



**Performance Note**  
**HB0177 - Trauma-informed**  
**Justice Provisions**  
Sponsor: Rep. Ivory, Ken



Performance Note Report

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Funding For:

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New Services or Benefit

Public Benefit:

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**Purpose:** The purpose of this bill is to require the Commission on Criminal and Juvenile Justice (CCJJ) to study trauma informed response for the criminal and juvenile justice system, and issue a report by September 2019. In addition, the bill requires CCJJ to manage a performance incentive grant program to assist victims participating in the process of the Board of Pardons and Parole and the Department of Corrections release plans.

**Services:** Funds will be provided for victim assistance to public or private entities to provide victim advocacy at the Board of Pardons and Parole and the Department of Corrections. CCJJ will provide recommendation to assure a trauma approach across the criminal and juvenile justice system.

**Expected Outcome:** Approximately 2,000 crime victims per year will be provided assistance and support. CCJJ will provide evidence based recommendations to assure trauma informed polices across the criminal and juvenile justice system.

**Implementations and Resources:** CCJJ will report no later than September 2019 to the interim Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice Committee regarding the performance incentive grants and the committee's activities. The report will study and evaluate policies and procedures that reduce crime. In addition the report will make recommendations for funding, legislation, and fiscal impact.

**How:** Victims will receive victim advocacy at Board of Pardons and Parole hearings, release, and parole processes. CCJJ will work with existing stakeholders to provide recommendations and best practices across the criminal and juvenile justice systems.

Performance Measures

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## Goal

Title: Increase victim support at the Board of Pardons and Parole.

Description: Implement a performance incentive grant program which allows additional service and support for victims.

Collection Method: CCJJ will require quarterly reporting on the number of victims served, and the type and number of services provided by the subgrantees. Targets and benchmarks would need to be established in the grant application.

	2018	2019	2020
Target	0.00	0.00	0.00
Baseline	0.00	0.00	0.00

## Goal

Title: Increase trauma informed awareness across the criminal and juvenile justice systems.

Description: CCJJ will review and evaluate policies, best practices, and requirements for improved trauma informed awareness and processes across the criminal and juvenile justice systems.

Collection Method: Information will be gathered from stakeholders to identify current policies, best practices, and requirements for improved trauma informed awareness and processes across the criminal and juvenile justice systems. This information will be compared to current evidence based practices in Utah and surrounding states. Once this information is developed appropriate targets and benchmarks will be established and tracked to show progress on this goal.

	2018	2019	2020
Target	0.00	0.00	0.00
Baseline	0.00	0.00	0.00

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