

SB 76 - Rural Physician Loan Repayment Program

Sponsor: Hinkins

Performance Note Report

Funding For:

New Agency
 New Services or benefit
 Serving a new or larger population

Public Benefit

purpose : Health care professionals that are eligible to receive funding under the Program include: Physicians. Funding is awarded to health care professionals to assist them paying off their educational loans in exchange for their agreement to provide primary heal

Services : Physicians awarded under the program provide primary health care services to rural Utah Hospitals. Primary health care services provided by Physicians would include care in rural hospitals to medically underserved populations.

Expected Outcome : Decrease in health disparity and increase in medically underserved populations obtaining access to primary health care services. The public will benefit from the cost savings due to medically underserved populations being able to access and receive prima

Implementations and Resources : Rural Physician loan repayment Program will will create a new advisory committee, as listed in the statute, to make recommendations to the department and advise the department on for the development and modification a of rules to administer the program.

How : Physicians shall sign a grant agreement to serve Utah medically underserved populations is expected to decrease health disparities and increase the number of medically underserved populations having access to primary health care services. This will help

Performance Measures

Goal

Title : Physician working at the Rural Hospital

Description : Number of physicians working in the program as determined by actual allocation of funding.

Collection Method : annual reporting from hospital. No performance data until funded.

	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015
Target or BenchMark	0	0	0
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