

In FY 2022, the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) – through the Federal Office of Rural Health Policy (FORHP) – **provided approximately \$6.7 million in funding to the state of North Dakota to increase health care access, strengthen health networks, and focus on care quality improvements for Critical Access Hospitals and small rural hospitals.** FORHP is also supporting HRSA's goal to achieve health equity by supporting efforts to strengthen health care delivery systems, reduce the morbidity and mortality associated with substance use disorder, and provide COVID-19 pandemic relief in rural communities.

By increasing access to quality services and training a more skilled health workforce, these investments from FORHP have allowed communities in North Dakota and across the country to improve health outcomes and address health disparities.

Program Name	Fiscal Year	Grant Number	Grantee Name	County	Award Amount	Congressional District
Rural Communities Opioid Response Program – Mental and Behavioral Health	2022	G28RH46266	City County Health District	Barnes	\$500,000	ND-00
Rural Health Care Services Outreach Grant Program	2022	D04RH40275	North Dakota State University	Cass	\$200,000	ND-00
Medicare Rural Hospital Flexibility	2022	U2WRH33321	University of North Dakota	Grand Forks	\$1,261,437	ND-00
Rural Research to Diverse Audiences	2022	U1JRH26218	University of North Dakota	Grand Forks	\$243,750	ND-00
Small Rural Hospital Improvement Program	2022	H3HRH00035	University of North Dakota	Grand Forks	\$467,275	ND-00
Rural Health Network Development Planning Grant Program	2022	P10RH45777	University of North Dakota	Grand Forks	\$100,000	ND-00
State Offices of Rural Health	2022	H95RH00118	University of North Dakota	Grand Forks	\$223,410	ND-00
Rural Assistance Center for ORHP Cooperative Agreement	2022	U56RH05539	University of North Dakota	Grand Forks	\$3,750,000	ND-00