

HRSA Overview for HHS Secretary's Advisory Committee on Chronic Fatigue Syndrome (CFSAC)

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HRSA - America's Health Care Safety Net

Mission:

Improve Access to Quality Health Care and Services
Strengthen the Health Workforce
Build Healthy Communities
Improve Health Equity

Major Programs:

Community Health Centers
Maternal and Child Health
Ryan White HIV/AIDS
Health Workforce Training
Rural Health
340B Drug Discounts, Vaccine Injury
Compensation, Organ and Tissue Donation
Regional Offices and Networks





HRSA National Activities

- **Nearly 21 million patients** are served through more than 8,000 HRSA-funded **health centers sites**, including 1 in 3 people with incomes below the poverty level (UDS 2012)
- **Over 500,000 people living with HIV/AIDS** receive services through more than 900 HRSA-funded **Ryan White Clinics**. Two-thirds are members of minority groups
- **34 million** women, infants, children, and adolescents benefit from HRSA's maternal and child health programs
- About **14,000 safety net providers** participate in HRSA's 340B discount drug program
- Currently **more than 8,800 National Health Service Corps clinicians** are (or will be) working in underserved areas in exchange for loan repayment or scholarships

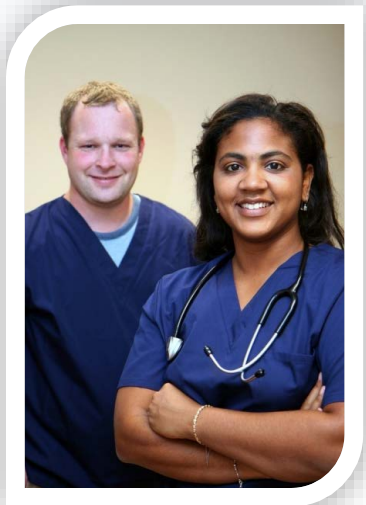
Community Health Center Program

- **Located in or serve a high-need community**
- **Governed by a community board**
- **Provide comprehensive primary health care**
 - Primary & Preventive Care
 - Enabling Services
- **Provide services available to all** with fees adjusted based on ability to pay
- **Meet other performance and accountability requirements** regarding administrative, clinical, and financial operations



HRSA -National Health Service Corps

Bureau of Health Workforce recruits fully-trained professionals to provide culturally-competent, interdisciplinary primary health and behavioral health care services to underserved populations. In return, the NHSC programs assists in the professionals' repayment of qualifying educational loans that are outstanding.



80% stay in the underserved area after fulfilling their NHSC service commitment

HRSA - Ryan White HIV AIDS Program

The Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program provides primary health care, support services, and life-sustaining medications

- **Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program Parts A and B:** Grants to Eligible Metropolitan Areas and to States. Part B also includes the AIDS Drug Assistance Program (ADAP)
- **Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program Parts C and D:** Grants to community-based clinics and care for women, infants, children, and youth with HIV/AIDS
- **Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program Part F:** Grants for oral health and the Dental Reimbursement Program



HRSA - Maternal and Child Health Programs



- **Home Visiting Program**

- Nurses, social workers, and others provide counseling and intervention services to expectant mothers in communities where health services are scarce

- **National Resource Centers**

- Technical assistance for school-based mental health

- **Healthy Start sites**

- Provide depression screening, case management, and community-based outreach to expectant mothers



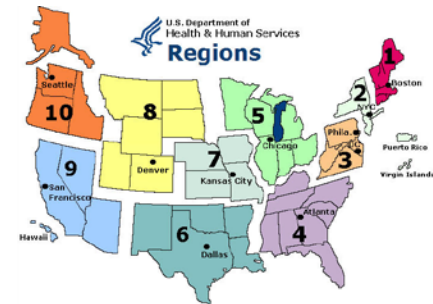
- **Bright Futures Guidelines:** <http://brightfutures.aap.org/>

- Chapter discusses drug and alcohol use/screening of youth

HRSA- Regional Operations

Office of Regional Operations (ORO) works through HRSA's ten regional offices to improve health care systems and America's health care safety net, increase access to quality care, reduce disparities, and advance public health.

- HRSA's Regional Office is point of contact for questions about HRSA
- Works closely with HHS Regional Director and other HHS Operational Division



Sample Grant Opportunities

Bureau of Primary Healthcare:

Integration of Oral Health and Primary Care Practice Technical Assistance (deadline 6/19)

ACA Health Center Expanded Services (deadline 7/1)

Bureau of Maternal and Child Health:

State Implementation Grants for Enhancing the System of Services for Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs through Systems Integration (deadline 6/13)

Finding HRSA Grants



To find grants, and apply, review, manage, and get reports:
<http://www.hrsa.gov/grants>

To find open opportunities, tips, and technical assistance:
<http://www.hrsa.gov/grants/index.html>

To find out how to become a grant reviewer:
<http://www.hrsa.gov/grants/reviewers/index.html>

Find Opportunities



Register to get email notifications when opportunities are available:

http://www.grants.gov/applicants/email_subscription.jsp

<http://www.hrsa.gov/grants>

Need Help?

Contact Grants.gov Help Desk at 877-464-4772

HRSA- Key Web Resources

HRSA's Funding Opportunities (Competitive Grants):

<http://www.hrsa.gov/grants/index.html>

HRSA Grantees with Active Projects by Program or State

granteefind.hrsa.gov

HRSA's Find a Health Center site findahealthcenter.hrsa.gov/

National Health Service Corps (NHSC): www.nhsc.hrsa.gov

HRSA's Databank of HRSA programs datawarehouse.hrsa.gov/

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