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Community Health Center FUNDING

Sustaining and Growing Health Centers to Meet Rising Demand

Federal grant funding for the Health Center program currently comes from **two sources** that combine to support the federal Section 330 grant that all health centers receive:

\$1.63b in Annual Discretionary Appropriations & \$4.0b in the Community Health Centers Fund will expire on 9/30/19 without Congressional action

HOW YOU CAN HELP...

Co-Sponsor at least one piece of legislation to extend long term and stable funding for the Community Health Center Fund:





S. 106, Community Health Investment, Modernization, and Excellence (CHIME) Act (Blunt/Stabenow)
Provides 5 years of funding for the CHCF including
4% annual growth (\$4.2B in FY20 through \$5.0B in FY24).

S. 192, Community and Public Health Programs Extension Act (Alexander/Murray) Provides 5 years of level funding for the CHCF 0% annual growth (\$4B/year FY20-24).

Community Health Center and Primary Care Workforce Expansion Act (Sanders, Clyburn) Provides 5 years of funding for the CHCF including 10% annual growth (\$5.6B in FY20 through \$8.2B in FY24).





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