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Highlight: Kiran supports South Asian victims of domestic violence

Kiran is a non profit organization with the mission to end the cycle of domestic abuse and to serve and empower South Asian victims of domestic violence in North Carolina by providing culturally specific services and comprehensive economic, social and community resources. They currently work with clients from Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Maldives, Myanmar, Nepal, Pakistan and Sri Lanka. Kiran's services include a 24-hour crisis hotline, client advocacy, crisis counseling, safety planning, support groups, resource referrals, secondary family services and translation assistance. Kiran partners with local agencies that share a goal to offer comprehensive services for clients and the local community. Last year, Kiran served a record high of 174 in-person clients and answered 3,746 crisis calls.



Through the Violence Against Women Act funding, Kiran is able to engage in outreach and provide cultural sensitivity trainings and services. On August II, they will hold their annual Kiran Bazaar in Morrisville. Local clothing, jewelry and food vendors sell products at the Bazaar in support of this organization as they serve the South Asian community and strengthen their outreach efforts. Visit their <u>website</u> for more information.



Check out CJAC Publications

The Criminal Justice Analysis Center regularly posts <u>publications</u>. Recent releases include analysis about the number of law enforcement officers, the clearance rate of reported crimes and the annual report for crimes against a person. Coming soon will be annual reports on property crimes, crimes against society and deaths in custody.



Byrne SCIP Grant

We are accepting 2024 Byrne SCIP applications through Aug. 23. Access the RFA and info about applying <u>here</u>.

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VOCA PMT reports due

VOCA PMT reports are due in the OVC/PMT system and in EBS by midnight on July 30. Please contact your grant manager for more information or with any questions