

Fund for Veterans' Assistance

Electronic Grant Management System (EGMS) – Webinar #2

**Improvements Coming
for 23-24 Grantees**



Welcome!

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Texas Veterans**



Purpose & Agenda

Purpose: Announce a change to our Grant Management System.

Agenda:

1. A new software experience
2. When will the change take place?
3. What will be the impact to current grant operations?
4. What can TVC grantees do to prepare?
5. Training Webinars & User Guides



New Grant Management Software

1. New User Experience
2. Intuitive and Logical
3. Simplified Application and Project Budget Development
4. Multiple Users – One Organization
5. Combine monthly reimbursement requests with progress reports
6. Beneficiary data
7. Line by line expenses in the software
8. Invoice & Proof of Payment attach to each expense line



When Will the Change Take Place?

1. Change applies to the 2023-2024 grant cycle
2. Application portal opens for 2023-2024 Grants on or after
9/22/2022 – open for 60 days
3. All current grantees REQUIRED to register an account and submit a grant application for 23-24 in new system during the application window – regardless of your status this year (Awarded or Renewed Grant)



Everyone Applies for Grant for 23-24

Current "Tracks" for Grant Awards used for May 2022

RENEWAL TRACK: Grantee was awarded a grant in May 2021 based on their application, and met renewal criteria – DID NOT APPLY for 2022-2023 grant

AWARD TRACK: Grantee was not eligible for renewal. – MUST SUBMIT APPLICATION for 2022-2023 grant. Awarded in May 2022.

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DISREGARD – TOO CONFUSING



Renewed Grants

Renewed Grantees must apply for a Grant for 23-24

These **39 Grantees** who had grants in 2021-2022 were renewed by the Commission in May 2022 for one additional year.

Per the RFA, a grantee that meets renewal criteria may be renewed one time for one additional year.

These organizations must apply for a grant for the 2023-2024 grant period because they cannot be renewed a second time.

Grant Category	Award Method	Application or Grant ID	Applicant Organization Name	Service Category	Awarded Amount
GA	Renew	GT-FVA21-007	Citizens Development Center dba Achieve	Employment Support	\$ 200,000
GA	Renew	GT-FVA21-031	Goodwill Industries of South Texas	Employment Support	\$ 100,000
GA	Renew	GT-FVA21-028	NPower Inc.	Employment Support	\$ 300,000
GA	Renew	AP-FVA-21-007	Central Texas Opportunities, Inc.	Financial Assistance	\$ 300,000
GA	Renew	GT-FVA21-052	City of Fort Worth	Financial Assistance	\$ 200,000
GA	Renew	GT-FVA21-014	CLC, Inc.	Financial Assistance	\$ 500,000
GA	Renew	GT-FVA21-037	Concho Valley Ctr for Human Advancement	Financial Assistance	\$ 300,000
GA	Renew	GT-FVA21-038	Family Svc Ctr of Houston and Harris County	Financial Assistance	\$ 300,000
GA	Renew	GT-FVA21-053	Hidalgo County Community Svc Agency	Financial Assistance	\$ 300,000
GA	Renew	GT-FVA21-061	Northwest Assistance Ministries	Financial Assistance	\$ 200,000
GA	Renew	GT-FVA21-066	Pecan Valley MHMR Region	Financial Assistance	\$ 300,000
GA	Renew	GT-FVA21-067	Rolling Plains Management Corporation	Financial Assistance	\$ 300,000
GA	Renew	GT-FVA21-060	Texas National Guard Family Support Found	Financial Assistance	\$ 200,000
GA	Renew	GT-FVA21-059	Texas VFW Foundation	Financial Assistance	\$ 300,000
GA	Renew	GT-FVA21-019	Family Eldercare	Homeless Veterans Support	\$ 100,000
GA	Renew	GT-FVA21-058	U.G.M. of Dallas	Homeless Veterans Support	\$ 100,000
GA	Renew	GT-FVA21-057	United States Veterans Initiative (U.S.VETS)	Homeless Veterans Support	\$ 250,000
GA	Renew	GT-FVA21-029	Lone Star Legal Aid	Pro Bono Legal Services	\$ 300,000
GA	Renew	GT-FVA21-013	Big Brothers Big Sisters Lone Star	Supportive Services	\$ 100,000
GA	Renew	GT-FVA21-020	Ft Bend Seniors Meals on Wheels & Much More	Supportive Services	\$ 200,000
GA	Renew	GT-FVA21-030	Hale County Meals on Wheels	Supportive Services	\$ 75,000
GA	Renew	GT-FVA21-016	Sabine Valley Regional MHMR Center	Supportive Services	\$ 50,000
GA	Renew	GT-FVA21-027	YWCA El Paso del Norte Region	Supportive Services	\$ 250,000
GA	Renew	GT-FVA21-051	Ark-Tex COG	Transportation Prog & Svcs	\$ 5,000
GA	Renew	GT-FVA21-034	East Texas Council of Governments	Transportation Prog & Svcs	\$ 100,000
HTX	Renew	GT-HTX21-009	Meals On Wheels, Inc. of Tarrant County	Home Modification	\$ 200,000
HTX	Renew	GT-HTX21-007	Rebuilding Together Austin	Home Modification	\$ 200,000
HTX	Renew	GT-HTX21-008	Rebuilding Together Houston	Home Modification	\$ 500,000
VCSO	Renew	GT-VSQ21-010	Cameron County	Financial Assistance	\$ 200,000
VCSO	Renew	GT-VSQ21-004	El Paso County	Financial Assistance	\$ 300,000
VCSO	Renew	GT-VSQ21-000	Harris County	Financial Assistance	\$ 300,000
VCSO	Renew	GT-VSQ21-002	Bell County	Financial Assistance	\$ 300,000
VMH	Renew	GT-VMH21-002	22Kill	Clinical Counseling	\$ 200,000
VMH	Renew	GT-VMH21-027	Equest	Clinical Counseling	\$ 75,000
VMH	Renew	GT-VMH21-015	Jake Es Riding Round Up	Clinical Counseling	\$ 75,000
VMH	Renew	GT-VMH21-014	Pecan Valley MHMR Region	Clinical Counseling	\$ 150,000
VMH	Renew	GT-VMH21-020	US Veterans Initiative (U.S.VETS)	Clinical Counseling	\$ 150,000
VTC	Renew	GT-VTC21-018	El Paso County	Veteran Treatment Court	\$ 300,000
VTC	Renew	GT-VTC21-009	Guadalupe County	Veteran Treatment Court	\$ 100,000
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Awarded Grant Applicants

Grant Applicants that were awarded last May must apply for a Grant for 23-24

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NEW SYSTEM: Even though these 96 grantees are ineligible to apply for a new grant, they can create a “cloned application” in the new EGMS system during the application period. The application will not be included in the application review process. But if the organization meets the renewal criteria, FVA has developed a “bypass” function to allow FVA to activate the cloned application as a renewed grant.

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GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-026	Goodwill Central Texas	Employment Support	\$ 150,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-081	TBI Warrior Foundation	Employment Support	\$ 150,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-055	Bring Everyone In The Zone, Inc.	Financial Assistance	\$ 150,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-019	Caritas of Austin	Financial Assistance	\$ 75,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-069	Caritas of Waco	Financial Assistance	\$ 200,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-016	Catholic Charities of Central Texas	Financial Assistance	\$ 300,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-034	City of Laredo	Financial Assistance	\$ 75,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-009	Community Council of South Central Texas	Financial Assistance	\$ 150,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-115	Easter Seals of Greater Houston, Inc.	Financial Assistance	\$ 150,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-062	Fort Bend County	Financial Assistance	\$ 300,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-083	Grace After Fire	Financial Assistance	\$ 150,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-084	Hope For The Warriors	Financial Assistance	\$ 250,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-110	Houston Area Urban League	Financial Assistance	\$ 300,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-047	Katy Christian Ministries	Financial Assistance	\$ 200,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-108	Nueces County	Financial Assistance	\$ 150,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-088	Panhandle Community Services	Financial Assistance	\$ 300,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-113	Project Amistad	Financial Assistance	\$ 300,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-109	The Salvation Army - Lufkin	Financial Assistance	\$ 100,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-020	The Salvation Army - Grayson County	Financial Assistance	\$ 100,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-022	The Salvation Army - San Antonio	Financial Assistance	\$ 300,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-029	Tropical Texas Behavioral Health	Financial Assistance	\$ 300,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-039	United Way of Denton County	Financial Assistance	\$ 300,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-021	Veterans Center of North Texas	Financial Assistance	\$ 150,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-092	Volunteers of America Texas	Financial Assistance	\$ 200,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-018	Alliance of Border Collaboratives	Homeless Veterans Support	\$ 200,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-076	Families In Crisis, Inc.	Homeless Veterans Support	\$ 300,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-053	Family Endeavors Inc. dba Endeavors	Homeless Veterans Support	\$ 300,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-101	Foundation Communities Inc	Homeless Veterans Support	\$ 200,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-024	San Antonio Metropolitan Ministry	Homeless Veterans Support	\$ 300,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-102	The Salvation Army - Corpus Christi	Homeless Veterans Support	\$ 300,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-091	The Salvation Army - El Paso	Homeless Veterans Support	\$ 200,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-067	The Salvation Army - Waco	Homeless Veterans Support	\$ 200,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-089	Houston Volunteer Lawyers Program, Inc.	Pro Bono Legal Services	\$ 150,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-063	LiftFund Inc.	Small Business Support (NEW)	\$ 200,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-106	Big Brothers Big Sisters of South TX	Supportive Services	\$ 50,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-030	Communities In Schools of Greater CEN TX	Supportive Services	\$ 300,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-098	Honor Veterans Now	Supportive Services	\$ 500,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-046	Interfaith Ministries for Greater Houston	Supportive Services	\$ 250,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-001	Meals on Wheels Montgomery County	Supportive Services	\$ 300,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-028	Meals on Wheels San Antonio	Supportive Services	\$ 300,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-010	Meals On Wheels, Inc. of Tarrant County	Supportive Services	\$ 300,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-023	Operation Homefront, Inc.	Supportive Services	\$ 100,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-086	Burnet County	Transportation Programs & Svcs	\$ 75,000
GA	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-068	SPAN, Inc.	Transportation Programs & Svcs	\$ 20,000



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HTX	Awarded	AP-HTX-22-010	City of Laredo	Home Modification	\$ 300,000
HTX	Awarded	AP-HTX-22-017	Easterseals Central Texas	Home Modification	\$ 500,000
HTX	Awarded	AP-HTX-22-022	Golden Crescent Habitat for Humanity	Home Modification	\$ 200,000
HTX	Awarded	AP-HTX-22-021	Habitat for Humanity of Greater Garland	Home Modification	\$ 500,000
HTX	Awarded	AP-HTX-22-001	Habitat for Humanity of Smith County	Home Modification	\$ 200,000
HTX	Awarded	AP-HTX-22-016	Interfaith Action of Central Texas	Home Modification	\$ 300,000
HTX	Awarded	AP-HTX-22-019	Meals on Wheels Central Texas	Home Modification	\$ 500,000
HTX	Awarded	AP-HTX-22-024	Meals on Wheels San Antonio	Home Modification	\$ 150,000
HTX	Awarded	AP-HTX-22-003	Northeast Texas Habitat for Humanity	Home Modification	\$ 200,000
HTX	Awarded	AP-HTX-22-002	Operation FINALLY HOME	Home Modification	\$ 500,000
HTX	Awarded	AP-HTX-22-004	Panhandle Community Services	Home Modification	\$ 500,000
HTX	Awarded	AP-HTX-22-009	Rolling Plains Management Corporation	Home Modification	\$ 300,000
HTX	Awarded	AP-HTX-22-012	Rusted and Weathered, Inc.	Home Modification	\$ 30,000
HTX	Awarded	AP-HTX-22-006	The Fort Hood Area Habitat for Humanity	Home Modification	\$ 250,000
VCSO	Awarded	AP-VSO-22-010	Hays County	Financial Assistance	\$ 150,000
VCSO	Awarded	AP-FVA-22-037	Hidalgo County <i>(was submitted as a GA grant)</i>	Financial Assistance	\$ 300,000
VCSO	Awarded	AP-VSO-22-002	Liberty County	Financial Assistance	\$ 50,000
VCSO	Awarded	AP-VSO-22-007	Willacy County	Financial Assistance	\$ 300,000
VCSO	Awarded	AP-VSO-22-012	Zapata County	Financial Assistance	\$ 150,000
VCSO	Awarded	AP-VSO-22-008	Val Verde County	Transportation Programs & Svcs	\$ 75,000
VCSO	Awarded	AP-VSO-22-004	Webb Count	Transportation Programs & Svcs	\$ 150,000



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VMH	Awarded	AP-VMH-22-023	Canikor Foundation	Clinical Counseling	\$ 300,000
VMH	Awarded	AP-VMH-22-003	Collin County	Clinical Counseling	\$ 300,000
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VMH	Awarded	AP-VMH-22-013	Refuge Services, Inc	Clinical Counseling	\$ 200,000
VMH	Awarded	AP-VMH-22-028	Rock, Ride on Center for Kids	Clinical Counseling	\$ 100,000
VMH	Awarded	AP-VMH-22-014	Samaritan Center for Counseling & Pastoral Care	Clinical Counseling	\$ 500,000
VMH	Awarded	AP-VMH-22-007	West Texas Counseling & Guidance	Clinical Counseling	\$ 500,000
VMH	Awarded	AP-VMH-22-032	Armstrong Community Music School	Peer Support Services	\$ 30,000
VMH	Awarded	AP-VMH-22-011	Caritas of Austin	Peer Support Services	\$ 50,000
VMH	Awarded	AP-VMH-22-033	Grace After Fire	Peer Support Services	\$ 100,000
VMH	Awarded	AP-VMH-22-037	Marriage Management Consultants	Peer Support Services	\$ 150,000
VMH	Awarded	AP-VMH-22-041	South TX Afghan Iraq Vet Association (STAIVA)	Peer Support Services	\$ 50,000
VTC	Awarded	AP-VTC-22-002	Bexar County Felony VTC	Veterans Treatment Court	\$ 75,000
VTC	Awarded	AP-VTC-22-003	Bexar County Misdemeanor VTC	Veterans Treatment Court	\$ 500,000
VTC	Awarded	AP-VTC-22-016	City of Dallas	Veterans Treatment Court	\$ 50,000
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VTC	Awarded	AP-VTC-22-007	Comal County	Veterans Treatment Court	\$ 150,000
VTC	Awarded	AP-VTC-22-004	Dallas County CSCD	Veterans Treatment Court	\$ 500,000
VTC	Awarded	AP-VTC-22-009	Galveston County	Veterans Treatment Court	\$ 250,000
VTC	Awarded	AP-VTC-22-011	Hays County	Veterans Treatment Court	\$ 300,000
VTC	Awarded	AP-VTC-22-014	Montgomery County VTC	Veterans Treatment Court	\$ 200,000
VTC	Awarded	AP-VTC-22-015	Nueces County	Veterans Treatment Court	\$ 200,000
VTC	Awarded	AP-VTC-22-012	Tarrant County	Veterans Treatment Court	\$ 300,000
VTC	Awarded	AP-VTC-22-008	Travis County	Veterans Treatment Court	\$ 50,000
VTC	Awarded	AP-VTC-22-001	Webb County 406th District Ct	Veterans Treatment Court	\$ 300,000
VTC	Awarded	AP-VTC-22-006	Williamson County	Veterans Treatment Court	\$ 30,000
	96			96	\$ 22,560,000



Scenarios – 96 Awarded Grantees Seeking Renewal

1. Awarded Grantee wants to create a “cloned application” but for a different total amount. – **Will not be considered.**
2. Awarded Grantee wants to create a “cloned application” but for a different service category. – **Will not be considered.**
3. Awarded Grantee wants to create a “cloned application” but for grant that is on renewal track - but wants to apply for a SECOND GRANT in a different program.
4. Awarded Grantee wants to create a “cloned application” but wants to change the budget (more staff, more salary, more client services, less other direct, etc). AMENDMENT
5. Awarded Grantee wants to create a “cloned application” but wants to add/subtract counties to be served, or veteran discharge statues, or add/remove dependents & surviving spouses. AMENDMENT



What Will be the Impact?

1. No impact to current (2022-2023) grantee operations. Monthly PRRs, monthly progress reports, and quarterly outcome measures will still be completed and submitted via the current method.
2. At the end of this grant year, CLOSEOUT must complete by the deadline (August 31, 2023) because transactions cannot be performed in the current system after August 31st.



How to Prepare?

1. The new system is designed to have specific “moderators” for each organization. The moderator is essentially an account administrator, who will have the ability to add additional users from the organization.
2. To prepare for your account registration, identify who within your organization will serve as the primary and secondary moderator.
3. Your moderator will be the person who:
 - Initiates the registration IN THE NEW SYSTEM for your organization (the **FIRST PERSON**)
 - Completes your organization’s registration and ensures the organizational profile information is correct
 - Identifies/creates additional users for your organization – such as finance staff, signature authority, grant writers, and contracted persons assisting with the creation of your application.
 - Creates the application based on the opportunity – grant program and service category



Training Webinars & User Guides

1. Recorded webinar(s) will be posted on FVA website when we open the application portal.
2. FVA working with system engineers to develop FAQs in new system that are accessible AFTER you log in.

The background features a large, light blue watermark of the Texas Veterans Commission logo. The logo is circular and contains the text "FUND FOR VETERANS' ASSISTANCE" at the top, "TEXAS VETERANS COMMISSION" in the center, and "Veterans Start Here" at the bottom. In the center of the logo is a stylized figure of a person walking, with a red star above it and two smaller red stars on either side.

Thank You for Joining

Next Webinar: September 7, 2022

Questions?

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