

# CARES Act / Workforce Coordination Plan and Report

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# Health Workforce Coordination—Plan and Report

**GOAL:** Develop a strategic plan with respect to HHS health care workforce development programs, including education and training programs.

#### **Requirements:**

- Consultation with Advisory Committee on Training in Primary Care Medicine and Dentistry (ACTPCMD) and the Advisory Council on Graduate Medical Education (COGME).
- Coordination with heads of other Federal agencies and departments that fund or administer health care workforce development programs.
- Due: March 27, 2021.

#### Other deadline: March 27, 2022:

- Submit a Report to Congress (RTC) describing actions taken to implement plan.
- RTC to be sent to Senate HELP Committee and House Committee on Energy and Commerce.



https://www.congress.gov/116/plaws/publ136/PLAW-116publ136.pdf



# **BHW's Advisory Committees & Councils**

# Development of Strategic Plan in consultation with:

- Council on Graduate Medical Education\*
- Advisory Committee on Training in Primary Care Medicine and Dentistry\*
- Advisory Committee on Interdisciplinary, Community-Based Linkages
- National Advisory Council on Nurse Education and Practice
- National Advisory Council on the National Health Service Corps





\* Named in statute: https://www.congress.gov/116/plaws/publ136/PLAW-116publ136.pdf



# **Strategic Plan's Suggested Framework**

#### **Increase Supply**

- Recruitment
- Training
- Retention

#### **Promote Equitable Distribution**

- Geographic
- Health Care Disciplines
  - Diversity

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#### **Improve Provider Quality**

- Professional development
- Building competencies
- Evidence-based practices

#### **Data and Surveillance**

- Data analysis
- Forecasting and modeling
- Provider quality and adverse actions



# **Proposed Timeline**

Initial Priority Setting	Draft Framework Development (September – October 2020)	Stakeholder Consultation (November 2020)	Draft Plan Development (November- December 2020)	Final Plan Development (December- January 2021)	Publication (February-March 2021)
HHS leadership directs HRSA to lead effort	HHS scans healthcare workforce investments	3402 Workgroup engages the five BHW Advisory Committees	3402 Workgroup develops draft strategic plan	3402 Workgroup revises strategic plan	HHS prepares plan for publication
HHS divisions identify Workgroup liaisons.	3402 Workgroup Kick Off Meeting		3402 Workgroup identifies performance measures	Final review and HHS clearance	HHS publishes plan by March 27, 2021





### **Discussion & Questions**







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