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FY 2026: 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 $10.7 million in funding to the state of Maryland 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 priority to ensure access to high-quality, affordable care by funding efforts that strengthen health care delivery systems, prevent and manage chronic conditions, reduce the morbidity and mortality associated with substance use disorder, and improve the financial viability of rural hospitals and clinics.

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

Program Name	Grantee Name	County	Award Amount	Congressional District
State Offices of Rural Health Program	MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH	Baltimore City	$243,410	MD-07
Small Rural Hospital Improvement Program	MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH	Baltimore City	$45,831	MD-07
Rural Hospital Provider Assistance Program	GRMC, INC	Garrett	$187,569	MD-06
Rural Communities Opioid Response Technical Assistance	JBS INTERNATIONAL, INC	Montgomery	$10,225,000	MD-08