

4 Pillars of Rural Health Transformation



**Connecting
Technology
& Data**



**Keeping
Healthcare
Local &
Strong**



**Advancing
the Rural
Workforce**



**Transforming
Systems for
Sustainability**

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Connecting Technology and Data



**Quarter
1**

CLOSED

**Grant Management
Consultant**

RFP: 26-09RHT-005

First Year: \$270,000

**Quarter
2**

CLOSED

**Digital Health Modernization
and Technology Grant Program**

RFP: 26-09RHT-020

First Year: \$89,343,733

UPCOMING

Rural Health Data Atlas

First Year: \$1,050,000

**Quarter
3**

ADMINISTRATIVE

**Accept grant
program applications
and issue awards**

**Quarter
4**

ADMINISTRATIVE

**Prepare to release
Year 2 of
Grant Program Funding**

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Keeping Healthcare Local and Strong



Quarter 1

CLOSED

Maternal Health Assessment

RFP: 26-09RHT-013

First Year: \$576,150

CLOSED

Doula Workforce Advancement Grant

RFP: 26-09RHT-014

First Year: \$600,000

CLOSED

Chronic Disease Self-Management Programming

RFP: 26-09RHT-002

First Year: \$7.0M (Shared)

CLOSED

Project Management Support

RFP: 26-09RHT-003

First Year: \$7.0M (Shared)

CLOSED

Caregiver Support Programming

RFP: 26-09RHT-004

First Year: \$7.0M (Shared)

Quarter 2

CLOSED

Rural Strong Grants

RFP: 26-09RHT-001

First Year: \$31.75M

CLOSED

Chronic Disease Management for Health Entities

RFP: 26-09RHT-011

First Year: \$7.0M (Shared)

CLOSED

Chronic Disease Management for Schools

RFP: 26-09RHT-012

First Year: \$7.0M (Shared)

CLOSED

Behavioral Health Modernization Systems Evaluation & Tech Roadmap

RFP: 26-08RHT-015

First Year: \$16.1M (Shared)

CLOSED

Rural Behavioral Health Modernization Infrastructure and Sustainability Grant

First Year: \$16.1M (Shared)

Quarter 3

ADMINISTRATIVE

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Quarter 4

ADMINISTRATIVE

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Advancing the Rural Workforce



Quarter 1

CLOSED

Host Organization for Rural Health Forward

RFP: 26-09RHT-007

First Year: \$907,500

CLOSED

Expand and Strengthen Rural Community Health Worker Workforce

RFP: 26-09RHT-006

First Year: \$400K - Technical Assistance
\$140K Training

Quarter 2

CLOSED

Sustainable Rural Healthcare Workforce: Stakeholder & Project Mgmt

RFP: 26-09RHT-022

First Year: \$6M (Shared)

CLOSED

Building a Sustainable Rural Health Workforce Education

RFP: 26-09RHT-019

First Year: \$3M (Shared)

CLOSED

EMS Regional Hub Development and Oversight Consultant

RFP: 26-09RHT-018

OPEN

Enhancing Sustainable Emergency Medical Services (EMS) initiative

RFP: 26-09RHT-023

Quarter 3

ADMINISTRATIVE

Selection for CHW/CHR training cohorts

ADMINISTRATIVE

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Quarter 4

ADMINISTRATIVE

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ADMINISTRATIVE

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Transforming Systems for Sustainability



Quarter 1

CLOSED

DSS RHT Project Management
RFP: 26-08RHT-010
First Year: \$250,000

CLOSED

PACT Reimbursement Design
RFP: 26-08RHT-008
First Year: \$450,000

Quarter 2

UPCOMING

PACT Provider Value Based Quality Payments
First Year: \$7M

UPCOMING

Population Health and Case Management Tools
First Year: \$3M

Quarter 3

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Quarter 4

ADMINISTRATIVE

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