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Section 1:				
Rural Health Care Services Outreach Program	12/06/2017	The Outreach Program is a community-based grant program aimed towards promoting rural health care services by enhancing health care delivery in rural communities.	Your organization must be a rural nonprofit or rural public entity that represents a consortium of three or more health care providers, located in a non-metropolitan county or in a rural census tract of a metropolitan county. Approximately \$5,000,000 is expected to be available annually to fund 25 recipients. Of the 25 awards, up to 12 applicants will be selected and awarded to participate in the Health Improvement Special Project. You may apply for a ceiling amount of up to \$200,000	Contact Information: Meriam Mikre MMikre@hrsa.gov Phone: 301-945-3110
Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program Part C Early Intervention Services Program: New Geographic Service Areas, Health Resources and Services Administration, HRSA HIV/AIDS Bureau	01/02/2018	To provide HIV primary care in the outpatient setting.	Eligible applicants include public and nonprofit private entities. Estimated award amount: \$300,000 per year Project period: 3 years Total program funding: \$4,500,000 Expected number of awards: 15	Contact: For business, administrative, or fiscal questions: Adejumoke Oladele 301.443.2441 aladele@hrsa.gov For programmatic or technical assistance questions: Hanna Endale 301.443.1326 HEndale@hrsa.gov
Arkansas Community Match Rural Physician Recruitment Program, UAMS	01/05/2018	The Community Match Rural Physician Recruitment Program offers financial assistance to physicians who agree to practice primary care for a period of 4 years in rural, medically underserved areas of Arkansas.	Physicians must either be in their residency or no more than 2 years out of residency.	Contact: Tammy Henson 501.686.5354 tahenson@uams.edu

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Kerr Foundation Grants, Kerr Foundation	01/12/2018	The Kerr Foundation, Inc. awards funding for capital, programmatic, or operating expenses for programs working in the following areas of education, health and human services, and Arts and Culture.	Only 501(c) (3) organizations may apply. While preference is given to Oklahoma organizations, grant requests will also be considered from organizations in Arkansas, Colorado, Kansas, Missouri, New Mexico, and Texas. Historically, the average grant amount for health and human services projects is \$9,500.	Contact: Cecilia Miller 405.749.7991 cmiller@thekerrfoundation.org
Office on Violence Against Women Grants for Outreach and Services to Underserved Populations, Office on Violence Against Women, U.S. Department of Justice	01/26/2018	To develop and implement outreach strategies targeted at, and provide victim services to, underserved populations of adult and youth victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking.	Eligible applicants are nonprofit organizations that are: View program website	Contact: 202.307.6026 ovw.underserved@usdoj.gov
Nurse Education, Practice, Quality and Retention (NEPQR) – Registered Nurses in Primary Care (RNPC) Training Program, Bureau of Health Workforce, HRSA	01/29/2018	This program provides funding for partnerships between academic nurse training programs and community-based primary care facilities to create training programs designed to recruit and train nursing students and current registered nurses to practice at the full scope of their license.	Eligible lead applicants include schools of nursing, healthcare facilities, or partnerships between schools of nursing and healthcare facilities. Tribes and Tribal organizations may apply for these funds, if otherwise eligible. Award ceiling: \$700,000 per year for 4 years Number of awards: up to 12. Total funding available: \$30,100,000	For programmatic or technical questions: Carolyn Nganga-Good 301.443.0000 RNPC@hrsa.gov For grants management or budget questions: Barbara Ellis Bellis@hrsa.gov
Externship in Addiction Psychiatry, American Psychiatric Association	01/31/2018	The Minority Medical Student Summer Externship Addiction Psychiatry program offers a one-month clinical shadowing program to minority medical students who have an interest in services related to substance abuse treatment and prevention in underserved areas.	This program is open to all ethnic minority medical students currently enrolled in a U.S. medical school. Six awards of up to \$1,500 will be made for living expenses. Students whose mentoring location is out-of-state are eligible for travel reimbursement; however, total reimbursement for travel and living expenses cannot exceed \$1,500.	Contact: Tatiana P. Claridad 703.907.7894 mfpstudents@psych.org

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Rapid Response Rural Data Analysis and Issue Specific Rural Research Studies, HRSA, FORHP	02/20/2018	To assist rural communities with (1) conducting rapid data analyses, and (2) short term issue specific rural research studies to help communities and policymakers understand the impact of current and proposed policies and regulations as well as provide information that will improve access to health care and population health in rural America.	Eligible applicants include domestic public or private, non-profit and for-profit entities. Faith-based and community-based organizations, tribes, and tribal organizations are eligible to apply. Approximately \$250,000 is expected to be available annually to fund one (1) recipient. You may apply for a ceiling amount of up to \$250,000. No match required	Contact Information: Curt Mueller cmueller@hrsa.gov Phone: (301) 443-2810
Arkansas Rural Community Grant Program, Arkansas Department of Rural Services	03/08/2018	The Arkansas Rural Community Grant Program awards matching funds to rural communities in Arkansas to improve quality of life, including related emergency services and construction, along with the development and improvement of community facilities.	Incorporated cities and towns and unincorporated communities in rural areas of less than 3,000 in population (verifiable by current U.S. Census information) are eligible to apply. Award ceiling: \$15,000. Total funding available: \$600,000 Recipients are required to match the project budget with 50% cash or in-kind funds.	Contact: Tonya Hass 501.682.3998 THass@ArkansasEDC.com
Section 2:				
Honor the Earth Native Food Security Grants, Honor the Earth	OPEN	This program provides grants to Native organizations working to create food security utilizing traditional seeds, foods, and growing methods.	Eligible applicants are Native organizations in the United States and Canada. Grants range from \$1,000 to \$5,000.	Contact: 218.375.3200 HonorGrants@honorearth.org
Rural Energy for America Program (REAP) Renewable Energy Systems and Energy Efficiency Improvements Grants and Guaranteed Loans, US Department of Agriculture, USDA Rural Development	OPEN	Provides financial assistance to agriculture producers and rural small businesses to purchase, install, and construct renewable energy systems or energy efficiency improvements.	Rural small businesses and agricultural producers are eligible to apply. Renewable Energy System Grants: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$2,500 minimum • \$500,000 maximum Energy Efficiency Grants: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$1,500 minimum • \$250,000 maximum 	Contact: A list of state contacts is available on the program website.

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Economic Impact Initiative Grants, U.S. Department of Agriculture, USDA Rural Development	OEPN	Economic Impact Initiative Grants provide funding to assist in the development of essential community facilities in rural communities that have extreme unemployment and severe economic depression.	Public bodies, federally-recognized tribes, and nonprofit organizations in eligible rural areas may apply. Up to 75% of eligible project costs.	Contact: Contact the appropriate USDA Rural Development State Office .
HUD Section 242: Hospital Mortgage Insurance Program, Federal Housing Administration, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development	OPEN	Section 242 of the National Housing Act provides mortgage insurance for acute care hospital facilities ranging from large teaching institutions to small, rural Critical Access Hospitals.	Use the pre-screening tool to determine eligibility.	Contact: 202.708.0599 hospitals@hud.gov