

Description of the CJCC Network Project Partners

- The U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) strengthens the nation's criminal justice system and helps America's local, state, and tribal governments reduce and prevent crime and violence. BJA delivers resources to state, local, and tribal communities and justice agencies with an emphasis on partnerships and promoting data-driven and evidence-based practices and policies to improve the efficiency and effectiveness of the justice system.
- The Justice Management Institute (JMI) is a non-profit organization, formed in 1993, to focus on justice system improvement, with a particular emphasis on the courts. JMI's approach is three-fold: 1) to act as a **think** tank and engage in research to assess emerging issues in the administration of justice and to document strategies for address these issues; 2) to provide education and training to **inspire** improvement in justice system operations and outcomes; and 3) to affect real and meaningful **change** in the administration of justice that is results-oriented, cost-effective, sustainable, and practical through the provision of direct technical assistance.
- Established in 1935, NACo represents the interests of the nation's 3,068 counties and their locally elected officials before Congress and the administration, works to enhance the positive public image of counties and, through our 501(c) (3) subsidiary, the National Association of Counties Research Foundation (NACoRF), provides research, education, training, and technical assistance to help counties find innovative solutions to meet the challenges they face.
- The Pretrial Justice Institute (PJI)'s mission is to advocate nationwide for fair and effective pretrial practices that eliminate inappropriate detention, optimize diversion from prosecution, and maintain community safety. PJI seeks to accomplish this mission by facilitating research that drives evidence-based practices, assisting state and local governments in improving their pretrial policies, and providing technical assistance to elevate local pretrial practice.