

VERMONT EDUCATIONAL LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM

DENTISTS

Annual awards up to \$50,000 and
\$300,000 over 6 years

(includes federal/state + employer match funds)

Visit www.vtahec.org for details.



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PROGRAM OVERVIEW, ELIGIBILITY
REQUIREMENTS, AND APPLICATION.**

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

See application for details.

Funds are available to recruit and retain dentists.

The recipient must be a state of Vermont resident working as a dentist for a minimum average of 20 (clinical) hours per week and at least 45 weeks per year in Vermont (non-residents serious about working in Vermont may apply but must move to Vermont prior to disbursement of funds).

The practice site or region must be a dental workforce shortage area, as defined by the Program.

Employer matching funds are encouraged, but not required for the 2025 cycle. Per federal guidelines, match will be required in the 2026 cycle.

Recipient must sign a service obligation contract (typically a 12-to-24-month commitment).

Recipients must agree to provide care to Medicaid patients (number to be defined in service contract).

Grants go directly to pay educational loans.



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LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

Vermont's Educational Loan Repayment Program is administered by the Vermont AHEC Network. AHEC is a statewide program working to improve access to care and the health of Vermonters through health care workforce development; and is a partnership between the Northern Vermont AHEC, Southern Vermont AHEC, and the University of Vermont AHEC Program.

Vermont Educational Loan Repayment Program is contingent upon continued federal and state funding.