
DC HEALTH PROFESSIONAL LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM



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<https://dchealth.dc.gov/service/dc-health-professional-loan-repayment-program-hplrp>

On March 15, 2019, DC Health will accept applications for the Health Professional Loan Repayment Program (HPLRP). The program provides loan repayment services to eligible providers practicing in HPLRP-certified Service Obligation Sites (SOS) in the District. New provider applications will be accepted from March 15 – April 30, 2019.

The HPLRP will issue up to ten (10) award contracts to **primary care, mental health** and/or **dental health** providers, including: physicians, registered nurses, advanced practice nurses, physician assistants, clinical social workers, clinical psychologists, professional counselors, dentists and dental hygienists. Award contracts will cover **two years** of participation and award contract amounts will be equivalent to 44 percent of a provider's total eligible debt - up to a maximum of **\$66,809.92** for physicians and dentists, and up to **\$36,744.59** for all other eligible primary care, mental health and dental providers.

Providers interested in the program must be employed or have an employment contract with a certified Service Obligation Site (SOS) to provide direct patient care for at least 40 hours per week. A site must be an approved SOS for a provider to be eligible for the HPLRP. To become an SOS, a site must be a public or non-profit entity located in a Health Professional Shortage or Medically Underserved Area /Population (HPSA/MUA/MUP) and must submit a Site Certification Application to the HPLRP. HPLRP applications, including recommendation letters and loan verification information, must be completed and received by DC Health by April 30, 2019.

Anticipated contract start dates for selected applicants is June 30, 2019.

For more information please click [here](#) or contact the loan repayment program directly at HPLRP@dc.gov or 202-442-5892.