
  - » *Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention: 2018 Annual Report* (Report)
  - » *AMBER Alert Field Guide for Law Enforcement Officers* (Report)
  - » *AMBER Alert Best Practices Guide, Second Edition* (Report)
  - » *Studying Drivers of Risk and Needs Assessment Instrument Implementation in Juvenile Justice* (Bulletin)
  - » *Girls in the Juvenile Justice System* (Bulletin)
  - » *Delinquency Cases in Juvenile Court, 2017* (Fact Sheet)
  - » *Juvenile Arrests, 2017* (Bulletin)
  - » *Juvenile Residential Facility Census 2016: Selected Findings* (Bulletin)
- Issued data snapshots—visually compelling, one-page research highlights—on:
  - » Characteristics and Trends of Youth Victims of Suicide and Homicide
  - » Characteristics and Trends of Delinquency Cases Resulting in Probation
  - » Characteristics of Cases Judicially Waived from Juvenile to Criminal Court
  - » Trends and Characteristics of Youth in Residential Placement, 2017
  - » Characteristics of Delinquency Cases Handled in Juvenile Court in 2017
  - » Arrest Characteristics of Older Juveniles and Young Adults
- Posted the following blogs:
  - » Visiting Our Partners at the National Center for Missing & Exploited Children
  - » Partnering to Support Families, Safeguard Children
  - » Parents, School Staff Should Look for Signs of Bullying Among Youth
  - » OJJDP Provides Second Chance Resources for Youth, Communities



### Achievements in Communications

In fiscal year 2019, OJJDP received—

- Two Awards for Publications Excellence from Communications Concepts, Inc.
- A Communicator award from the Academy of Interactive & Visual Arts.