

Delta Region Community Health Systems Development (DRCHSD) Program

National Health Service Corps



The Center's Purpose

The National Rural Health Resource Center (The Center) is a nonprofit organization dedicated to sustaining and improving health care in rural communities. As the nation's leading technical assistance and knowledge center in rural health, The Center focuses on five core areas:

- Transition to Value and Population Health
- Collaboration and Partnership
- Performance Improvement
- Health Information Technology
- Workforce



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Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, & Anti-racism



Building a culture where difference is valued

The Center is committed to DEI and anti-racism. We create an environment that reflects the communities we live in and serve; a place where everyone feels accepted and empowered to be their full, authentic selves; and where everyone belongs.

We understand the impact of and seek to defeat racism and discrimination in ourselves, our workplace, and the world. This guides how we cultivate leaders, build our programs and resources, and deliver our technical assistance.

We are an organization that honors, celebrates, and respects all dimensions of diversity. These principles are central to our mission and to our impact.

[Read more at ruralcenter.org/DEI](https://ruralcenter.org/DEI)

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Health Resources and Services Administration



NHSC 101

DRCHSD Webinar

April 11, 2024

Clark Conover, MHA | Supervisor

Division of Regional Operations (DRO)
Bureau of Health Workforce (BHW)
Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA)



Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA)

- Supports **more than 90 programs**
- HRSA does this through grants and cooperative agreements to **more than 3,000 awardees**
- Every year, HRSA programs **serve tens of millions of people**





The National Health Service Corps (NHSC)

For over 50 years, the NHSC has worked to:

- **Build healthy communities by supporting qualified health care providers** dedicated to working in areas of the United States and its territories with limited access to primary health care, regular dental and behavioral health care, and preventive screenings.
- **Improve access to these crucial services** by practicing in health professional shortage areas across the country.
- **Help clinicians pay of their health professional student loan debt in exchange for their service in high-need areas** through scholarships and loan repayment programs.



Bureau of Health Workforce (BHW)

Our bureau's unique mission allows us to improve the health of the underserved populations:

- By strengthening the health workforce and connecting skilled professionals to communities in need.
- Working to create well-distributed and robust workforce supply of diverse, culturally competent health professionals who provide quality health care in high-need areas of the U.S. and its territories.
- Incentivizing our scholarship and loan repayment programs to help underserved communities recruit and retain primary health care providers.



Bureau of Health Workforce (BHW) Aims

BHW strives to achieve four aims in its program planning, data analysis and program evaluation.

Access

- Make it easier for people to access health care

Supply

- Balance the supply of health workers with the demand for care

Distribution

- Improve distribution of the health workforce

Quality

- Improve the quality of the health workforce and the care they provide

National Health Service Corps: *Then*

1970

- NHSC created first scholarships
- Grew from 181 providers to over 1,800
- Budget 10 times larger by end of decade

1980

- Loan Repayment Program launched
- Predicted physician surplus: budget reduced
- Field strength at 1,500 by 1989

1990

- Early 1990s: Only 1,000 providers serve
- Mental health disciplines added to LRP
- Over 2,500 providers in service by end of decade

2000

- Increased funding supported unprecedented growth in field strength

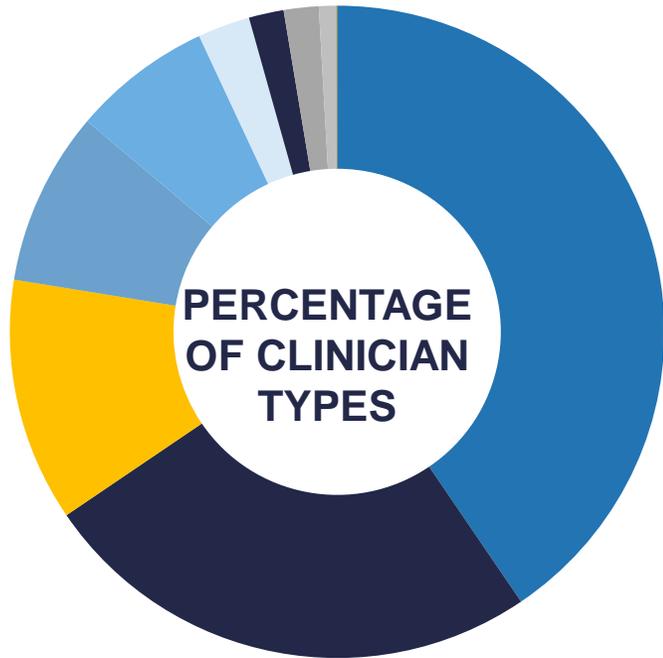
2010

- Increased funding has grown our numbers to nearly 10,900 providers in service

2020

- 2023 - Record field strength numbers – over 20,000 participants awarded
- [2023 - Field strength clinicians dashboard](#) comes online with current, analyzable data

National Health Service Corps: Now*



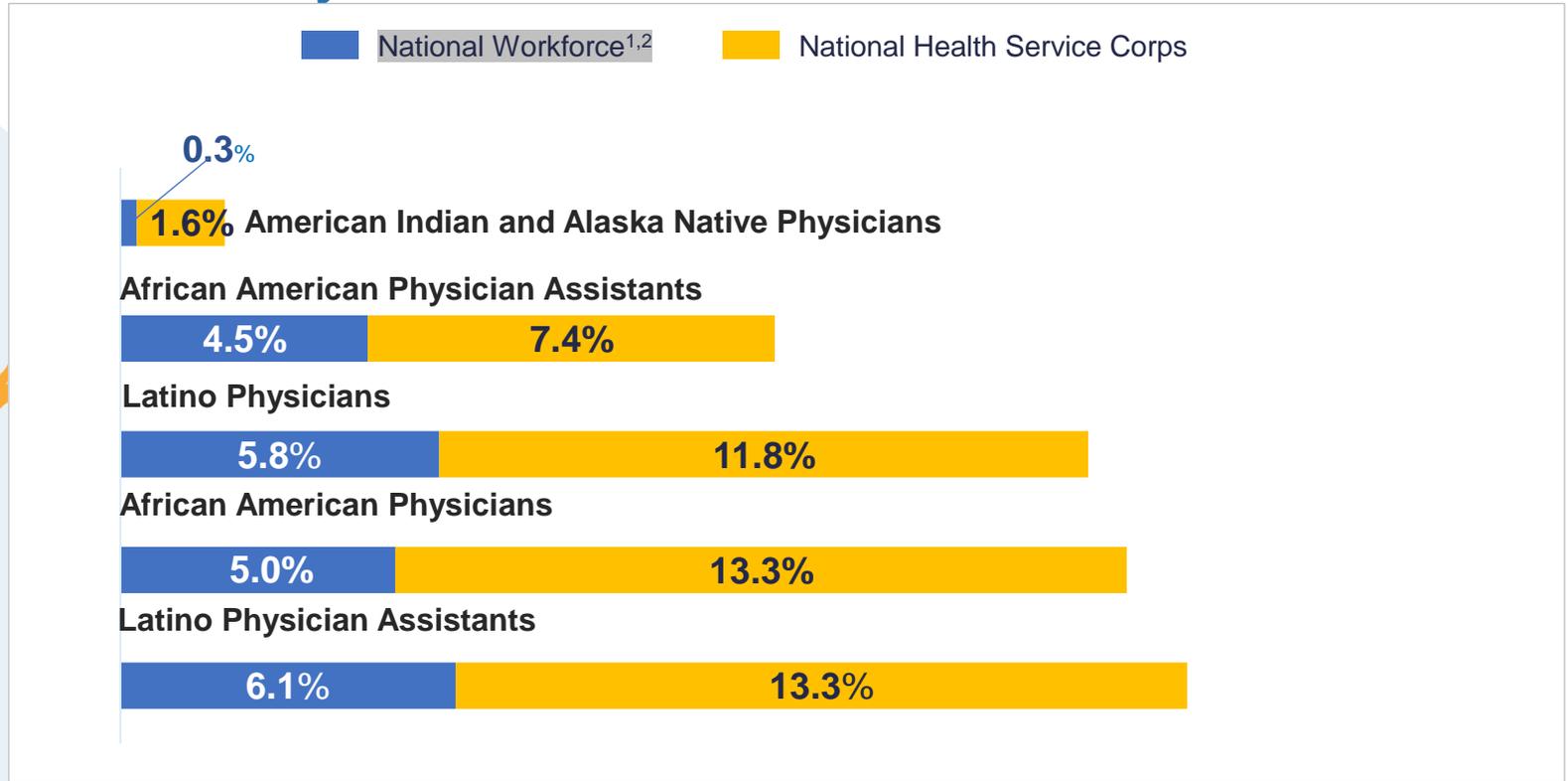
**As of September 30, 2023*

- 47% Behavioral Health Providers
- 29% Nurse Practitioners
- 14% Physicians
- 10% Physician Assistants
- 8% Dentists
- 3% Pharmacists
- 2% Registered Dental Hygienists
- 2% Registered Nurses
- 1% Certified Nurse Midwives
- <1% Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists



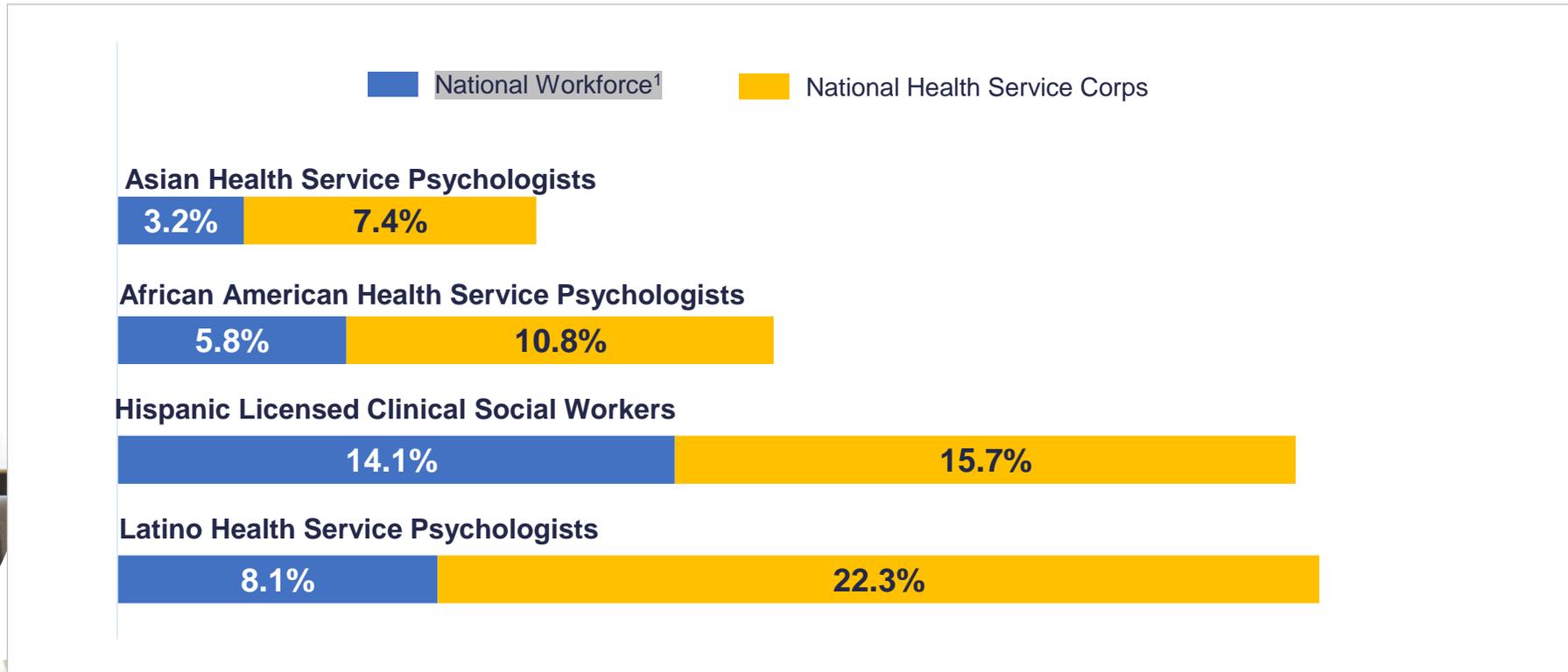


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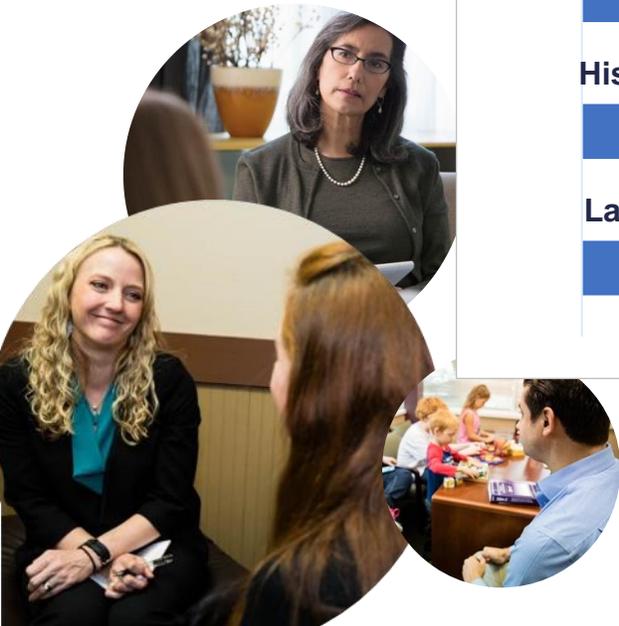


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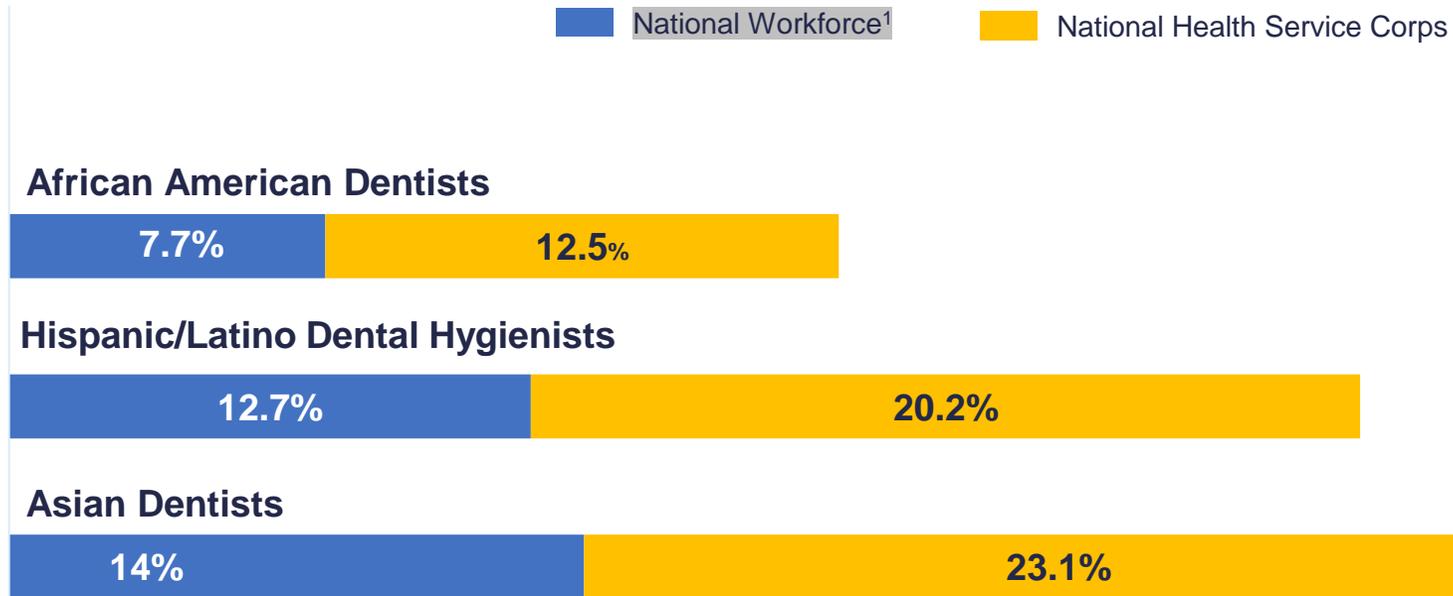
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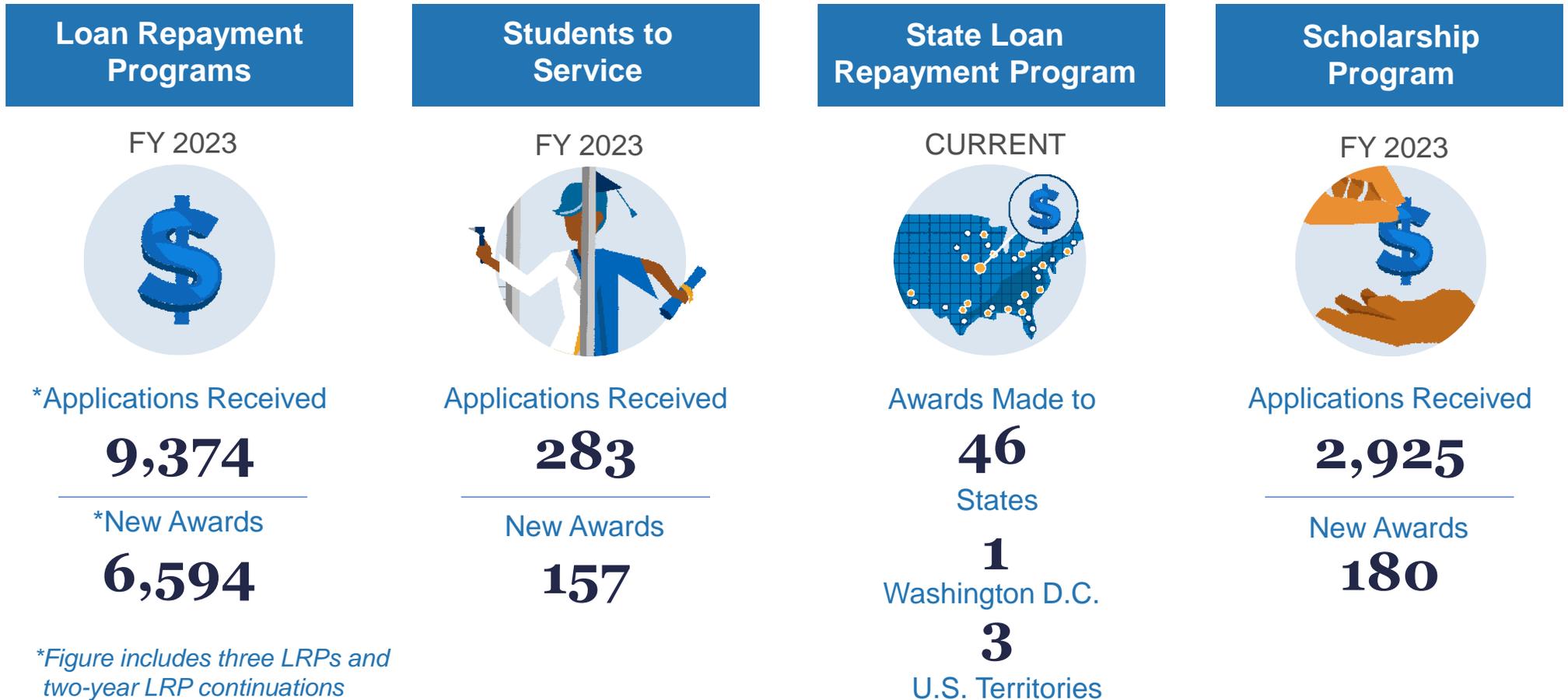
Oral Health*



*As of September 30, 2023



Applications and Awards





Agenda

1: Loan Repayment Programs

- *Original* Loan Repayment Program
- Substance Use Disorder Workforce Loan Repayment Program
- Rural Community Loan Repayment Program
- Students to Service Loan Repayment Program

2: Scholarship Program

3: Member Stories

4: Other Loan Repayment and Scholarship Programs

5: Support and Resources

Impact of the NHSC

More than
18,000
NHSC members are currently providing care to almost
19 million
people in the U.S.

Many NHSC members continue to serve in areas of greatest need beyond their service obligation.



Section 1

LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAMS



New This Year – Loan Repayment Programs

Spanish-language Award Enhancement

Up to
\$5,000

above program's
maximum award amount

Who is eligible for the enhancement?

- An applicant to any NHSC loan repayment program:
 - Who demonstrates Spanish-language proficiency and indicates such on their application.
 - Whose site(s) confirm that the applicant will provide Spanish-speaking services to patients with limited English-speaking skills.



New This Year – Loan Repayment Program Increased Two-Year Award for Primary Care Providers

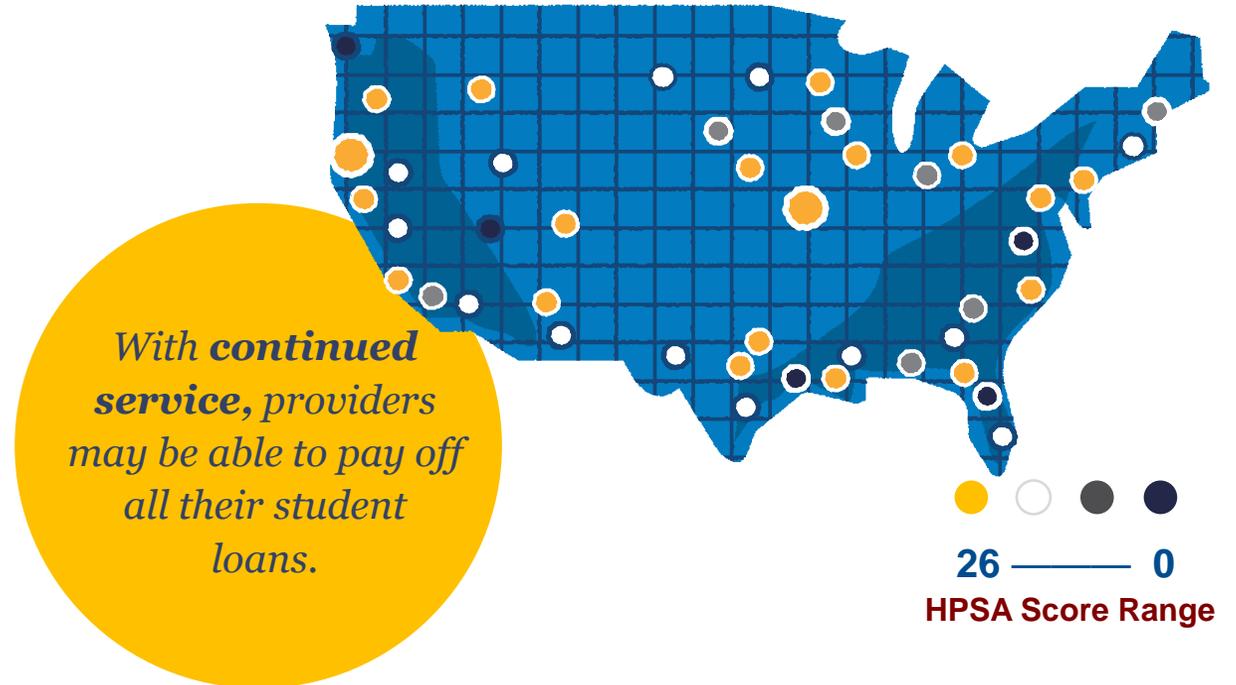


UP TO
\$75,000

FOR 2 YEARS OF SERVICE

Primary care providers, including physicians, nurse practitioners, certified nurse midwives, and physician assistants (serving in a primary care HPSA or a MCTA) are eligible for up to a \$25,000 increase in award funding!

Higher HPSA Score = Higher Need



Applicants working at NHSC-approved sites with higher HPSA scores are given priority.

Loan Repayment Program

Two-year Award for All Eligible Applicants

UP TO

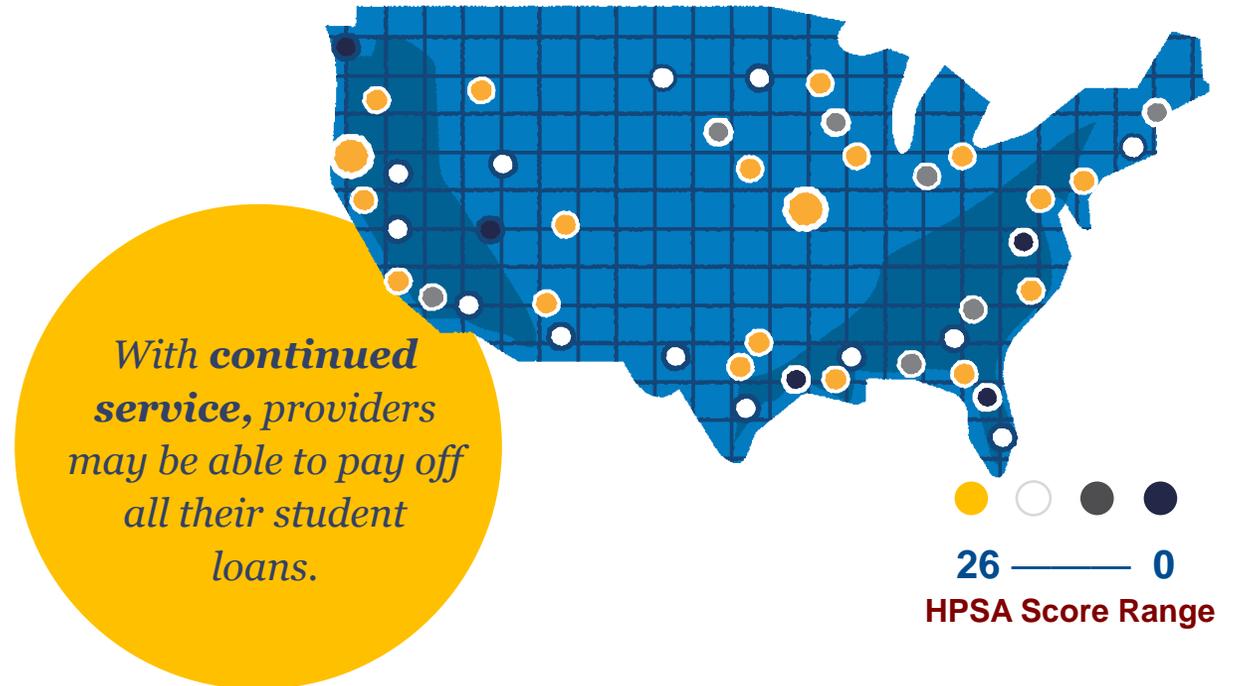
\$50,000

FOR 2 YEARS OF SERVICE



Offers eligible fully licensed dental and behavioral health clinicians loan repayment in exchange for service in an area of greatest need, called a Health Professional Shortage Area (HPSA).

Higher HPSA Score = Higher Need



Applicants working at NHSC-approved sites with higher HPSA scores are given priority.

Maternity Care Target Areas (MCTAs)

MCTA Overview

- Designated score within existing primary care Health Professional Shortage Areas (HPSAs)
- **The MCTA score applies to:**
 - Providers of obstetrics/gynecology
 - Family medicine physicians who practice obstetrics on a regular basis
 - Certified nurse midwives

MCTA Score Range
25 ————— 0

Higher score = Greater need



Loan Repayment Program Support and a Competitive Salary

Providers Receive Loan Repayment in Addition to a Competitive Salary from Their Employers

1

Providers find a job at
an NHSC-approved site

2

Apply to the NHSC
for loan repayment



*Watch the NHSC Site Video
on the "HRSA Tube" YouTube
channel.*

*Find positions at NHSC-
approved sites using the
Health Workforce
Connector:*

<https://connector.hrsa.gov/>



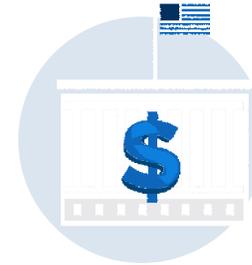
Loan Repayment Program - Eligibility



U.S. citizen or national



Currently work,
or applying to work,
at an NHSC-approved site



Have unpaid government
or commercial loans for
school tuition, reasonable
educational costs, and
reasonable living expenses,
segregated from all other
debts



Licensed to practice
in state where employer
site is located

Must be licensed in one of the following eligible disciplines:

- Physician (MD or DO)*
- Nurse practitioner (primary care)
- Certified nurse-midwife*
- Physician assistant
- Dentist (general or pediatric)
- Registered dental hygienist
- Psychiatrist
- Psychologist (health service)
- Licensed clinical social worker
- Psychiatric nurse specialist
- Marriage and family therapist
- Licensed professional counselor

**The new MCTA score applies to OB/GYNs, family practices with obstetrics services and certified nurse midwives.*

SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER WORKFORCE LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM



Substance Use Disorder Workforce Loan Repayment Program

Expands and improves access to quality opioid and substance use disorder treatment in underserved areas nationwide



AWARDS UP TO
\$75,000
FOR A 3-YEAR SERVICE
COMMITMENT

- Must be trained and licensed to provide SUD treatment at NHSC-approved SUD treatment facilities

Substance Use Disorder Workforce Loan Repayment Program - Eligibility



Must be a U.S. citizen or national working at an NHSC-approved substance use disorder (SUD) treatment facility



Eligible Providers:

Medicine: MD, DO, NP, CNM, PA
Mental/Behavioral Health: HSP,
LCSW, PNS, MFT, LPC
**Substance Use Disorder
Counselors**
Registered Nurses
Pharmacists



Must be trained and licensed to provide SUD treatment



Must have unpaid government or commercial loans for school tuition, reasonable educational and living expenses, segregated from all other debts

Priority is given to applicants:

- Currently providing care in an opioid treatment program;
- Who have specialized substance use disorder training, e.g., an X-waiver or training to administer buprenorphine;
- Who have a license or certification in substance use disorder interventions, such as master's-level substance use disorder counselors.

RURAL COMMUNITY LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM



Rural Community Loan Repayment Program

*Expands and improves access to quality opioid and substance use disorder treatment in **rural areas***



AWARDS UP TO
\$100,000
FOR 3-YEAR SERVICE
COMMITMENT

- Must be trained and licensed to provide SUD treatment at NHSC-approved rural SUD treatment facilities

Rural Community Loan Repayment Program – Eligibility



Must be a U.S. citizen or national working at an NHSC-approved rural substance use disorder (SUD) treatment facility



Eligible Providers:
Medicine: MD, DO, NP, CNM, PA
Mental/Behavioral Health: HSP, LCSW, PNS, MFT, LPC
Substance Use Disorder Counselors
Registered Nurses
Pharmacists
Nurse Anesthetists



Must be trained and licensed to provide SUD treatment



Must have unpaid government or commercial loans for school tuition, reasonable educational and living expenses, segregated from all other debts

Priority is given to applicants:

- Serve at a Rural Communities Opioid Response Program (RCORP) Consortium Member facility;
- Who have specialized substance use disorder training, e.g., an X-waiver or training to administer buprenorphine;
- Who have a license or certification in substance use disorder interventions, such as master's-level substance use disorder counselors.

STUDENTS TO SERVICE LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM





Students to Service Loan Repayment Program

Award

The NHSC offers up to \$120,000 in tax-free loan repayment for 3 years of full-time service or 6 years of half-time service. Loan repayment begins during residency. With continued service, eligible providers may be able to pay off all their student loans.



Eligibility – MD, DO



U.S. citizen or national



Full-time student in the final year at an accredited school, pursuing a degree in medicine (MD or DO)



Must complete an accredited primary medical care residency in an NHSC-approved specialty (Internal Medicine, Family Practice, Pediatrics, OB/GYN, Psychiatry and Geriatrics)



Have unpaid government or commercial loans for school tuition, reasonable educational expenses, and reasonable living expenses, segregated from all other debts

Eligibility – DDS, DMD



U.S. citizen or national



Full-time student in the final year at an accredited school, pursuing a degree in dentistry (DDS or DMD)



Encouraged (but not required) to complete an accredited postgraduate training in an NHSC-approved specialty (General Practice, Advanced Education in General Dentistry, Pediatric Dentistry, Public Health Dentistry, Geriatrics Dentistry Fellowship)



Have unpaid government or commercial loans for school tuition, reasonable educational expenses, and reasonable living expenses, segregated from all other debts

Eligibility – NP or CNM



U.S. citizen or national



Full-time student in the final year at an accredited school, pursuing a degree in nursing (NP or CNM)



Encouraged (but not required) to complete an accredited postgraduate training in an NHSC-approved specialty (Approved postgraduate training for nurse practitioners and certified nurse midwives: a one-year postgraduate training in a community-based care setting.)



Have unpaid government or commercial loans for school tuition, reasonable educational expenses, and reasonable living expenses, segregated from all other debts

Eligibility – PA



U.S. citizen or national



Full-time student in the final year at an accredited school, pursuing a physician assistant degree (PA)



Encouraged (but not required) to complete an accredited postgraduate training in an NHSC-approved specialty (Approved postgraduate training for physician assistants: a one-year postgraduate training in a community-based care setting.)



Have unpaid government or commercial loans for school tuition, reasonable educational expenses, and reasonable living expenses, segregated from all other debts

Section 2

SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM



Scholarship Program (1 of 4)

*Students
pursuing careers
in primary health care
can receive a
Scholarship now
and serve later*



Must be pursuing:

- A degree in medicine (allopathic or osteopathic) ;
- A degree in dentistry; or
- A postgraduate degree or postgraduate certificate from a school or program in nurse-midwifery education, physician assistant (PA) education, or nurse practitioner (NP) education specializing in adult medicine, family medicine, geriatrics, pediatrics, psychiatric-mental health, or women's health.

Scholarship Program (2 of 4)

YEARS OF
SUPPORT

=

YEARS OF
SERVICE

Scholars commit to serve at an NHSC-approved site in a high-need area upon completion of their training: **2- to 4-year service commitment depending on years of support.**



Eligibility



U.S. citizen or national



Full-time student at an accredited school, pursuing a degree in:

- Medicine (DO or MD)
- Dentistry (DMD or DDS)
- Nurse practitioner
- Certified nurse-midwife
- Physician assistant (primary care)



Physicians are required to complete postgraduate training in an accredited primary care program.

Dentists, Advanced Practice Registered Nurses and Physician Assistants are encouraged (but not required) to complete an accredited postgraduate training in an NHSC-approved specialty.



*Scholarship pays tuition, a monthly stipend (taxable) and other reasonable educational and living expenses in exchange for a minimum of two (2) years of full-time service.

*Available up to 4 years

NHSC Scholar Site Selection

- Service begins upon graduation (and completion of any required primary care residency).
- **The NHSC works with Scholars to find a practice site** that's right for them and meets the required minimum HPSA score.
- When in service, Scholars earn a competitive salary paid by their site.



Section 3

MEMBER STORIES



Member Stories - Participants

 **YouTube** [Check out these provider's stories on YouTube](#)



*Elizabeth
Charlat,
LCSW*



*Dr. Maria
Martinez,
DMD*



*Dr. Brian
Freeman,
MD*

Member Stories - Awards

How NHSC Awards are Determined



[Click to view video on YouTube](#)

Section 4

OTHER LOAN REPAYMENT AND SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMS



Other Loan Repayment and Scholarship Programs

State Loan Repayment Program

State Loan Repayment Program (SLRP)

- Provides cost-sharing grants to states to operate their own loan repayment programs for primary care providers in underserved areas.
- **Eligible disciplines** vary, but may include:
 - Physicians,
 - Nurse practitioners,
 - Physician assistants,
 - Dental professionals,
 - Registered nurses,
 - Mental, behavioral health professionals,
 - Pharmacists, and
 - Substance use disorder counselors.





Other Loan Repayment and Scholarship Programs

All BHW Programs – open to individuals



- ✓ Original Loan Repayment Program
- ✓ Substance Use Disorder Workforce Loan Repayment Program
- ✓ Rural Community Loan Repayment Program
- ✓ Students to Service Loan Repayment Program
- ✓ Scholarship Program
- ✓ State Loan Repayment Program

- ✓ Loan Repayment Program
- ✓ Scholarship Program

- ✓ Native Hawaiian Health Scholarship Program
- ✓ Faculty Loan Repayment Program
- ✓ Scholarships for Disadvantaged Students
- ✓ Nurse Faculty Loan Repayment Program
- ✓ Substance Use Disorder Treatment and Recovery Loan Repayment Program
- ✓ Pediatric Specialty Loan Repayment Program

Loan Repayment Programs (LRPs) For Nurses Comparison

The NHSC loan repayment programs (LRPs) below include:

- NHSC Loan Repayment Program (NHSC LRP)
- NHSC Substance Use Disorder Workforce Loan Repayment Program (NHSC SUD Workforce LRP)
- NHSC Rural Community Loan Repayment Program

DISCIPLINES	DISCIPLINES	
	NHSC LRPs	Nurse Corps LRP
Primary Care Nurse Practitioner	X	X
Certified Nurse-Midwife	X	X
Psychiatric Nurse Specialist	X	X
Registered Nurse ¹	X	X
Clinical Nurse Specialist		X
Nurse Anesthetist ²	X	X
Nurse Faculty		X

SERVICE COMMITMENT	SERVICE COMMITMENT	
	NHSC LRPs	Nurse Corps LRP ⁴
Full-Time	2 Years NHSC LRP - ≤ \$50,000	2 Years (Full-time only) 60% of total qualifying educational loan balance 3 rd Year (Full-time only) 25% additional repayment of original loan balance
	3 Years NHSC SUD Workforce LRP – ≤ \$75,000	
	3 Years NHSC Rural Community LRP – ≤ \$100,000	
Half-Time	2 Years NHSC LRP - ≤ \$25,000	
	3 Years NHSC SUD Workforce LRP ≤ \$37,500	
	3 Years NHSC Rural Community LRP ≤ \$50,000	
Full or Half-Time	1 or more additional years at your NHSC site may qualify for additional repayment funds ³	

¹ Registered Nurses are eligible for the NHSC SUD Workforce LRP and NHSC Rural Community LRP only.

² Certified Nurse Anesthetists are only eligible for the NHSC Rural Community LRP.

³ NHSC SUD Workforce LRP and NHSC Rural Community LRP participants are not eligible for one-year continuations but may apply to the NHSC LRP upon completion of their initial obligation.

⁴ NHSC loan repayment awards are not taxable; the full Nurse Corps loan repayment award is taxable. Federal taxes are deducted directly; state/local taxes are the responsibility of the participant.

Loan Repayment Programs (LRPs) For Nurses Comparison

Site Types

APPROVED SITE TYPES	
NHSC-Approved Sites/Facilities	Nurse Corps-Approved Sites
<p>Must work at an NHSC-approved service site located in a Health Professional Shortage Area (HPSA).</p>	<p>Must work in a public or private nonprofit Critical Shortage Facility, which is a health care facility located in, designated as, or serving a primary care or mental health HPSA. Nurse faculty must be employed by an eligible public or private nonprofit school of nursing.</p>
<p>NHSC SUD Workforce LRP and NHSC Rural Community LRP participants must work at an NHSC-approved SUD treatment facility located in a Health Professional Shortage Area (HPSA).</p>	



Section 5

SUPPORT & RESOURCES



Award Preference Opportunities – Free Training

We partnered with the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration’s (SAMHSA) Providers Clinical Support System (PCSS) to connect clinicians to free Medications for Opioid Use Disorder (MOUD) training.



Helps increase the number of SUD treatment clinicians with SUD training in high-need communities.



nhsc.hrsa.gov/moud-training

Why should you complete MOUD training to obtain an X-waiver?

- Be a part of the solution to our nation’s opioid epidemic.
- Help increase access to comprehensive SUD treatment in rural and underserved areas.
- Be a priority applicant for some NHSC loan repayment programs.

Are you eligible for the free training?

You are eligible for MOUD training if you have an active *Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) number to dispense controlled substances and are one of the following:

- Physician (MD/DO)
- Nurse practitioner (NP)
- Physician assistant (PA)
- Certified nurse-midwife (CNM)
- Certified registered nurse anesthetist (CRNA)
- Medical students (in eligible disciplines)

*Applying for your DEA number only takes a few moments.
Visit <https://apps.dea diversion.usdoj.gov/webforms/> to learn more.

Support & Resources – Approved Sites

NHSC-Approved Sites

- NHSC clinicians serve at approved sites throughout the nation.
- NHSC-approved sites are outpatient facilities providing primary care medical, dental, and/or mental and behavioral health services.
- The facility may be located in a rural, urban or tribal community.
- To apply to become an NHSC site, the facility must be an [eligible site type](#) and meet applicable requirements.





Support & Resources – Eligible Site Types

NHSC Eligible Site Types

- Federally Qualified Health Centers
 - Community Health Center
 - Migrant Health
 - Homeless Program
 - Public Housing Program
 - School-Based Program
 - Mobile Clinic
- FQHC Look-Alikes
- Indian Health Service Facilities
- Certified Rural Health Clinics
- Correctional or Detention Facilities (Federal/State/Immigration and Customs Enforcement)
- Critical Access Hospitals
- State or Local Health Departments
- Community Outpatient Facilities
 - Hospital Affiliated
 - Non-Hospital Affiliated
- Private Practices (Solo & Group Practice)
- School-Based Clinics
- Mobile Clinics
- Free Clinics
- Substance Use Disorder Treatment Facilities



Support & Resources – Approved SUD Treatment Facilities

NHSC-Approved Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Eligible Treatment Facilities

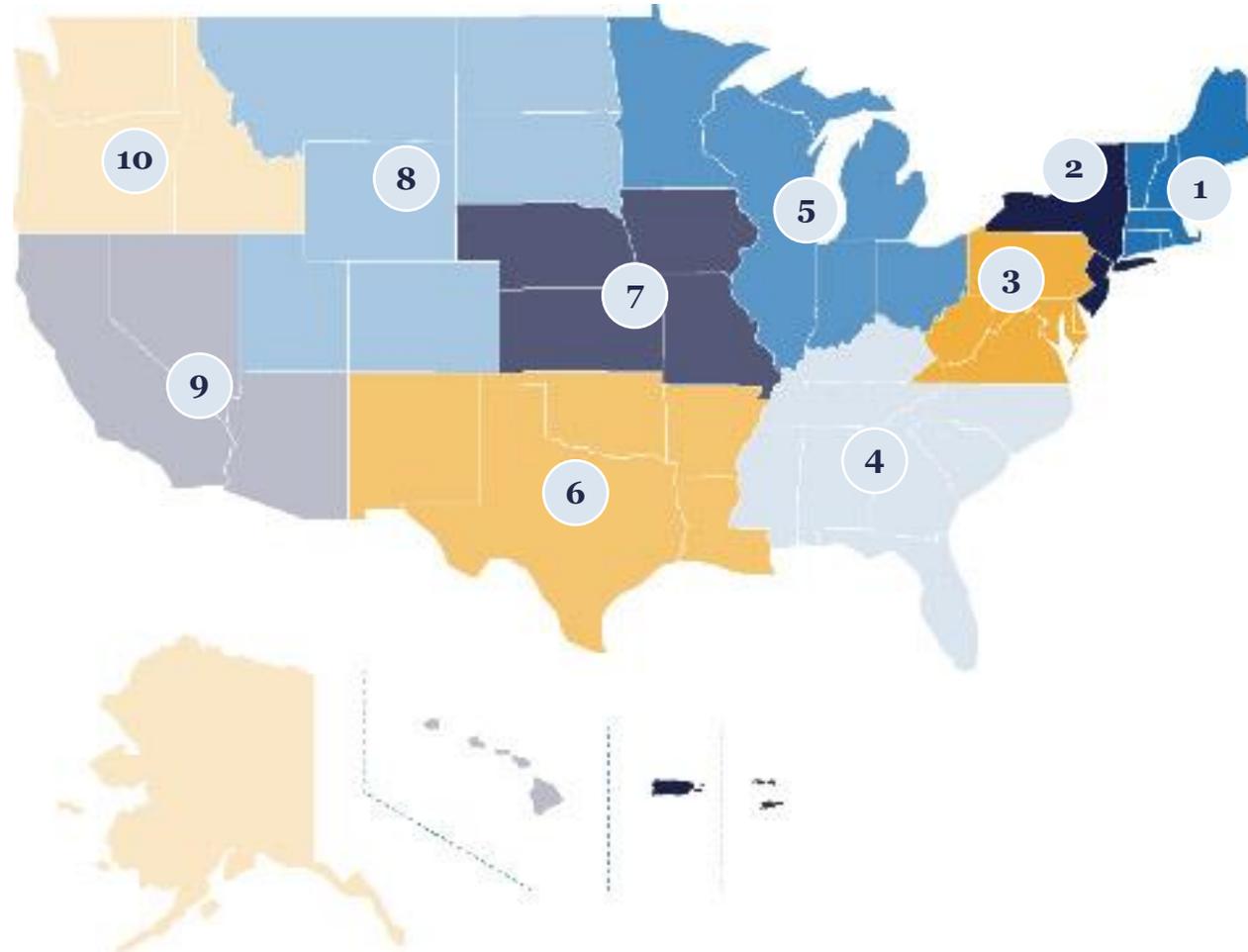
To be an NHSC-approved SUD treatment facility, sites must have demonstrated that they meet the requirements set forth in the NHSC Site Agreement and NHSC Site Reference Guide, including submission of SUD documentation.

- SAMHSA-certified opioid treatment programs (OTPs)
- Office-based opioid treatment facilities (OBOTs)
- Non-opioid substance use disorder treatment facilities (SUD treatment facilities)
- Federally Qualified Health Care Centers (FQHCs)
- Rural Health Clinics (RHCs)
- American Indian Health facilities
- FQHC Look-Alikes
- State or federal correctional facilities
- Critical Access Hospitals
- Community health centers
- State or local health departments
- Community outpatient facilities
- Private practices
- School-based clinics
- Mobile units and free clinics

Support & Resources – Division of Regional Operations (DRO) Offices

Support for Providers

- Support for you in your region
- BHW staff located in 10 regional offices provide dedicated contacts for your area.
- Find your contact on the NHSC website



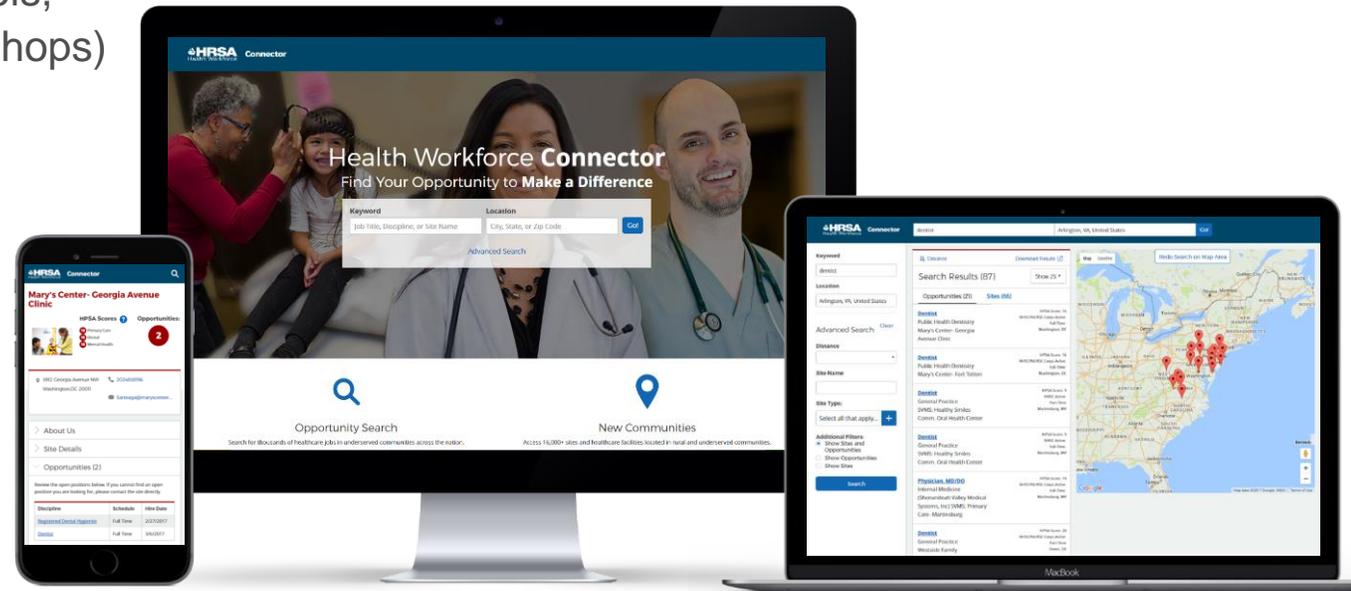
Regions

- 1** Boston
- 2** New York
- 3** Philadelphia
- 4** Atlanta
- 5** Chicago
- 6** Dallas
- 7** Kansas City
- 8** Denver
- 9** San Francisco
- 10** Seattle

Support & Resources – Health Workforce Connector: Job Seekers

Health Workforce Connector (HWC)

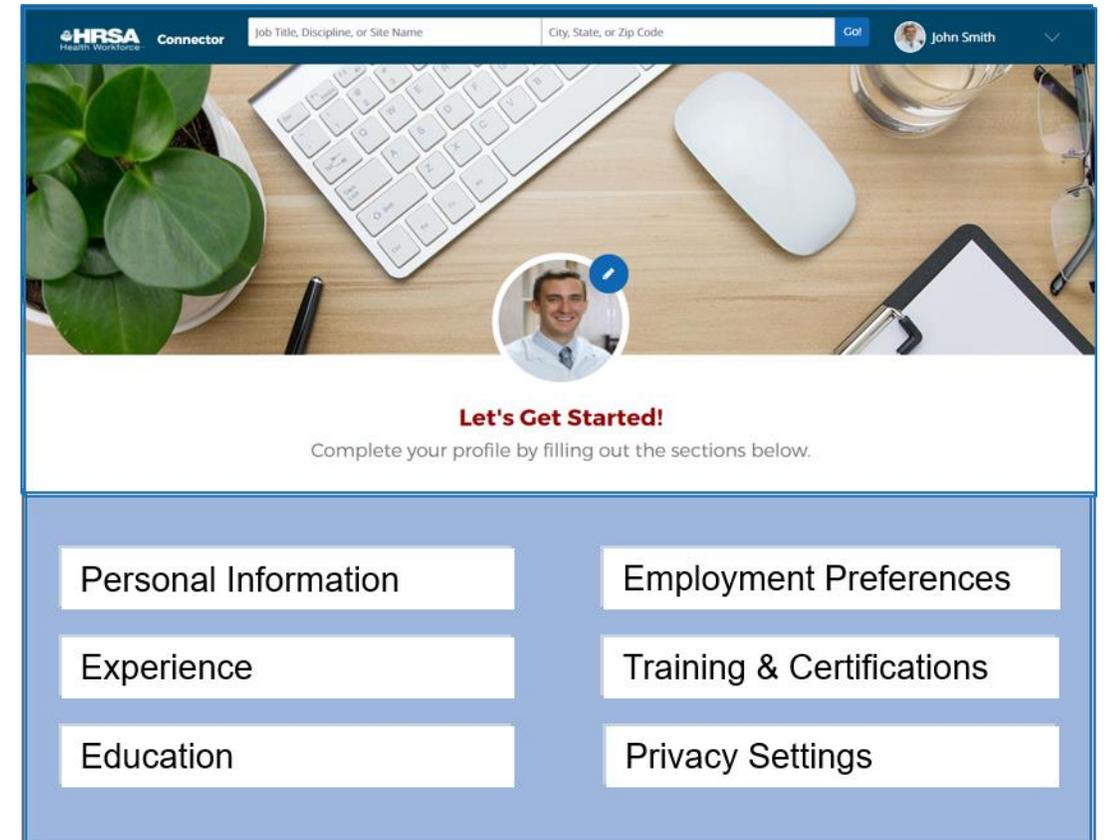
- View job vacancies at thousands of NHSC- and Nurse Corps-approved sites nationwide.
- Google Maps technology allows users to view the surrounding community (e.g., schools, restaurants, parks, places of worship, shops)
- Narrow your job search by:
 - Field of Practice
 - Specialty
 - HPSA Score
 - Site Name
 - Zip Code
 - Sites with Open Positions



Support & Resources – Job Seeker Profiles

Health Workforce Connector (HWC) Profiles

- Health Workforce Connector provides a free service for primary medical, dental and behavioral health job seekers to search for jobs in underserved areas throughout the nation.
- Verified recruiters and site administrators can search for potential candidates from a database of job seeker profiles, including NHSC and Nurse Corps participants.



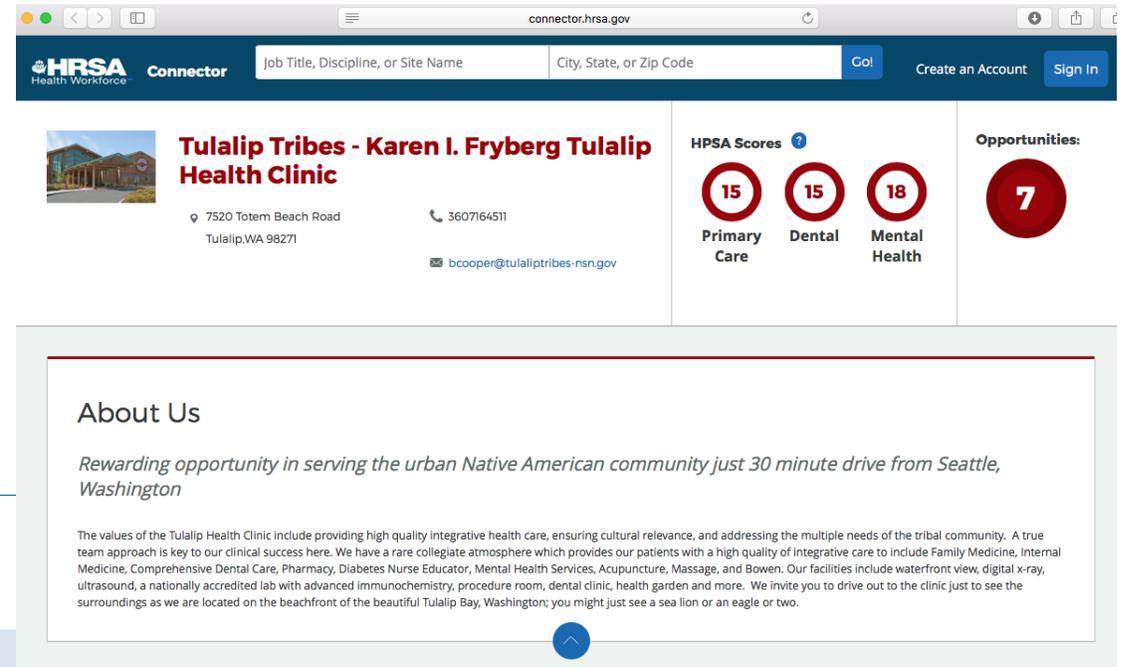
The screenshot shows the HRSA Health Workforce Connector user interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the HRSA logo, the word "Connector", and search fields for "Job Title, Discipline, or Site Name" and "City, State, or Zip Code". A user profile for "John Smith" is visible in the top right corner. Below the navigation bar is a large image of a desk with a keyboard, mouse, and a potted plant. A circular profile picture of a man in a white lab coat is overlaid on the image. Below the image, the text reads "Let's Get Started!" followed by "Complete your profile by filling out the sections below." At the bottom, there are six buttons arranged in two columns: "Personal Information", "Employment Preferences", "Experience", "Training & Certifications", "Education", and "Privacy Settings".

Health Workforce Connector Site Profiles

NHSC- and Nurse Corps-approved sites can create a profile and post job vacancies, visible to thousands of health care professionals who are actively seeking employment in underserved communities.

Create a site profile highlighting:

- Job Opportunities
- Services Provided
- Employee Benefits.
- Site Characteristics
- Local Community (schools, attractions, etc.)
- Photos
- Relevant Links & Websites



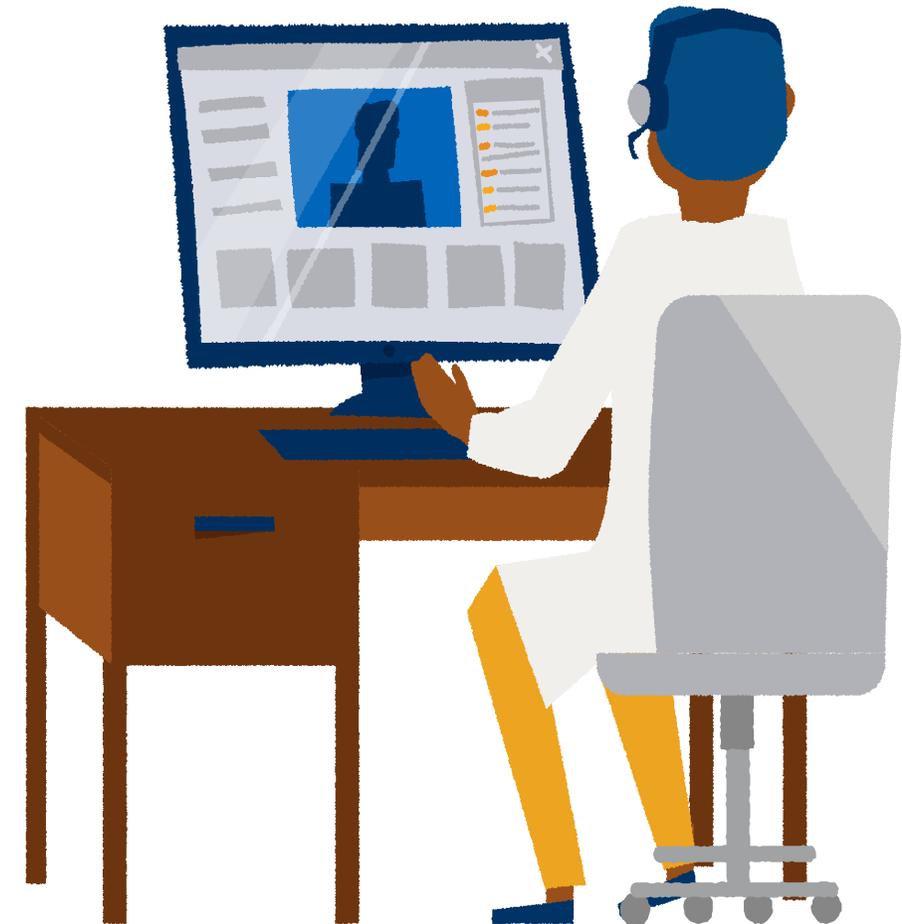
Support & Resources – Virtual Job Fair Benefits

What Is A Virtual Job Fair?

Virtual Job Fairs offer an innovative way for NHSC- and Nurse Corps-approved sites to promote job opportunities to a targeted audience of primary care clinicians who are interested in serving communities with limited access to health care

Benefits:

- Sites advertise to a wider audience
- Connections are made virtually with no travel costs
- Clinicians connect with sites in targeted areas where they are looking to work
- Clinicians explore jobs at sites they may not have been aware of for consideration
- Both job-seekers and sites are provided technical assistance on using the Health Workforce Connector



Support & Resources – Virtual Job Fair Event

What Happens In A Virtual Job Fair?

- Using Zoom Events, sites are assigned a booth in our virtual expo floor where attendees can move freely, network via one-on-one chat, and join other participants in expo booths for conversation.
- Sites are provided a 30-minute timeslot where job seekers can join site representatives in their virtual booth to learn more about the site, local community and population served, position(s) available, practice models, salary, benefits, and more.
- 3 to 3 ½ hours long and can accommodate up to 30 sites





Support & Resources – Share Your Service

#ShareYourService

NHSC clinicians, alumni and sites:

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Health workforce training

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Rural health

Underserved communities:
either work with or
be a member of

➤ **ADDITIONAL EXPERTISE**

Diversity, equity, inclusion
and accessibility

Health equity

Lived experience

Social determinants of health



➤ **BENEFITS**

Learn about the
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- Bureau of Health Workforce (BHW)
- Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA)
- Phone: 1-800-221-9393 (Customer Care Center); M-F, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. ET, except federal holidays

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