

## **California to receive \$122,254,949 in grants from the new health care law for community health centers**

*Grants from the Affordable Care Act will help build and expand health centers, create jobs, and expand access to an additional 860,000 patients nationwide*

Today Health and Human Services Secretary Kathleen Sebelius announced \$122,254,949 in grants awarded to community health centers in California due to the new health care law – the Affordable Care Act. Grantees estimate these awards will help them serve approximately 166,504 new patients. A full list of California grantees can be found below.

“President Obama’s health care law is making community health centers in California stronger,” said Secretary Sebelius. “For many Americans, community health centers are the major source of care that ranges from prevention to treatment of chronic diseases. This investment will expand our ability to provide high-quality care to millions of people while supporting good paying jobs in communities across the country.”

Funding totaling more than \$728 million across the United States will support renovation and construction projects, boosting health centers’ ability to care for additional patients and creating jobs. The awards are part of a series of capital investments that are made available to community health centers through the Affordable Care Act, which provides \$9.5 billion to expand services over five years and \$1.5 billion to support major construction and renovation projects at community health centers.

According to a new report released today, the health care law has already supported the construction and renovation of 190 health center sites and the creation of 67 new health center sites across the country, and will support the construction and renovation of more than 485 health center sites and the creation of 245 new health center sites over the next two years.

Overall, since the beginning of 2009, employment at community health centers nationwide has increased by 15 percent. And, primarily due to the Affordable Care Act and the Recovery Act, community health centers are serving nearly 3 million additional patients today and will serve an additional 1.3 million additional new patients in the next two years.

The announcement made today is for awards from two capital programs for community health centers. One will provide approximately \$629 million to 171 existing health centers across the country for longer-term projects to expand their facilities, improve existing services, and serve more patients. This program will expand access to an additional 860,000 patients. The second set of awards will provide approximately \$99.3 million to 227 existing health centers to address pressing facility and equipment needs.

Health centers improve the health of the nation’s communities by ensuring access to primary health care services. Currently, more than 8,500 service delivery sites around the country deliver care to nearly 19.5 million patients regardless of their ability to pay.

A List of Capital Development – Building Capacity Program awards by State can be found at <http://www.hrsa.gov/about/news/2012tables/120501healthcentercapital.html>.

A List of Capital Development – Immediate Facility Improvement Program awards by State can be found at <http://www.hrsa.gov/about/news/2012tables/120501facilityimprovement.html>.

Information on the Affordable Care Act is available at [www.healthcare.gov](http://www.healthcare.gov).

For more information on HRSA’s community health center program, visit <http://bphc.hrsa.gov/>.  
To find a health center in your area, visit <http://findahealthcenter.hrsa.gov>.

<b>Capital Development - Building Capacity Program</b>			
<b>Grantee Organization</b>	<b>City</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Award</b>
Children's Hospital & Research Center Of Oakland	Oakland	California	\$2,413,505
Clinicas De Salud Del Pueblo, Inc.	Brawley	California	\$2,545,278
Clinicas Del Camino Real, Inc.	Ventura	California	\$2,686,753
Communicare Health Centers, Inc.	Davis	California	\$5,000,000
Darin M. Camarena Health Centers, Inc.	Madera	California	\$4,833,392
East Valley Community Health Center	West Covina	California	\$3,133,755
Family Healthcare Network	Visalia	California	\$5,000,000
JWCH Institute, Inc.	Los Angeles	California	\$2,738,824
Lifelong Medical Care	Berkeley	California	\$4,966,552
Mission City Community Network, Inc.	North Hills	California	\$5,000,000
Mountain Health & Community Services	Campo	California	\$5,000,000
National Health Services, Inc.	Shafter	California	\$4,656,068
Neighborhood Healthcare	Escondido	California	\$3,219,386
North County Health Project, Inc.	San Marcos	California	\$5,000,000
Northeast Community Clinic, Inc	Alhambra	California	\$3,369,715
Northeast Valley Health Corporation	San Fernando	California	\$5,000,000
Queenscare Family Clinics	Los Angeles	California	\$5,000,000
Salud Para La Gente, Inc.	Watsonville	California	\$5,000,000
San Bernardino County Public Health Dept.	San Bernardino	California	\$4,897,415
San Jose Foothills Family Community Clinic	San Jose	California	\$900,000
Santa Cruz County	Santa Cruz	California	\$2,448,000
Shasta Community Health Center	Redding	California	\$5,000,000
Sonoma Valley Community Health Center	Sonoma	California	\$5,000,000
South County Community Health Center, Inc.	East Palo Alto	California	\$5,000,000
Southwest Community Health Center	Santa Rosa	California	\$2,789,626
Valley Health Team, Inc.	San Joaquin	California	\$5,000,000

<b>Capital Development - Immediate Facility Improvement Program</b>			
<b>Grantee Organization</b>	<b>City</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Award</b>
Alta Med Health Services Corporation	Commerce	California	\$500,000
Ampla Health	Yuba City	California	\$500,000
Arroyo Vista Family Health Center	Los Angeles	California	\$500,000
Asian Health Teams	Oakland	California	\$62,000
Asian Pacific Health Care Venture	Los Angeles	California	\$500,000
Borrego Community Health Foundation	Borrego Springs	California	\$500,000
Central City Community Health Center, Inc.	Los Angeles	California	\$464,028
Children's Hospital & Research Center of Oakland	Oakland	California	\$500,000
Cinicas Del Camino Real, Inc.	Ventura	California	\$500,000
Clinicas De Salud del Pueblo, Inc.	Brawley	California	\$358,590
Community Health Alliance of Pasadena	Pasadena	California	\$500,000
Community Health Centers/Central Coasts	Nipomo	California	\$500,000
Community Health Clinic Ole	Napa	California	\$175,000
Family Health Centers of San Diego, Inc.	San Diego	California	\$495,000
Gardner Family Health Network, Inc.	San Jose	California	\$500,000
Imperial Beach Community Clinic	Imperial Beach	California	\$500,000
Indian Health Center of Santa Clara Valley	San Jose	California	\$500,000
Inland Behavioral & Health Services, Inc.	San Bernardino	California	\$485,945
JWCH Institute, Inc.	Los Angeles	California	\$498,905
La Clinica De La Raza	Oakland	California	\$400,272
Mission City Community Network, Inc.	North Hills	California	\$500,000
Mountain Health & Community Services	Campo	California	\$499,999
National Health Services, Inc.	Shafter	California	\$500,000
North County Health Project, Inc.	San Marcos	California	\$500,000
North East Medical Services	San Francisco	California	\$360,985
Northeast Community Clinic, Inc.	Alhambra	California	\$500,000
Northeast Valley Health Corporation	San Fernando	California	\$88,836
Open Door Community Health Centers	Arcata	California	\$484,512
Salud Para La Gente, Inc.	Watsonville	California	\$500,000
San Diego Family Care	San Diego	California	\$499,871
San Mateo County Health Services Agency	San Mateo	California	\$320,179
South Central Family Health Center	Los Angeles	California	\$500,000
Tiburcio Vasquez Health Center, Inc.	Union City	California	\$500,000
United Health Centers of San Joaquin Valley, Inc.	Parlier	California	\$500,000
Valley Community Health	North Hollywood	California	\$470,358
Valley Health Team, Inc.	San Joaquin	California	\$500,000

West County Health Services, Inc.	Guerneville	California	\$492,200
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