Sexual Assault Services Program Design Consultation

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Overview

- ▶ Budget 2022 announced stable, ongoing annual funding for SAS programs in the province. This program will replace the Emergency Sexual Assault Services (ESAS) Grant program.
- Ministry staff are working to establish a program service description and a procurement process for the new, ongoing programs to be funded beginning April 2023 following the end of the ESAS grant program funding.
- ► These engagement sessions include General and Indigenous Stream Grant Recipients and victim service/violence against women service providers.

What types of services should be offered by the program?



What does a **sustainable program** look like?



What can we do differently in this **procurement**?



What **lessons** we should apply to this program?





Incorporate feedback into draft program and procurement design



Stakeholder Survey circulated with additional questions and opportunity to indicate interest in the program



Follow-up engagement sessions for presentation of draft program designs in late July/August



Procurement Webinars with details on the procurement process and optional "Procurement 101" sessions

Next Steps

For the latest updates and contact information please visit:

https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/justic e/criminal-justice/victims-of-crime/serviceproviders/procurement