











COVID-19 Federal Funding




State and local entities responding to the COVID-19 pandemic are responsible for managing a number of funding sources in response to the CARES Act that can be used to help address some of the needs and challenges their communities are facing. The following table is a point-in-time summary of just some of those programs and eligible costs according to their publicly available websites. As each agency continues to share guidance and more information becomes available this table will need to be updated to reflect those changes. For more guidance and support, contact the point of contact listed at the bottom of each column.




	HHS ASPR Hospital Preparedness Program	CDC: Public Health Crisis Response	FEMA PA	HUD: CDBG-CV
Management, control and reduction of immediate threats to public health and safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Supplies Temporary structures (with restrictions) Retrofitting / alterations Beds Staffing (to support operations and planning, not for direct patient care) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Incident Management for Early Crisis Response <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Emergency Operations and Coordination Responder Safety and Health Identification of Vulnerable Populations Jurisdictional Recovery Information Management <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Information Sharing Emergency Public Information and Warning and Risk Communication Countermeasures and Mitigation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Non-pharmaceutical Interventions Quarantine and Isolation Support Distribution and Use of Medical Material Surge Management <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Surge Staffing Public Health Coordination with Healthcare Systems Infection Control 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Emergency Operations Center activities Training Facility disinfection Technical assistance on emergency management Dissemination of information to the public to provide warnings and guidance Pre-positioning or movement of supplies, equipment, or other resources Purchase and distribution of food, water, or ice Purchase and distribution of other commodities Security, law enforcement, barricading, and patrolling Storage of human remains or mass mortuary services Other, description required 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Construct a facility for testing, diagnosis, or treatment. Rehabilitate a community facility to establish an infectious disease treatment clinic. Acquire and rehabilitate, or construct, a group living facility that may be used to centralize patients undergoing treatment. Rehabilitate a commercial building or closed school building to establish an infectious disease treatment clinic, e.g., by replacing the HVAC system. Acquire, and quickly rehabilitate (if necessary) a motel or hotel building to expand capacity of hospitals to accommodate isolation of patients during recovery. Make interim improvements to private properties to enable an individual patient to remain quarantined on a temporary basis. Carry out job training to expand the pool of health care workers and technicians that are available to treat disease within a community. Provide testing, diagnosis or other services at a fixed or mobile location. Increase the capacity and availability of targeted health services for infectious disease response within existing health facilities. Provide equipment, supplies, and materials necessary to carry-out a public service. Deliver meals on wheels to quarantined individuals or individuals that need to maintain social distancing due to medical vulnerabilities. <p><i>Unless waived by HUD, a percentage of funding must meet the requirement of benefiting low-and-moderate income (LMI) areas or persons/households.</i></p>
	<p>Contact:  Meghan Treber for HHS Guidance</p>	<p>Contact:  Meghan Treber for CDC Guidance</p>	<p>Contact:  Martin Altman for FEMA Guidance</p>	<p>Contact:  Kelly Price for HUD Guidance</p>

	CDC: Public Health Crisis Response	HRSA: COVID-19 Claims Reimbursement to Care Providers for Testing & Treatment of the Uninsured	FEMA PA
<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Emergency Medical Care</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Costs of COVID-19 testing conducted at public health laboratories and community-based testing sites. No costs for private or hospital laboratory testing. If no other funding available, will cover costs of a federal or state ordered isolation or quarantine order. No other medical care costs covered. <p>Contact:  Meghan Treber for HHS Guidance</p>	<p>Reimbursement for qualifying testing for COVID-19 and treatment services with a primary COVID-19 diagnosis as determined by HRSA (subject to adjustment as may be necessary), including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Specimen collection, diagnostic and antibody testing. Testing-related visits, including office, urgent care or emergency room, or telehealth settings. Treatment, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Office visit (including telehealth), emergency room, inpatient, outpatient/observation, skilled nursing facility, long-term acute care (LTAC), acute inpatient rehab, home health Durable Medical Equipment (DME) -e.g., oxygen, ventilator Emergency ambulance transportation, non-emergent patient transfers via ambulance FDA-approved drugs as they become available for COVID-19 treatment and administered as part of an inpatient stay FDA-approved vaccine, when available. <p><i>Claims will be subject to Medicare timely filing requirements.</i></p> <p>Services not covered by traditional Medicare will also not be covered under this program. In addition, the following services are excluded:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any treatment without a COVID-19 primary diagnosis, except for pregnancy when the COVID-19 code may be listed as secondary. Hospice services. Outpatient prescription drugs. <p><i>All claims submitted must be complete and final.</i></p> <p>Contact:  Meghan Treber for CDC Guidance</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Purchase and distribution/use of medical supplies & equipment including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> In vitro diagnostic supplies Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) including respirators, N95 respirators, medical gloves, surgical masks, medical gowns, coveralls, face shields Other PPE, description must be provided Decontamination systems Ventilators and products modified for use as ventilators Therapeutics Provision of medical services including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Disease testing Treatment Diagnosis Medical transport Medical waste disposal Enhanced medical facilities including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Alternate care sites or other temporary medical facilities Expansion of capacity within a medical facility Community-based testing sites <p>FEMA IA: For COVID-19, Individual Assistance also includes payments to providers of services for shelter and crisis counseling.</p> <p>Contact:  Martin Altman for FEMA Guidance</p>

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<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Sheltering</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Isolation-related temporary lodging Quarantine-related temporary lodging High-risk population sheltering Healthcare worker and first responder temporary lodging Household pet or assistance animal or service animal sheltering <p>Contact:  Martin Altman for FEMA Guidance</p>



<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Assistance to Businesses</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;">HUD: CDBG-CV</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">SBA: Paycheck Protection Program (PPP)</p>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provide grants or loans to support new businesses or business expansion to create jobs and manufacture medical supplies necessary to respond to infectious disease. Avoid job loss caused by business closures related to social distancing by providing short-term working capital assistance to small businesses to enable retention of jobs held by low- and moderate-income (LMI) persons. Provide technical assistance, grants, loans, and other financial assistance to establish, stabilize, and expand microenterprises that provide medical, food delivery, cleaning, and other services to support home health and quarantine. <p>Contact:  Kelly Price for HUD Guidance</p>	<p>Payroll costs, and most mortgage interest, rent, and utilities for 8 weeks after funding is approved.</p> <p>Contact:  Mike Hipps for SBA Guidance</p>

<p style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">Other</p> 	<p style="text-align: center;">HUD: CDBG-CV</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">FEMA PA</p>
	<p>Planning, Capacity Building, and Technical Assistance:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Grant funds to units of general local government may be used for planning activities in conjunction with an activity <ul style="list-style-type: none"> May also be used for planning only as an activity Activities must meet or demonstrate that they would meet a national objective Are subject to the State's 20% administration, planning and technical assistance cap Grant funds to units of general local government to hire technical assistance providers to deliver CDBG training to new subrecipients and local government departments that are administering CDBG funds for the first time to assist with infectious disease response. This activity is subject to the State's 3 percent administration, planning and technical assistance cap. Gather data and develop non-project-specific emergency infectious disease response plans. <p>Contact:  Kelly Price for HUD Guidance</p>	<p>Other activities require a description and FEMA eligibility review.</p> <p>Contact:  Martin Altman for FEMA Guidance</p>

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