



# FY2024:HRSA’s Rural Health Grants

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The Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) – through the Federal Office of Rural Health Policy (FORHP) – **provided approximately \$5.7 million in funding to the state of Vermont 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 Vermont and across the country to improve health outcomes and address health disparities.

Program Name	Grantee Name	County	Award Amount	Congressional District
Medicare Rural Hospital Flexibility	Human Services Vermont Agency of	Washington	\$368,660	VT-00
Rural Behavioral Health Workforce Coordinating Centers – Northern Border Region	The Vermont Association for Mental Health and Addiction Recovery, Inc.	Washington	\$1,000,000	VT-00
Rural Communities Opioid Response Program – Mental and Behavioral Health	Brattleboro Memorial Hospital, Inc.	Windham	\$408,435	VT-00
Rural Northern Border Region Outreach Program	Vermont Program for Quality in Health Care Inc, The	Washington	\$247,757	VT-00
Small Rural Hospital Improvement Program	Human Services Vermont Agency of	Washington	\$121,576	VT-00
State Offices of Rural Health	Human Services Vermont Agency of	Washington	\$223,410	VT-00
The Regional Centers of Excellence in Substance Use Disorder Education Program	University of Vermont & State Agricultural College	Chittenden	\$3,333,333	VT-00