

UPDATES

Health Care Provider Loan Repayment Program

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HEALTH CARE PROVIDER LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM (HCPLRP)

Summary

- House Bill 48 with House Amendment I
 - DHCC may award education loan repayment grants to qualifying clinicians up to \$50,000 per year for a maximum of four years
 - Clinician Qualifications
 - New primary care provider in an ambulatory or outpatient setting
 - Completed graduate education within six-months of the application for HCPLRP grant being submitted (requirement waived for the first cohort of applications because of the program implementation development)



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Awards

- Weighted Criteria
 - 1 - 4 points (30% of maximum funding)
 - 5 - 7 points (60% of maximum funding)
 - 7 - 9.5 (100% of maximum funding)

- Funding Allocation
 - Mid-level health care practitioner (30%)
 - Advanced degree health care practitioner (70%)



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Application

- Applications will be accepted on a rolling basis, with six (6) week review/award intervals
- Estimated application cycle tentatively scheduled for May 15, July 15, and September 1
- Application will be available on DHCC website,
- Three-part application (fillable form):
 - Part A - Employer Application
 - Part B - Healthcare Practitioner Application
 - Part C - Loan Information and Verification



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Marketing Update

- DHCC secured a marketing vendor (Aloysius Butler & Clark) to develop a logo, marketing materials, tool kit, create website design, and develop a statewide campaign strategy for increasing brand and program awareness

