

**Office of Justice Programs (OJP)**  
**Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA)/National Governors' Association (NGA)**  
**Justice Information Technology Integration Implementation Project**

**MARYLAND**

Award To: Maryland Criminal Justice Information Advisory Board  
Interoperability Committee

Amount: \$460,352\*

**PURPOSE:**

The Maryland Criminal Justice Information Advisory Board Interoperability Committee will use the funds to integrate Maryland's existing criminal justice information data systems through three initiatives. The funds will establish the Maryland Integrated Inter-Agency Justice Information Systems Program Office, which will plan the centralization of Maryland's justice information systems activities. In addition, a feasibility study on the design for an interface of the Department of Public Safety and Correctional Services and the Maryland State Police computer systems with local criminal justice database systems will be conducted. A Rapid Identification via Network-Connected Livescan will also be implemented to match fingerprints to State Identification (SID) numbers so that offenders can be identified at the time of arrest.

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- Award amount is contingent upon final budget review and could change slightly.

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