Rural Health Grants and Funding Opportunities

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The Kansas Office of Primary Care and Rural Health aids Kansas’ rural and medically underserved communities in building sustainable access to quality, patient-centered primary health care services.

- Supporting recruitment and retention of the healthcare workforce
- Connecting local providers and partners to resources and programs
- Strengthening system-wide performance improvement capacity
To protect and improve the health and environment of all Kansans

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Primary Care
- Charitable Health Care Providers
- Community-Based Primary Care Clinics
- Conrad 30 J-1 Visa Waiver Program
- Health Professional Shortage Areas
- Federally Qualified Health Centers
- Unused Medications Repository
- Student Loan Repayment Programs for Health Providers

Rural Health
- Medical Rural Hospital Flexibility (FLEX) Program
- Small Hospital Improvement Program (SHIP)
- Rural Hospital Innovation Grant (RHIG)
- Rural Health Clinics
- Rural Emergency Hospitals
- Critical Access Hospitals
- EMS and Community Paramedicine

Educational Offerings
Technical Assistance
Workforce Recruitment & Retention
State Loan Repayment Program (SLRP)

- Offers eligible health care providers an opportunity to receive assistance of up to $50,000 with the repayment of qualifying educational loans in exchange for a minimum two-year commitment to provide health care services at an eligible practice site in a federally-designated HPSA. Option for up to three additional continuation years; can award up to $25,000 per year.

- *NEW* Program Updates
  - Application cycle now open year-round!
  - Eligible Providers now include Pharmacists and Registered Nurses
  - Increased Number of Awards & Funding Available through 2025
Kansas EMS Education Incentive Grant Program

Provides funding for licensed ambulance services in rural, frontier, and densely settled rural areas of Kansas to help with recruiting, training, and certifying ambulance EMS providers.

**Application Deadline: December 15, 2022**

Funding priorities include:

1. Applications seeking grants to pay the cost of recruiting EMS providers and the cost of the initial courses of training for EMS providers and instructor-coordinators
2. Applications seeking grants to pay the cost of continuing education for EMS providers and instructor-coordinators
3. Applications seeking grants to pay the cost of education for EMS providers and instructor-coordinators who are obtaining a post-secondary education degree
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November 17, 2022
#powerofrural
National Rural Health Day
Celebrating the Power of Rural
It's not just a day, it's a movement.

PowerOfRural.org | #PowerOfRural

To protect and improve the health and environment of all Kansans
What is National Rural Health Day (NRHD)?

• Brings much-needed attention to the ongoing efforts to communicate, educate, collaborate, and innovate to improve the health of an estimated 57 million rural Americans. Over the years, NRHD has transformed from a daylong event to a sustainable movement.

• Rural America offers a beautiful and challenging landscape, requiring unique approaches.

• Showcases the efforts of rural healthcare providers, State Offices of Rural Health and other rural stakeholders to address those challenges.
More than 900,000 people call rural Kansas home and these small towns, farming communities and frontier areas are places where neighbors know each other, listen to each other, respect each other and work together to benefit the greater good. Along with the Governor, the Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE) wants to bring awareness to the successes and challenges surrounding health care in rural communities across the state.
Help us Celebrate National Rural Health Day in Kansas!

- Take photos, post on social media, and use hashtags #NationalRuralHealthDay #PowerOfRural

- Vote for your favorite submissions in our third annual Power of Rural photo contest

- Walk With a Doc – join us in Topeka or host your own!
Carpool Collaboration: Conversations with Mission-Minded Rural Stakeholders

*November 17 at 1:00 PM CST*

Join National Organization of State Offices of Rural Health (NOSORH) as they welcome a dynamic group of guests, each driving change and sharing stories about the work they’re doing to go the extra mile through collaboration. [Register today.](#)

**Fall 2022 Rural Health Clinical Congress**

*November 19 at 8:00 AM CST*

This is a free, multi-topic CME/CE virtual conference designed for primary care providers who serve patients in rural and underserved areas. [Register today.](#)
Let’s Stay Connected!

Website: http://www.kdheks.gov/PC-RH

Contact us: kdhe.ruralhealth@ks.gov or kdhe.primarycare@ks.gov

Subscribe to our Newsletter:

Upcoming Webinars

Kansas Statewide Farmworker Health Program
December 13 | 12:30-1:30pm

Registration links via https://www.kdheks.gov/nrhr
2023 Calendar of Events Coming Soon!
HRSA Overview and Rural Resources
Navigating Rural Health Resources Webinar Series

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Office of Intergovernmental and External Affairs

Vision: Healthy Communities, Healthy People
Mission: To improve health outcomes and achieve health equity through access to quality services, a skilled health workforce, and innovative, high-value programs

TENS OF MILLIONS of Americans receive quality, affordable health care and other services through HRSA’s 90-PLUS PROGRAMS and more than 3,000 GRANTEES.
Program Focus Areas

- Primary Care
- HIV/AIDS
- Maternal and Child Health
- Health Workforce
- Healthcare Systems
- Rural Health
HRSA Priorities

- Health Workforce
- Behavioral Health
- Maternal Health
- Rural Health
- Health Equity
- COVID 19
- EHE
HRSA IEA Overview

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When should you contact HRSA/IEA?

• When you want to know more about HRSA programs or initiatives
• When you need contextual information about the state, local, tribal, and regional landscape that may impact your stakeholders
• When you are looking for technical assistance, resources (including funding opportunities), or new partners
• When you want to share new promising or best practices with us

• Simply connect!
Health Workforce

**Mission:** Improve the health of underserved populations by

- strengthening the health workforce
- connecting skilled professionals to communities in need
Supports scholarships and loan repayments for more than 22,700 clinicians in exchange for service in high-need areas.

- **National Health Service Corps (NHSC)** currently supports primary care medical, dental, and behavioral health providers (including substance use disorder disciplines), and health professions students

- **Nurse Corps** currently supports licensed registered nurses, nursing students, and nurse faculty

NHSC and Nurse Corps clinicians provide care to more than 23.6 million people nationwide in rural and other high-need areas.

https://bhw.hrsa.gov
Health Workforce

- Original Loan Repayment Program
- Substance Use Disorder Workforce Loan Repayment Program
- Rural Community Loan Repayment Program
- **Students to Service Loan Repayment Program**: Application due December 1
  - Scholarship Program
  - State Loan Repayment Program

- Loan Repayment Program*
  - Scholarship Program

- Native Hawaiian Health Scholarship Program
- Faculty Loan Repayment Program
- Scholarships for Disadvantaged Students
- Nurse Faculty Loan Repayment Program

*Includes eligible Nurse Faculty
Schools can apply to these scholarship and loan programs:

- Scholarships for Disadvantaged Students (SDS)
- Loans for Disadvantaged Students (LDS)
- Health Professions Student Loans (HPSL)
- Nursing Student Loans (NSL)
- Primary Care Loans (PCL)
State Loan Repayment Program (SLRP)

- Provides cost-sharing grants to states to operate their own loan repayment programs for primary care providers in underserved areas.

- **Eligible disciplines** vary, but may include:
  - Physicians,
  - Nurse practitioners,
  - Physician assistants,
  - Dental professionals,
  - Registered nurses,
  - Mental, behavioral health professionals,
  - Pharmacists
  - Substance use disorder counselors

[https://nhsc.hrsa.gov/loan-repayment/state-loan-repayment-program/contacts](https://nhsc.hrsa.gov/loan-repayment/state-loan-repayment-program/contacts)

Helps increase access to care for underserved populations and build health care capacity through several programs.

- **Community-Based Division**
- **Rural Strategic Initiatives Division**
- **Hospital State Division**
- **Policy Research Division**

• Voice for rural health
• Reviews health and human services regulations
• Administers Grant Programs
• Provides technical assistance and other resources
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*As a result of the 2020 CARES Act reauthorization legislation, beginning in fiscal year 2021 this program will be competed every four years.
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| **Rural Communities Opioid Response Program (RCORP)-Rural Tribal Support** |  | NOFO Available: Fall 2022  
Project Start Date: 9/1/2023 |  |  |
| **RCORP-Child and Adolescent Behavioral Health** |  | NOFO Available: Winter 2022  
Project Start Date: 9/1/2023 |  |  |
| **RCORP-Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome** |  | NOFO Available: Winter 2022  
Project Start Date: 9/1/2023 |  |  |
| **RCORP-Overdose Response** |  | NOFO Available NOW  
Applications Due Jan 19  
Project Start Date: 9/1/2023 |  | NOFO Available: Fall 2023  
Project Start Date: 9/1/2024 |
| **RCORP-Evaluation** |  | NOFO Available NOW  
Applications Due Jan 27  
Project Start Date: 9/1/2023 |  |  |
| **RCORP-Rural Centers of Excellence on Substance Use Disorder** |  | NOFO Available: Fall 2022  
Project Start Date: 9/1/2023 |  |  |
| **Rural Health Clinic Behavioral Health Program** |  | NOFO Available: Winter 2022  
Project Start Date: 9/1/2023 |  |  |
| **RCORP-Psychostimulant Support** |  |  |  | NOFO Available: Fall/Winter 2023  
Project Start Date: 9/1/2024 |
| **RCORP-Pilot (TBD)** |  |  |  | NOFO Available: Fall/Winter 2023  
Project Start Date: 9/1/2024 |
Where to Find HRSA Funding Opportunities

- **HRSA Notice of Funding Opportunities (NOFOs)**
  - [https://www.hrsa.gov/grants/find-funding](https://www.hrsa.gov/grants/find-funding)

- **Grants.gov**
  - [https://www.grants.gov/](https://www.grants.gov/)
RHIhub - Nation’s rural health information source
- library of resources
- coverage of rural issues
- state guides
- toolkits
- program models
- much more!

Provides customized assistance
- By phone: 1.800.270.1898
- By email: info@ruralhealthinfo.org
Telehealth Resources

Telehealth: Health care from the safety of our homes.

Whether you’re a patient looking for medical care, or a doctor who provides it, telehealth keeps us connected. Explore telehealth resources and tips for providers and patients.

Learn more about telehealth

For patients
- Find out what telehealth is and what to expect from a virtual doctor’s visit. You can also check out our tips on finding telehealth care.
  - What is telehealth?
  - Telehealth and COVID-19
  - Finding telehealth options
  - Preparing for a virtual visit
- Policy changes during COVID-19
- Billing for telehealth during COVID-19
- Health equity in telehealth

For providers
- Learn best practices for providing care through telehealth and stay up-to-date on recent billing and policy changes.
  - Best practice guidelines
  - Policy changes during COVID-19
  - Billing for telehealth during COVID-19
  - Health equity in telehealth

Telehealth.hhs.gov

TelehealthResourceCenter.org
National Maternal Mental Health Hotline
(1.833.9.HELP4MOMS)

- Provides 24/7, free, confidential support before, during, and after pregnancy
  - Phone or text access to professional counselors
  - Real-time support and information
  - Response within a few minutes, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week
  - Resources
  - Referrals to local and telehealth providers and support groups
  - Culturally sensitive support
  - Counselors who speak English and Spanish
  - Interpreter services in 60 languages
- Learn more: https://mchb.hrsa.gov/national-maternal-mental-health-hotline/materials

1.833.9.HELP4MOMS
Rural Community Opioid Response Programs

**RCORP-TA Portal**

The Portal includes:
- Upcoming Events
- Webinars
- Toolkits
- Videos
- Resource Guides
- Manuals and Briefs
- Trainings
- Funding Opportunities
- Grantee Contacts

www.rcorp-ta.org/
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