



# HRSA's Federal Office of Rural Health Policy (FORHP) Community-Based Division (CBD) Update

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**Vision: Healthy Communities, Healthy People**



# CBD Management Structure

- Largest Division in FORHP
- Unique; 3-tier structure



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# Budget (Outreach line)



# Community-Based Grantees



# Community Based Division

## Priorities



**Innovation in  
Program Design**



**Disseminate intent of  
investments and impact  
of programs**



**Increase Partnerships**



**Using Program Data to  
Demonstrate Impact**



**Sustainability**



# Current Initiatives and Looking Ahead...

Strengthening program  
data (roll-up data)

Revisiting  
implementation of  
330A legislation  
eligibility elements

Community Health  
Initiative

Ending the HIV  
Epidemic (EtHE)  
Network Planning  
Program

Continue to  
disseminate the impact  
of our investments



# Community-Based Division Upcoming Funding Opportunities

Program *	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
Rural Health Care Services Outreach	Funding Opportunity Available Fall 2020 Project Period Start Date 5/1/2021		
Rural Health Network Development			Funding Opportunity Available Summer 2022 Project Period Start Date 7/1/2023
Rural Health Network Development Planning	Funding Opportunity Available Summer 2020 Project Period Start Date 7/1/2021	Funding Opportunity Available Summer 2021 Project Period Start Date 7/1/2022	Funding Opportunity Available Summer 2022 Project Period Start Date 7/1/2023
Small Health Care Provider Quality Improvement		Funding Opportunity Available Winter 2022 Project Period Start Date 8/1/2022	
Delta States Network			Funding Opportunity Available Summer 2022 Project Period Start Date 8/1/2023



# Opioid Funding Opportunities

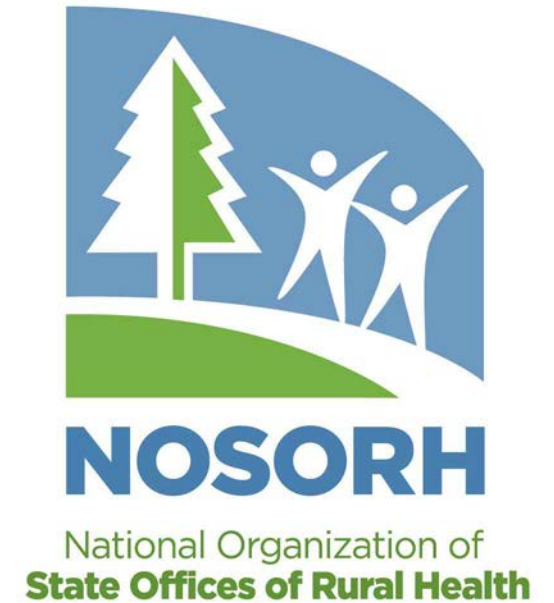
	RCORP-Implementation/HRSA-20-031
<b>Goal</b>	To strengthen and expand SUD/ODU prevention, treatment, and recovery service delivery.
<b>Period of performance</b>	3 years
<b>Award amount</b>	Up to \$1 million
<b># of Awards</b>	89 (projected FY20)
<b>Eligibility</b>	Domestic public or private, non-profit or for-profit, entities. Additional applicant and consortium specifications as described in NOFO. <b>All services must exclusively target rural areas.</b>
<b>Anticipated NOFO Release Date</b>	TBD—early 2020
<b>Anticipated Project Start Date</b>	September 1, 2020
<b>More Information About RCORP</b>	<a href="https://www.hrsa.gov/rural-health/rcorp">https://www.hrsa.gov/rural-health/rcorp</a>

	RCORP-Centers of Excellence on Substance Use Disorders
<b>Goal</b>	To support the dissemination of best practices related to the treatment for and prevention of SUDs within rural communities, with a focus on the current opioid crisis, and the development of methods to address future SUD epidemics. <b>Grantees are encouraged to contact the Centers with relevant technical assistance questions!</b>
<b>Focus Area #1— University of Vermont</b>	Innovative and effective treatment interventions for SUD, particularly OUD, in rural communities
<b>Focus Area #2— Fletcher Group</b>	Best practices in recovery housing programs for SUD, particularly OUD, intervention among low-income, high-risk individuals in rural communities
<b>Focus Area #3— University of Rochester</b>	Synthetic opioid-related overdose mortality in rural communities in the Delta and/or Appalachian regions
<b>Website with Points of Contact at Each Center</b>	<a href="https://www.hrsa.gov/rural-health/rcorp/rcoe">https://www.hrsa.gov/rural-health/rcorp/rcoe</a>





# Resources



# How to sign up to be a grant reviewer

## Benefits of Becoming a HRSA Reviewer

- Provide a great service to the HRSA mission
- Gain knowledge of the HRSA objective review process
- Discover strategies to writing strong grant applications
- Learn about common problems with grant applications
- Develop relationships with panel members related to your interests

Register in the HRSA Reviewer Recruitment Module (RRM)

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

Division of Independent Review



# FORHP Weekly Announcements

- Rural-focused Funding opportunities
- Rural Research findings
- Policy updates from a Rural Perspective

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Announcements from the  
Federal Office of Rural Health Policy

April 11, 2019

## Funding Opportunities

**National Health Service Corps Scholarship Program – May 16.** Through the Health Resources and Services Administration, the **National Health Service Corps (NHSC)** will provide **tuition, fees, and monthly stipend** for full-time enrollment in primary health care professions training for up to four school years. In exchange, NHSC scholars will commit to serving in a high-need urban, rural, or frontier community upon graduation.

**USDA Higher Education Multicultural Scholars Program – May 24.** The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) will make awards of up to \$230,000 each to Land Grant Institutions, and other colleges and universities with significant minority enrollments to increase diversity in the food and agricultural scientific and professional workforce. The program seeks projects that integrate social and biological sciences to address challenges facing agriculture and rural communities. These include increasing food production in the face of limited natural resources, alleviating poverty through economic opportunity, and fostering healthy lifestyles and diet.

**USDA Higher Education Challenge Grants Program – May 29.** In a separate program, the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) will make 15 awards of up to \$750,000 each to public and private nonprofit colleges and universities to facilitate better working relationships between academia and the private sector to enhance food and agricultural sciences. Similar to the Multicultural Scholars program posted above, this grants program seeks projects that integrate social and biological sciences to address challenges facing agriculture and rural communities.

**HHS: YES Initiative for Minority and Disadvantaged Youth – May 31.** The U.S. Department of Health & Human Services (HHS) will make 14 awards of up to \$400,000 each for the Youth Engagement in Sports (YES) Initiative. Eligible applicants are public and private nonprofit entities, including tribal organizations and governments. Successful projects will improve physical activity and nutrition behaviors for racial/ethnic minority and socio-economically disadvantaged youth, particularly girls, in the 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> grades.



# Questions?

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