

# Delta Health Care Services Grant

## What does this program do?

**This program provides financial assistance to address ongoing, unmet health needs in the Delta Region. Grants are awarded to promote cooperation among health care professionals, institutions of higher education or research, and other regional stakeholders.**

**Applications are announced annually through the *Federal Register* (available at this link: [tinyurl.com/RD-FedReg](https://tinyurl.com/RD-FedReg)) and at [grants.gov](https://grants.gov).**



Delta Health Care  
Services Grant Website

## Who can apply?

To apply for this grant, you must be a group of three or more entities that are institutions of higher education, academic health and research institutes, or economic development entities located in the Delta Region. A list of Delta Region states is available at this link: [go.usa.gov/xzTf7](https://go.usa.gov/xzTf7). Individuals are not eligible to apply for this program.

## How can funds be used?

Funds can be used to develop health care services, education, or job training programs, and to develop or expand public health-related facilities in the region.

## What are some other grant terms?

- Delta Health Care Services Grants range from \$50,000 -- \$1 million. Matching funds are not required.
- If you are awarded a grant, you will have two years to complete your project.

## How do we get started?

The annual *Federal Register* notice and information on [grants.gov](https://grants.gov) will help you determine what is needed to complete your application.. Be sure to gather all information well ahead

of the application deadline. Among other items, you will need to provide letters of support or commitment from outside organizations, along with a work plan, budget, and other required forms. These are available from your local USDA Rural Development office. A map and list of state offices is available at this link: [tinyurl.com/RDStateOffices](https://tinyurl.com/RDStateOffices).

## Will I need to send any reports if I receive a grant?

If you receive a grant, you will need to send regular financial and performance reports. Your grant agreement will tell you how often you need to send the reports, what forms you need to use, and what information you need to put in the reports.

## Who can answer questions?

Your local USDA Rural Development Rural Business-Cooperative Service staff can help. A list of state offices is available at this link: [tinyurl.com/RDStateOffices](https://tinyurl.com/RDStateOffices).

Please contact the USDA RD office in the state in which the applicant's headquarters is located.

Be sure to visit the Delta Health Care Services Grant webpage at [tinyurl.com/RBCSDelta](https://tinyurl.com/RBCSDelta) to ensure you are working from the most recent information available.

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**NOTE: Because information changes, always consult official program instructions or contact your local USDA Rural Development office for help. A list is available at this link: [tinyurl.com/RDStateOffices](https://tinyurl.com/RDStateOffices). You will find additional RD program resources at [rd.usda.gov](https://rd.usda.gov). Information about other USDA programs and services is available at this link: [ask.usda.gov](https://ask.usda.gov). USDA is an equal opportunity provider, employer, and lender.**

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