Workshop Overview

- HHS Organizational Overview
- HRSA Overview
- ARRA Funding for HC Grantees
- ARRA Funding for NHSC
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Agencies within the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

- Administration for Children & Families (ACF)
- Administration on Aging (AOA)
- Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS)
- Agency for Healthcare Research & Quality (AHRQ)
- Centers for Disease Control & Prevention (CDC)
- Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA)
- Agency for Toxic Substances & Disease Registry (ATSDR)
- Food & Drug Administration (FDA)
- Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA)
- Indian Health Service (IHS)
- National Institutes of Health (NIH)
HRSA: The Nation’s Access Agency

HRSA works to:

- Expand access to comprehensive, culturally competent, quality health care
- Improve health outcomes among America’s ethnic/racial communities
- Train health professionals and improve systems of care in rural communities
Agency Overview

- **HRSA Vision:**
  HRSA envisions optimal health for all, supported by a health care system that assures access to comprehensive, culturally competent, quality care.

- **HRSA Mission:**
  HRSA provides national leadership, program resources and services needed to improve access to culturally competent, quality health care.
Agency Overview Continued

- HRSA Goals:
  
  Goal #1: Improve Access to Health Care
  
  Goal #2: Improve Health Outcomes
  
  Goal #3: Improve the Quality of Health Care
  
  Goal #4: Eliminate Health Disparities
Agency Overview Continued

- HRSA Goals continued:

  Goal #5: Improve the public health and health care systems

  Goal #6: Achieve excellence in management practices
How HRSA Serves America

- **HIV/AIDS Bureau:**

  Administers the Ryan White HIV/AIDS program, which funds primary health care, support services and life-saving medications for more than 530,000 low-income, uninsured and underinsured people living with HIV/AIDS.
How HRSA Serves America

- Bureau of Primary Health Care:

Manages the national health center network, which is comprised of more than 1,110 grantees that operate community, migrant, homeless and public housing health centers. The grantees provide community-based, primary health care at over 7,500 sites nationwide and will provide care for 16 million people during FY09.
How HRSA Serves America

- Maternal and Child Health Bureau:

In partnership with States, MCH programs serve more than 34 million women, infants, and children each year. About 60 percent of U.S. women who give birth receive services through HRSA-supported programs.
How HRSA Serves America

- **Bureau of Health Professions:**

  In many areas, health care professionals are in short supply. BHPPr helps train physicians, dentists, nurses, physician assistants, mental health professionals, and other providers and places them where they are needed most.
How HRSA Serves America

- Healthcare Systems Bureau:
  
  Oversees the Nation’s transplant systems, helps communities respond to mass casualty events, and compensates families of children harmed by vaccines.
How HRSA Serves America

- Bureau of Clinician Recruitment and Service:
  
  Administers programs such as the National Health Service Corps in which individuals accept loan repayments or scholarships in primary care training in exchange for service in medically underserved areas.
How HRSA Serves America

- **Office of Rural Health Policy:**

  Administers grants and technical assistance that helps rural health care providers build coordinated systems of care that improve local residents’ access to medical services.
Office of Performance Review

- Performance and Strategic Partnership Reviews
  - Types of HRSA-Funded Grantees:
    - Community Based, University/College
    - Hospital, Local and State Government
    - Associations and Foundations
- Track Regional and State Trends
- Policy and Grantee Feedback to HRSA
- Technical Assistance
ARRA
American Recovery and Reinvestment Act
ARRA Funding for Health Center Grantees

- $500 Million Nationwide to:
  - Support new Health Center (HC) grantees and new satellite sites
  - Increase services at existing sites
  - Meet medical needs of growing uninsured populations due to unemployment

- Managed by Bureau of Primary Health Care (BPHC) within HRSA
ARRA Increased Demand for Services (IDS) and New Access Point (NAP) Funding

- **IDS**
  $338 million in additional funding will be provided to Health Centers over the next 2 years. Health Centers will use these funds to provide care to 2 million additional patients, including approximately 1 million uninsured.

- **NAP**
  $155 million has been awarded to support 126 new Health Center sites throughout the country. These grants will support care to an additional 750,000 people.
Portion of $500 Million to the 34th Congressional District

### Increased Demand for Services (IDS) Grants

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* Operates one clinic in the 34th District
** Operates 3 of its 5 clinics in the 34th District

$1.5 Billion Nationwide to:

- Support construction, renovation and equipment projects at existing Federally-funded grantees
- Includes health information technology systems
- First round: Capital Improvement Program (CIP) Grants for $850 million of $1.5 billion
BPHC has set the amount each grantee may receive:

- Minimum - Maximum CIP grant: $250,000 - $2.5 Million
- Depends on number of patients served during 2008
Capital Improvement Program (CIP)

- Target to award CIP $850 million by 07/09
- Technical Assistance calls for grantees occurred 05/05/09 through 05/11/09
  - Slides, Replays and Transcripts available
  - Visit http://bphc.hrsa.gov/recovery/
Facilities Investment Projects (FIP)

- To Be Announced: Round 2, Facilities Investment Projects (FIP) for approximately $525 Million
Managed by Bureau of Clinician Recruitment and Service (BCRS) within HRSA

- 3,800 current National Health Service Corps (NHSC) assignees nationwide
- Health professionals (for examples, physicians, dentists, nurses) who received scholarships or loan repayments
- Serves 4 million patients at sites in underserved communities across the nation
ARRA Funding for NHSC

- $300 million to double number of obligated providers to 8,000

- Guidance issued by BCRS:
  - Increases the numbers of assignees that can be placed at one site or organization
  - Makes it easier for organizations to become eligible to receive NHSC assignee(s)

- BCRS is in the process of recruiting students at health professional schools (e.g., medical, dental, nursing, etc.) to apply
ARRA Funding for NHSC

- Apply now if service sites are not approved as NHSC sites
- Contact State Primary Care Office for technical assistance to become an approved NHSC site(s) http://bhpr.hrsa.gov/shortage/pcos.htm
- Other technical assistance: NHSC Recruitment, Training and Support Center (RTSC), http://nhsc.bhpr.hrsa.gov/members/scholars/advisors.asp, or 1-877-313-1823.
- Organizations need recruitment and retention plan and website with information for potential providers
How to Find out about HRSA Funding

- Visit http://www.hrsa.gov/grants/
- Learn about application policy changes
- Sign-up for e-mail notification
Thank you!

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