

CONNECTICUT OPPORTUNITIES FOR ARRA STIMULUS FUNDS – CT DPH

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COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTERS	New Access Point Grants	Generations CHC Putnam; Norwalk CHC; Torrington CHC	\$1,125,000 \$1,300,000 \$1,300,000	Available until 9/30/11	New site, new facility = 3,200 patients Now a HRSA funded FQHC - increase staffing Now a HRSA funded FQHC - increase staffing
	Increased Demand for Services	Optimus, BPT SW CHC, BPT EHTFD CHC Charter Oak HTFD CHC INC, MTOWN Fair Haven CHC Hill Health Ctr Norwalk CHC Torrington CHC Staywell, WTBY Generations CHC, WILLIMANTIC	\$592,573 \$298,881 \$216,655 \$314,172 \$267,774 \$670,628 \$281,251 \$398,511 \$100,000 \$100,000 \$270,184 \$261,264		New staff = 9,450 new visits New staff = 3, 000 new visits New staff = 3,000 new patients served New staff, improved HIT = 1,427 new patients served New staff = up to 10,000 patients served New staff, improved HIT = 2200 new patients served New staff = 1,144 new unduplicated patients New staff, new services = 1,720 new patients New staff = 500 new patients served Expansion/outreach of homeless APRN services New staff, new services = 1,677 new patients New staff = 1,350 new patients served
DRINKING WATER	Drinking Water State Revolving Fund Provide principle forgiveness loans for Public Water Systems with “shovel-ready” drinking water infrastructure projects	CT DPH / Drinking Water Program Public Water Systems	\$19,500,000	September 30, 2011	Draft Intended Use Plan submitted to EPA for approval; Solicited projects in January and March 2009. Received 167 applications valued at \$337 million; Public Hearing 6/1/09; Final IUP due to EPA by 6/19. DPH expects approval by 6/30/09.

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HEALTHCARE ASSOCIATED INFECTIONS	Healthcare Associated Infection (HAI) tracking and prevention to improve the health of Americans and to make healthcare more effective and efficient.	CT DPH / HAI	\$1,668,887 Application \$427,467	Application due 6/26/09 Funding 8/30/09-12/31/11	Program expectations: HAI plan consistent with the federal (DHHS) plan; HAI data gathering and use of the CDC's HAI surveillance software and data management system (NHSN); establishment of "multicenter evidence-based HAI prevention collaboratives among acute care hospitals within the state" to make progress on the National Prevention Targets in the DHHS HAI plan. Competitive application supplement to Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity for Infectious Diseases (ELC): Planning = \$126,138; Surveillance = \$1,049,046 = Prevention Collaboratives = \$493,703. Competitive application supplement to Connecticut Emerging Infections Program (CT EIP): 13-Valent Pneumococcal Conjugate Vaccine = \$193,200; Human Papillomavirus Vaccine Impact Across CT (HPV-IMPACT) = \$234,267
IMMUNIZATIONS	Increase vaccination for infectious diseases. Improve management information systems	CT DPH / Infectious Diseases	\$3,130, 673		26,000 doses of rotavirus vaccine for infants <1 year = \$2,166,673 (69%) Registry application development and data entry support = \$689,000 Purchase Master Patient Index license (MPI) for immunization registry application system enhancement = \$275,000
LEAD ABATEMENT TITLE VIII	Lead Based Paint Hazard Control Grant Program Healthy Homes Grant Program	New London City Norwich City Waterbury City CT DSS/CCMC	\$2,004,538 \$1,699,588 \$3,000,000 \$875,000	Available until 9/30/11	Waterbury & New London have HUD LBP Hazard Control grants. Lead Action For Medicaid Primary Prevention (LAMPP) Program in Blue Hills & Upper Albany neighborhoods – Htfd
NUTRITION (WIC)	Enhance Women, Infants, and Children Program Improve mgmt info systems	CT DPH / WIC Program WIC Providers	\$1,362,164 \$400,428 Application	FFY 2009 FFY 2010	Received to offset food funding shortfall due to the increased number of WIC clients Submitted Planning – Advanced Planning Document under WIC Technology Grant for \$520,348 (\$119,920 from current WIC Grant funding). Additional FFY 2010 funding, in the amount of \$400,428, is required to fund the completion of the project's Implementation Phase.

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			\$266,000 Application	Sept 2009	Technology Support Funding for existing MIS projects: Automated Dialing System = \$90,000 Computer Hardware/Software Upgrade = \$140,000 Digital Satellite Linkages (DSL) for Local Agency Operations = \$36,000
WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT	The National Health Service Corps Loan Repayment Program provides \$50,000 (or the outstanding balance of qualifying student loans if it is less than \$50,000) tax free, to Primary Care physicians, Certified Nurse Practitioners, Certified Nurse Midwives, Physician Assistants, General Practice Dentists, Dental Hygienists, Health Service Psychologists, Licensed Clinical Social Workers, Psychiatric Nurse Specialists, Marriage and Family Therapists, and Licensed Professional Counselors in exchange for two years of service at an approved site in a Health Professional Shortage Area.	Community clinics, health centers, provider groups		Applications will be accepted continuously until funds are expended or September 30, 2010	CT vacancies (http://nhscjobs.hrsa.gov/Search.aspx) Medical = 47 Dental = 26 Mental Health = 22 Application Forms (http://nhsc.hrsa.gov/loanrepayment)
RURAL DEVELOPMENT	Water and Wastewater Community Facility Programs	Putnam Water Putnam Sewer Woodstock Academy - Sewer	\$3,230,000 \$13,500,000 \$1,400,000		Managed by local municipality, DEP, DPW, and Department of Economic Development.
VETERANS ADMIN	Extended Care Facilities	CT VA	\$10,119,000		CT Department of Public Works and Veterans Administration submitted initial paperwork to US VA.