

The Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) – through the Federal Office of Rural Health Policy (FORHP) – **provided approximately \$22.8 million in funding to the state of Minnesota to increase health care access, strengthen health networks, and focus on care quality improvements for Critical Access Hospitals and small rural hospitals.** FORHP also supports HRSA’s goal to achieve equity for rural Americans by funding efforts to strengthen health care delivery systems, advance maternal health care, reduce the morbidity and mortality associated with substance use disorder, and improve the financial viability of rural hospitals.

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

Program Name	Grantee Name	County	Award Amount	Congressional District
Delta Region Community Health Systems Development	Rural Health Resource Center	St. Louis	\$10,080,000	MN-08
Information Services to Rural Hospital Flexibility	Rural Health Resource Center	St. Louis	\$1,200,000	MN-08
Medicare Rural Hospital Flexibility	Minnesota Department of Health	Ramsey	\$1,048,885	MN-04
Medicare Rural Hospital Flexibility Program Evaluation-Cooperative Agreement	Regents of the University of Minnesota	Hennepin	\$1,865,000	MN-05
Rural Communities Opioid Response Program – Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome	Fairview Health Services	Hennepin	\$500,000	MN-05
Rural Communities Opioid Response Program – Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome	Children's Dental Services	Hennepin	\$500,000	MN-05
Rural Health Network Development Planning Grant Program	Knute Nelson	Douglas	\$100,000	MN-07
Rural Health Network Development Planning Grant Program	Saint Louis County Administration Building	St. Louis	\$100,000	MN-08
Rural Health Network Development Program	Sanford Health of Northern Minnesota	Beltrami	\$279,958	MN-08
Rural Health Network Development Program	Wilderness Health, Inc.	Lake	\$297,269	MN-08
Rural Health Network Development Program	Centracare Health System	Stearns	\$300,000	MN-06
Rural Healthcare Provider Transition Project	Rural Health Resource Center	St. Louis	\$892,562	MN-08
Rural Hospital Stabilization Pilot Program	Rural Health Resource Center	St. Louis	\$3,930,405	MN-08
Rural Maternity and Obstetrics Management Strategies Program	Sanford Health of Northern Minnesota	Beltrami	\$810,158	MN-08
Small Rural Hospital Improvement Program	Minnesota Department of Health	Ramsey	\$679,781	MN-04
State Offices of Rural Health	Minnesota Department of Health	Ramsey	\$223,410	MN-04