To amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to establish the Adverse Childhood Experiences Response Team grant program, and for other purposes.

SECTION 1. ADVERSE CHILDHOOD EXPERIENCES RESPONSE TEAM GRANT PROGRAM.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Title I of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. 10101 et seq.) is amended by adding at the end the following:
“PART PP—ADVERSE CHILDHOOD EXPERIENCES
RESPONSE TEAM GRANT PROGRAM

“SEC. 3061. GRANTS FOR ADVERSE CHILDHOOD EXPERI-
ENCES RESPONSE TEAMS.

“(a) GRANTS AUTHORIZED.—From amounts made
available to carry out this section, the Attorney General,
in coordination with the Secretary of Health and Human
Services, shall make grants to States, units of local gov-
ernment, Indian Tribes, and neighborhood or community-
based organizations to address adverse childhood experi-
ences associated with exposure to trauma.

“(b) USE OF FUNDS.—Amounts received under a
grant under this section may be used to establish an ad-
verse childhood experiences response team, including by—

“(1) establishing protocols to follow when en-
countering a child or youth exposed to trauma to fa-
cilitate access to services;

“(2) developing referral partnership agreements
with behavioral health providers, substance treat-
ment facilities, and recovery services for family
members of children exposed to trauma;

“(3) integrating law enforcement, mental
health, and crisis services to respond to situations
where children have been exposed to trauma;

“(4) implementing comprehensive programs and
practices to support children exposed to trauma;
“(5) identifying barriers for children to access trauma-informed care in their communities;

“(6) providing training in trauma-informed care to emergency response providers, victim service providers, child protective service professionals, educational institutions, and other community partners;

“(7) supporting cross-system planning and collaboration among officers and employees who work in law enforcement, court systems, child welfare services, correctional reentry programs, emergency medical services, health care services, public health, and substance abuse treatment and recovery support; and

“(8) providing technical assistance to communities, organizations, and public agencies on how to prevent and mitigate the impact of exposure to trauma and violence.

“(c) Application.—A State, unit of local government, Indian Tribe, or neighborhood or community-based organization desiring a grant under this section shall submit to the Attorney General an application in such form, and containing such information, as the Attorney General may reasonably require.”.

(b) Authorization of Appropriations.—Section 1001(a) of title I of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe
Streets Act of 1968 (34 U.S.C. 10261(a)) is amended by adding at the end the following:

“(29) There are authorized to be appropriated to carry out part PP $10,000,000 for each of fiscal years 2024 through 2027.”.