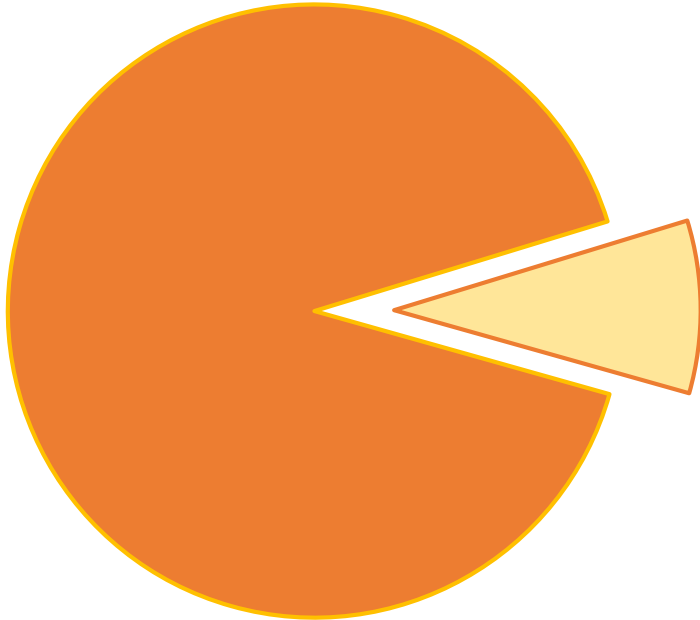


VOCA Appropriation / grants
Process (50350)



Funds designated for sexual
assault services

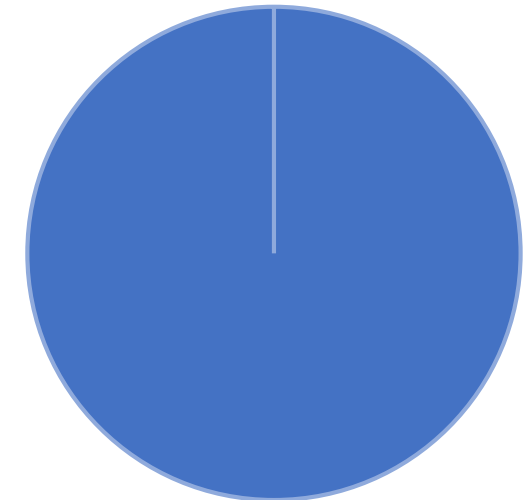
**Issue: Need to expand Comprehensive
Sexual Assault Services in MI**

- Current funding is insufficient.
- Federal VOCA funds have limited uses / other restrictions.
- Local sexual assault programs cannot currently bid for all available SA VOCA funding because they do not have sufficient non-federal grants contributing to the project.

Solution: State Funding (supported by GF-GP)
to allow local sexual assault programs to apply for **separate non-federal grant dollars**, that can be used to:

- Support expenses for critical survivor services that are not allowable in VOCA grants; and ...
- Leverage additional VOCA funds for local programs.

MDSVPTB Appropriation / grant
Process (64060)



New Comprehensive Sexual
Assault Funding (GF)

The two appropriations **do not crossover or comingle**. **NEW** GF-GP sexual assault funding would allow local programs to document that other funding is available to help support services. This would provide increased resources for comprehensive services, support costs unallowable under the VOCA regulations, **AND** enable programs to bid for additional VOCA funding.