



Office of Recovery Act Coordination

Department of Health and Human Services

Office of the Assistant Secretary for Financial Resources

Recovery Act:

Kansas Highlights



Since the enactment of the Recovery Act in 2009, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services has made **\$757.7 million in stimulus funds available in the State of Kansas*** for Community Health Centers, universities and other institutions in the State to provide fiscal relief, improve and expand access to health care, provide child care and other social services for its most vulnerable citizens, establish the infrastructure for health information technology, and conduct scientific research.

This includes:

- **\$554.5 million** for the increased Federal share (FMAP) of State Medicaid costs.
- **\$34.3 million** for scientific research, research facilities, and equipment, including:
 - **\$4.7 million** for renovation of the University of Kansas Lawrence, Bioinformatics Computing Facility.
 - **\$2.9 million** to the University of Kansas Medical Center for an MRI scanner.
 - **\$2.2 million** for construction and renovation of labs at Wichita State University.
- **\$28.2 million** for Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF).
- **\$19.5 million** for health information technology (IT), including:
 - **\$9.1 million** to the Kansas Foundation for Medical Care to establish a Regional Extension Center to provide health IT support services to doctors and other providers.
 - **\$9 million** to the Kansas Health Information Exchange Project to facilitate health information exchange.
- **\$18.5 million** for the Child Care and Development Fund to increase access to child care and improve quality.
- **\$18.4 million** for Early Head Start and Head Start programs to expand services and improve quality.
- **\$12.4 million** for Community Health Center construction, renovation, equipment, and health care services, including:
 - **\$670,000** for Salina Health Education Foundation and **\$570,000** for Heart of Kansas Family Health Care Inc., Great Bend, for increased demand for services, construction and equipment.
- **\$8.3 million** for the Community Services Block Grant for community action agencies to reduce poverty.
- **\$3.2 million** to support 68 National Health Service Corps clinicians providing primary health care in Health Professional Shortage Areas.
- **\$1.2 million** for the Communities Putting Prevention to Work initiative for State programs targeting tobacco and obesity.
- **\$1.1 million** for immunization programs.
- **\$896,000** for meals and nutrition services for the elderly.
- **\$400,000** to support community programs that help seniors better self-manage their chronic diseases.

**The total funding in this document is based on the HHS Sept. 30, 2011, Financial and Activity Report (FAR) for the Recovery Act, available at the Department's website, <http://www.hhs.gov/recovery/reports/index.html>, except for FMAP, which is based on the Oct. 21, 2011, FAR and FMAP obligations of \$91.6 million in Recovery Act funds extended by P.L. 111-226. The highlights are a selection of programs funded by the Recovery Act and do not add up to the total funding within the State. For more information about individual HHS programs and Recovery Act funding, see <http://www.hhs.gov/recovery/>.*