# COMPARISON OF COLORADO HEALTHCARE PROVIDER LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAMS

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<td>National Health Service Corps (NHSC)</td>
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<td>Primary care: - MD or DO including FP, IM, PED, OB/GYN, GER, PSYCH - NP, PA, CNM - DDS, RDH - Licensed Mental Health Practitioners</td>
<td>Located in a HPSA - Accept public insurance and have a sliding fee scale for low income patients</td>
<td>Up to $30,000/yr - Minimum two year commitment - Additional funding available after initial two years</td>
<td>Amber Galloway Stephens State Primary Care Office 303.692.2406 <a href="mailto:amber.galloway@state.co.us">amber.galloway@state.co.us</a></td>
<td>Applications now being accepted on a first come first serve basis for FY11. Application cycle ends May 26, 2011. Next cycle will open Fall 2011</td>
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<td>Colorado Health Service Corps (CHSC)</td>
<td>State and Federal government (HRSA)</td>
<td>Primary care: - MD or DO including FP, IM, PED, OB/GYN, GER, PSYCH - NP, PA, CNM - DDS, RDH - Licensed Mental Health Practitioners</td>
<td>Located in a HPSA - Accept public insurance and have a sliding fee scale for low income patients</td>
<td>Up to $35,000/yr - 2-3 year commitment - Additional funding available after initial three year commitment</td>
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<td>Colorado Health Service Corps (CHSC) w. Extended Dental Loan Option</td>
<td>State government</td>
<td>DDS, RDH</td>
<td>Accept Medicaid and/or Medicare and/or Children's Health Insurance (CHIP) and/or have a sliding fee scale for low income patients</td>
<td>Up to $25,000 for DDS; up to $6,000 for RDH</td>
<td>Valerie Orlando Colorado Dept. of Public Health and Environment 303.692.3652 <a href="mailto:valerie.orlando@state.co.us">valerie.orlando@state.co.us</a></td>
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<td>Colorado Rural Outreach Program (CROP)</td>
<td>Private organizations and foundations</td>
<td>Any healthcare professional - J-1 Visa physicians are eligible</td>
<td>Located in a rural designated community - Provide a financial “match” from clinic or community</td>
<td>Up to $20,000/yr; funds come from CROP and local community/practice site</td>
<td>Erica Petramala, Grants Manager Colorado Rural Health Center 303.996.9698 <a href="mailto:ep@coruralhealth.org">ep@coruralhealth.org</a></td>
<td>Applications now being accepted. Cycle ends on May 16, 2011. Next cycle will open Fall 2011</td>
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