

Student Loan Repayment Programs for Michigan's Primary Care Clinicians

Program	Funding and Administration	Provider Eligibility	Site Eligibility	Award/Service Commitment	Additional Information	Application Information
National Health Service Corps Loan Repayment Program (NHSC LRP)	-Federal government, Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA)	- U.S. citizen -Primary care: MD/D0 including FP, IM, PED, OB/GYN, GER, PSYCH NP, PA, CNM DDS, DMD -Fully-Licensed Mental Health Practitioners (Master/Doctoral level) -Can work full-time or part-time	-Located in a Health Professional Shortage Area (HPSA) -Accept public insurance and have a sliding fee scale for low-income patients -Site must be an NHSC approved site. NHSC approved sites can be found at: https://connector.hrsa .gov/connector/	-Up to \$15,000 or \$25,000/yr. dependent on HPSA score -Two-year service obligation -Additional funding available after two years -Income tax exempt	*The NHSC application process is competitive, and funding is not guaranteed. * NHSC Call Center 800-221-9393 www.nhsc.hrsa.gov	Information is available at: www.nhsc.hrsa.gov -Annual application period is usually in the winter.
Michigan State Loan Repayment Program (MSLRP)	-Federal/ state funds and local employer contributions administered by state of MI	- U.S. citizen -Primary care: MD/D0 including FP, IM, PED, OB/GYN, GER, PSYCH NP, PA, CNM DDS, DMD -Limited and Fully Licensed Mental Health Providers -Must work full-time (40 hours/week) in outpatient primary care ambulatory setting	-Located in a Health Professional Shortage Area (HPSA) -Non-profit status -Primary care/ambulatory setting -Employer contribution requirement of 20% of providers' agreement amounts -High and low HPSA scores considered equally, except nonpriority practice sites with HPSA scores of 8 or more are treated as priority practice sites.	-Two-year service obligation -Up to ten years total participation & \$300,000 in loan repayment -Income tax exempt -Calculations of award amount: https://www.mic higan.gov/mdhhs /doing- business/provide rs/slrp/4 funding-and- loan-repayment- agreements	*The MSLRP application process is competitive, and funding is not guaranteed. * Providers serious about successfully competing for a loan repayment agreement must carefully read all sections of the MSLRP website and application form instructions. Brittany Brookshire, MDHHS Brookshireb1@michigan.gov	-Annual application period is usually in the late winter. -Application materials and more information about the selection process can be found at: www.michigan.gov/mslrp