

COMPARE LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAMS

We've created a comparison chart with an overview of the differences and similarities of several Health Resources and Services Administration loan repayment programs **to help you choose the best program** for your career and service.

For more information, click the program name to visit its specific web page.

	SERVICE COMMITMENT	AWARD AMOUNT	ELIGIBLE DISCIPLINES
NHSC Students to Service (S2S) LRP	3 YEARS	\$120K FULL TIME	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Health professional students in their final year of school: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Physicians – Allopathic (MD), Osteopathic (DO) Dentists – Doctor of Dental Surgery (DDS), Doctor of Medicine in Dentistry (DMD) Physician Assistants (PA) Certified Nurse Midwives (CNM) Nurse Practitioners (NP)
NHSC LRP	2 YEARS	\$75K* FULL TIME \$37.5K* HALF TIME OR \$50K FULL TIME \$25K HALF TIME	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Physicians – Allopathic (MD), Osteopathic (DO)* Dentists – Doctor of Dental Surgery (DDS), Doctor of Medicine in Dentistry (DMD) Registered Dental Hygienists (RDH) Nurse Practitioners (NP)* Physician Assistants (PA)* Certified Nurse Midwives (CNM)* Health Service Psychologists (HSP) Licensed Clinical Social Workers (LCSW) Psychiatric Nurse Specialists (PNS) Marriage and Family Therapists (MFT) Licensed Professional Counselors (LPC)
NHSC Substance Use Disorder Workforce LRP	3 YEARS	\$75K FULL TIME \$37.5K HALF TIME	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Physicians – Allopathic (MD), Osteopathic (DO) Nurse Practitioners (NP) Physician Assistants (PA) Certified Nurse Midwives (CNM) Licensed Clinical Social Workers (LCSW) Psychiatric Nurse Specialists (PNS) Marriage & Family Therapists (MFT) Health Service Psychologists (HSP) Licensed Professional Counselors (LPC) Pharmacists (PHARM) Registered Nurses (RN) Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Counselors Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists (CRNA)**
NHSC Rural Community LRP	3 YEARS	\$100K FULL TIME \$50K HALF TIME	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Physicians – Allopathic (MD), Osteopathic (DO) All Pediatric Medical Subspecialists All Pediatric Surgical Specialists Child and Adolescent Psychiatrists Child and Adolescent Behavioral Health Providers Licensed or Certified Master's Level Social Workers (LSW or LCMSW) Licensed Clinical Social Workers (LCSW) Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioners Marriage & Family Therapists (MFT) Licensed Professional Counselors (LPC) Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Counselors Psychologists
Pediatric Specialty LRP	3 YEARS	\$100K FULL TIME	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Physicians – Allopathic (MD), Osteopathic (DO) All Pediatric Medical Subspecialists All Pediatric Surgical Specialists Child and Adolescent Psychiatrists Child and Adolescent Behavioral Health Providers Licensed or Certified Master's Level Social Workers (LSW or LCMSW) Licensed Clinical Social Workers (LCSW) Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioners Marriage & Family Therapists (MFT) Licensed Professional Counselors (LPC) Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Counselors Psychologists
Substance Use Disorder Treatment and Recovery (STAR) LRP	6 YEARS	\$250K FULL TIME	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Physicians – Allopathic (MD), Osteopathic (DO) Nurse Practitioners (NP) Physician Assistants (PA) Certified Nurse Midwives (CNM) Licensed Clinical Social Workers (LCSW) Licensed or Certified Master's Level Social Workers (LSW or LCMSW) Psychiatric Nurse Specialists (PNS) Marriage and Family Therapists (MFT) Health Service Psychologists (HSP) Licensed Professional Counselors (LPC) Registered Nurses (RN) Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists (CRNA)* Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Counselors Pharmacists (PHARM) Psychology Doctoral Interns Behavioral Health Paraprofessionals <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community Health Workers Peer Recovery Specialists Case Managers Health Navigators Clinical Support Staff <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clinical Nurse Specialists (CNS) Certified Nursing Assistants (CNA) Licensed Practical Nurses (LPN) Licensed Occupational Therapists Medical Assistants

* In 2024, primary care physicians, nurse practitioners, certified nurse midwives, and physician assistants are eligible for an increased award amount for the two-year NHSC Loan Repayment Program.

**Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists are only eligible for the NHSC Rural Community LRP and STAR LRP.

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ELIGIBLE SITES	NHSC Students to Service (S2S) LRP	NHSC LRP	NHSC Substance Use Disorder Workforce LRP NHSC Rural Community LRP	Pediatric Specialty LRP*	Substance Use Disorder Treatment and Recovery (STAR) LRP
Community Health Centers (CHCs)	●	●	●	●	●
Community Outpatient Facilities	●	●	●	●	●
Critical Access Hospitals (CAHs) with an affiliated outpatient clinic	●	●	●	●	●
Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHCs)	●	●	●	●	●
FQHC Look-Alikes	●	●	●	●	●
Hospital-Affiliated Primary Care Outpatient Clinics	●	●	●	●	●
Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) Health Service Corps	●	●	●	●	●
Indian Health Service, Tribal, and Urban Indian Health Clinics (ITUs); and some Indian Health Service (IHS) Hospitals with an affiliated outpatient clinic	●	●	●	●	●
Migrant Health Centers	●	●	●	●	●
Mobile Units or Free Clinics	●	●	●	●	●
Primary Care Clinics	●	●	●	●	●
Private Practices (Solo/Group)	●	●	●	●	●
Rural Health Clinics (RHCs)	●	●	●	●	●
School-Based Clinics	●	●	●	●	●
State, County or Local Public Health Departments and Health Clinics	●	●	●	●	●
State or Federal Correctional Facilities	●	●	●	●	●
Faith-Based Settings				●	●
Group and Residential Care Facilities				●	●
Hospitals				●	●
Inpatient Programs/Rehabilitation Centers				●	●
Specialized Outpatient Clinics				●	●
Urgent Care Facilities				●	●
Youth Detention Centers or Programs				●	●
Non-Opioid Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Treatment Facilities			●		●
Office-Based Opioid Treatment Facilities (OBOTs)			●	●	●
SAMHSA-Certified Outpatient Treatment (OTPs)			●		●
Detoxification Facilities				●	●
Emergency Departments				●	●
Inpatient Psychiatric Facilities (IPFs)				●	●
Local Jails/Detention Centers					●
Outpatient Rehabilitation Centers				●	●
Prevention Coalitions or Agencies				●	●
Recovery Centers				●	●
Veterans Administration (VA) Facilities				●	●

*The site types lists for the STAR LRP and Pediatric Specialty LRP are not all-inclusive. Sites can learn more about eligibility on the web.