



## Supporting Healthcare Providers **Who Care for Nevada's Underserved**

### What is Nevada HEAL?

The Nevada Health Equity & Loan Assistance (HEAL) Program was launched by the Nevada Treasury in 2025 to reward healthcare providers who choose to practice in Nevada. The Nevada HEAL Program provides student loan repayment up to \$120,000 to providers who commit to at least 5 years of clinical practice in an eligible Nevada community. See [www.NevadaTreasurer.gov/HEAL](http://www.NevadaTreasurer.gov/HEAL) for details.

### Who qualifies?

- Those who work in an eligible healthcare profession
- Providers licensed/certified/registered to practice in Nevada
- Those who commit to practicing in Nevada's underserved communities for at least 5 years
- Funding prioritized for:
  - Primary care, sexual/reproductive health and behavioral health providers
  - Providers serving patients on Medicare, Medicaid or CHIP
  - Providers serving patients with intellectual and developmental disabilities
  - Bilingual providers





## **Eligible professions**

- Advanced Emergency Medical Technician
- Associate in Social Work
- Audiologist
- Clinical Professional Counselor
- Clinical Social Worker
- Dentist
- Doula Services Provider
- Emergency Medical Technician
- Licensed Attendant
- Licensed Nurse
- Master Social Worker
- Midwife
- Optometrist
- Paramedic
- Perfusionist
- Pharmacist
- Pharmacy Technician
- Physician
- Physician Assistant
- Podiatric Physician
- Practitioner of Respiratory Care
- Psychologist
- Social Worker

## **What is an underserved community?**

- Rural counties (all but Washoe and Clark in Nevada)
- Qualified low-income census tracts
- Census tracts that score high on the CDC's Social Vulnerability Index
- Communities with 20%+ of households non-English proficient
- Tribal communities (colonies and reservations)
- Areas that have been subjected to historic redlining, segregation and other discriminatory practices

## **How are payments made?**

- Total amount of loan repayment will range from \$15,000–\$120,000, depending on the type of provider
- Payments are made after the completed year of service and disbursed in equal installments over 5 years
- Payments go directly to the servicer of a provider's student education loans (the program will not pay for educational loans that have been paid off)
- Funds are limited



## **How to apply?**

For program details, eligibility and application instructions, visit [www.NevadaTreasurer.gov/HEAL](http://www.NevadaTreasurer.gov/HEAL)