APPENDIX 8: FEDERAL GRANTS RELEVANT TO RURAL HEALTHCARE ACCESS THAT WYOMING IS CURRENTLY NOT RECEIVING[1]

Number	Federal Grants (Awarding Government Entity)	Grant's Purpose	Wyoming's Grantee
1	Rural Health Network Development Grants (Health Resources and Service Administration [HRSA])	• Promotes, through planning and implementation, the development of integrated healthcare networks that: ➢ Achieve efficiencies ➢ Expand access to, coordinate and improve the quality of essential healthcare services ➢ Strengthen the rural healthcare system as a whole	Wyoming is not a recipient of this grant.
2	Rural Health Network Development Planning Grants (HRSA)	• Provides one year of funding to rural communities that seek to: ➢ Develop an integrated healthcare network through the above Network Development grants, but do not have a significant history of collaboration ➢ Develop a network that is interested in coordinating health services in rural areas	Wyoming is not a recipient of this grant.

[1] For some of these grants, we could not determine whether Wyoming receives funding.

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3	Frontier Extended Stay Clinic (FESC) Cooperative Agreement Program (HRSA)[2]	• Examines the effectiveness of FESCs in providing healthcare services in remote locations • Examines the appropriateness of FESCs in providing healthcare services in remote locations	There are no facilities in Wyoming that qualify for this grant.
4	Rural Health Outreach Grant Program (HRSA)	• Promotes rural healthcare services outreach • Expands the delivery of healthcare services to include new and enhanced services in rural areas	Wyoming is not a recipient of this grant.
5	Project Grants for Facilities to Improve the Health Status of Minority Populations (Office of Minority Health)	Provides funding to construct, renovate, expand, repair or modernize facilities designed to promote the improvement of the health status of minority underserved communities and populations	St. John's Hospital in Teton County applied for funding in July 2004 and was denied.

[2] This program is a part of the Rural Network Development Grant.

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6	Maternal and Child Health Federal Consolidated Programs - Specific Projects of Regional or National Significance (SPRNS) (Maternal and Child Health Bureau, HRSA)[3]	• Provides project grants to carry out special maternal and child health projects of regional and national significance • Conducts training and research, genetic disease testing, counseling and information development and dissemination programs • Supports comprehensive hemophilia diagnostic and treatment centers	Wyoming is not a recipient of this grant.

[3] These programs are funded with a set-aside from the Maternal and Child Health Block grant program.

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7	Technical and Non-Financial Assistance to Health Centers and National Health Service Corps Delivery Sites (HRSA)	• Provides assistance to health centers across the state or region to: ➢ Coordinate activities on state, regional, or market area levels ➢ Involve state agencies in assuring primary care to medically underserved populations ➢ Develop shared services and joint purchasing arrangements ➢ Provide or arrange for: 1. Training 2. Assessment of community health center needs 3. Expertise in dealing with homeless, public housing, farm workers, children, rural health and other special populations 4. Management and maximization of nonfederal resources ➢ Expand the health center network and ensure high quality care in health centers	Indeterminate

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8	Primary Care Services Resource Coordination and Development (HRSA)	• Coordinates local, state and Federal resources contributing to primary care service delivery and workforce issues to meet the needs of medically underserved populations through health centers and other community-based providers of comprehensive primary care • Coordinates the retention, recruitment and oversight of health professions for medically underserved populations	Indeterminate
9	Rural Health Research Centers Grant (Office of Rural Health Policy)	• Supports the operation of rural health research centers • Provides one year research grants to new investigators to provide an information base and policy analysis capability on the full range of rural health services issues, including: ➢ Financing ➢ Recruitment and retention of health professionals ➢ Access to care ➢ Health disparities ➢ Rural delivery systems	• WWAMI Rural Health Research Center • The University of Wyoming has not applied for funding from this source as it does not have the infrastructure to support such a program.

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10	Allied Health Special Projects (Bureau of Health Professions, HRSA)	• Assists eligible entities in meeting the costs associated with expanding or establishing programs that will: ➢ Expand enrollment in allied health disciplines that are in short supply or whose services are most needed by the elderly ➢ Provide rapid transition training programs in allied health fields to individuals who have baccalaureate degrees in health-related sciences ➢ Establish community-based training programs that link academic centers to rural clinical settings ➢ Provide career advancement training for practicing allied health professionals ➢ Expand or establish clinical training sites for allied health professionals in medically underserved or rural communities in order to increase the number of individuals trained	There are currently no educational institutions in Wyoming that receive funding.

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11	Quentin N. Burdick Programs for Rural Interdisciplinary Training (Bureau of Health Professions, HRSA)	• Provides funds that are designed to: ➢ Use new and innovative methods to train healthcare practitioners to provide services in rural areas ➢ Demonstrate and evaluate innovative interdisciplinary methods and models designed to provide access to cost-effective comprehensive healthcare ➢ Deliver healthcare services to individuals residing in rural areas ➢ Enhance the amount of relevant research conducted concerning healthcare issues in rural areas ➢ Increase the recruitment and retention of healthcare practitioners from rural areas and make rural practice a more attractive career choice for healthcare practitioners	There are currently no training programs in Wyoming that receive funding.

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12	Capacity Building Among American Indian Tribes (Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease)	• Addresses tribal public health issues that result from hazardous substances in the environment by: ➢ Building tribal environmental health capacity ➢ Addressing health issues from releases of hazardous substances into the environment ➢ Developing culturally appropriate health education materials and/or vehicles to engage tribal community members in public health activities	Wyoming is not a recipient of this grant.

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13	Tribal Self-Governance Demonstration Program: Planning and Negotiation Cooperative Agreements and IHS Compacts (Indian Health Service [IHS])	• Makes financial assistance awards to Indian tribes to enable them to: ➢ Assume programs, functions, services and activities (PFSA) with respect to which Indian tribes or Indians are primary or significant beneficiaries ➢ Make Planning Cooperative Agreements available that allow a tribe to gather information to determine the current types and extent of PFSAs and funding levels available within its service areas and to plan for the types and extent of PFSAs and funding to be made available to the tribe under a compact ➢ Award Negotiation Cooperative Agreements that allow tribes to prepare to negotiate for compacting under Self-Governance	Wyoming does not apply for these funds because tribes contract rather than compact.
14	Matching Grants for Health Professions Scholarships to Indian Tribes (IHS)	• Provides scholarships to Indians for health professions education through Indian tribes and tribal organizations • Provides job placement within the service area of the grantee organization to fulfill service obligation	Wyoming does not apply for these funds because there is no source for the non-federal match.

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15	Development and Coordination or Rural Health Services (Office of Rural Health Policy, HRSA)	• Builds infrastructure through workshops, conferences, etc. • Develops and provide information to a wide audience • Increases awareness of Federal and state resources • Builds partnerships between Federal and state governments	Indeterminate

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16	Research of Healthcare Costs, Quality and Outcomes (Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality)	• Supports research and evaluations, demonstration projects, research networks and multidisciplinary centers and to disseminate information on healthcare and on systems for the delivery of such care involving: ➢ Quality, effectiveness, efficiency, appropriateness and value of healthcare services ➢ Quality measurement and improvement ➢ Outcomes, cost, cost-effectiveness and use of healthcare services and access to such services ➢ Clinical practice, including primary care and practice-oriented research ➢ Healthcare technologies, facilities and equipment ➢ Healthcare costs, productivity, organization and market forces ➢ Health promotion and disease prevention, including clinical preventive services ➢ Health statistics, surveys, database development and epidemiology ➢ Medical liability	Wyoming is not a recipient of this grant.

Number	Federal Grants (Awarding Government Entity)	Grant's Purpose	Wyoming's Grantee
16		• Focuses on healthcare and its delivery in the inner city, in rural areas and for priority populations (low-income groups, minority groups, women, children, the elderly and individuals with special healthcare needs)	
17	Mental Health Clinical and AIDS Service-Related Training Grants (Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration [SAMHSA])	• Encourages mental health specialists to work in areas and settings where severe shortages exist • Increases the number of qualified minority personnel in the mental health professions and the number of mental health personnel trained to deal with the special problems of: ➢ Children ➢ Adolescents ➢ Elderly ➢ The seriously mentally ill ➢ Rural populations • Assures that the skills and knowledge of mental health personnel are appropriate to the needs of those they serve • Assists state mental health authorities in the development of human resources	Neither the Wyoming HIV/AIDS/Hepatitis Program nor the Mental Health Division receives funding.

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18	Community Access Program (Bureau of Primary Healthcare, HRSA)	• Provides assistance to communities and consortia of healthcare providers and others to develop or strengthen integrated community healthcare delivery systems that coordinate healthcare services for individuals who are uninsured or underinsured • Develops or strengthens activities related to providing coordinated care for individuals with chronic conditions who are uninsured or underinsured	Indeterminate
19	Healthcare and Other Facilities Renovation or Construction Projects (Office of Special Programs, HRSA)	Constructs, renovates, expands, equips or modernizes healthcare facilities and other healthcare related facilities	Indeterminate
20	Healthy Start Initiative (Maternal and Child Health Bureau, HRSA)	Eliminates disparities in perinatal and women's health by enhancing a community's service system and infrastructure and a state's infrastructure, directing resources and interventions to improve access to, utilization and full participation of comprehensive perinatal and women's health services for high-risk women and infants	Wyoming is not a recipient of this grant.

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21	Demonstration Projects for Indian Health (IHS)	• Promotes improved healthcare among American Indians and Alaska Natives through research studies and demonstration projects, addressing such issues as: ➢ Elder care ➢ Women's healthcare ➢ Children and youth initiatives	Wyoming is not a recipient of this grant.
22	Tribal Recruitment and Retention of Health Professionals into Indian Health Programs (IHS)	Provides financial assistance awards to Indian tribes and tribal and Indian health organizations to enable them to recruit, place and retain health professionals to fill critical vacancies and to meet the staffing needs of Indian health programs and facilities including those administered by IHS	Wyoming is not a recipient of this grant.

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23	Agricultural Health and Safety Programs (Center for Disease Control [CDC])	• Addresses the research, education and intervention activities that are unique to agriculture by establishing centers for agricultural research, education and disease and injury prevention • Assists in the development, implementation and maintenance of a model program for the diagnosis, evaluation and rehabilitation of individuals with occupational respiratory disease and occupational musculoskeletal disorders • Reports and disseminate findings, relevant health and safety education and training information to state health officials, healthcare providers, workers, management, unions and employers • Funds the placement of public health/occupational health nurses in agricultural communities • Establishes effective disease and injury reporting systems based on the cooperation of healthcare providers, hospitals and other potential sources and follows up their information-gathering activities with public health interventions	Wyoming is not a recipient of this grant.

Number	Federal Grants (Awarding Government Entity)	Grant's Purpose	Wyoming's Grantee
24	Health Professions Recruitment Program for Indians (IHS)	• Identifies American Indians and Alaska Natives with a potential for education or training in the health professions and encourages and assists them to enroll in health or allied health professional schools • Increases the number of nurses, nurse midwives, nurse practitioners and nurse anesthetists who deliver healthcare services to American Indians and Alaska Natives • Places health professional residents for short-term assignments at IHS facilities as a recruitment aid	Wyoming is not a recipient of this grant.
25	Health Professions Preparatory Scholarship Program for Indians (IHS)	Provides scholarships to American Indians and Alaska Natives for the purpose of completing compensatory pre-professional education to enable the recipient to qualify for enrollment or re- enrollment in a health professions school or curriculum	IHS is not aware of any Wyoming individuals who participate in this program.
26	Health Professions Scholarship Program (Division of Health Professions Support, IHS)	• Provides scholarships to American Indians and Alaska Natives at health professions schools in order to obtain health professionals to serve Indians • Obligates recipients to serve in the IHS or an Indian health organization for each year of support with a minimum of two years	IHS is not aware of any Wyoming individuals who participate in this program.

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27	Public Health Injury Surveillance and Prevention Program (CDC)	Enables state public health agencies to develop or strengthen their organizational focus related to the prevention and control of injuries and to develop or strengthen their injury surveillance programs, particularly those with a focus on traumatic brain injury (TBI)	Indeterminate
28	State Agency Partnerships for promoting Child and Adolescent Mental Health (HRSA)	Develops and models partnerships with state mental health, substance abuse, healthcare financing, education, human services, justice and other relevant agencies for improving the mental health status of school-aged children and adolescents	Indeterminate
29	Building State, Territorial and Tribal Capacity to Address Children's Environmental Health: Environmental Triggers of Childhood Asthma (Environmental Protection Agency)	Identifies projects that will build state, territorial and tribal capacity to address the environment triggers of childhood asthma	Indeterminate
30	State Mental Health Data Infrastructure Grants for Quality Improvement	Funds state mental health authorities to develop or enhance their data infrastructure to improve management of mental health service delivery	Wyoming is not a recipient of this grant.
31	Community Treatment and Services Centers of the National Child Traumatic Stress Initiative (Best Practices)	• Improves treatment and services for children and adolescents who have experienced traumatic events • Increases access to effective trauma treatments and services	Wyoming is not a recipient of this grant.