

Funding and Sustaining Your SAVIN Program in Difficult Economic Times

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Many SAVIN programs have found creative approaches to secure ongoing funding and sustain their efforts. Information gathered in surveys and field interviews found some states have adopted laws that fund SAVIN through line items and fees on certain crime convictions and are using Justice Reinvestment savings, joint agency contributions, and other strategies to support ongoing funding and program enhancements. Key components to maintain support and program effectiveness over time include the involvement of key stakeholders in the governance structure and strong leadership.

Presenters

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