[U.S. Department of Health and Human Services](http://www.hhs.gov/about/" \t "_blank)

* The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) represents almost a quarter of all federal outlays, and it administers more grant dollars than all other federal agencies combined.
* HHS works closely with state and local governments, and many HHS-funded services are provided at the local level by state or county agencies, or through private sector grantees.
* HHS programs are administered by 11 operating divisions, including eight agencies in the U.S. Public Health Service and three human services agencies.
* HHS includes more than 300 programs, covering a wide spectrum of activities.
* HHS has ten [regional offices](http://www.hhs.gov/about/foa/regions/index.html)

HHS Divisions

HHS has eleven operating divisions that offer funding opportunities:

[Administration for Children and Families (ACF)](http://www.aascu.org/grc/standard.aspx?id=9872)  
[Administration for Community Living (ACL)](http://www.acl.gov/)  
[Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ)](http://www.ahrq.gov/)  
[Agency for Toxic Substances and Diseases Registry](http://www.atsdr.cdc.gov/)  
[Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC](http://www.cdc.gov/))   
[Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services](http://www.cms.gov/)  
[Food and Drug Administration (FDA)](http://www.fda.gov/)  
[Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA)](http://www.aascu.org/grc/standard.aspx?id=9876)  
[Indian Health Service](http://www.ihs.gov/)  
[National Institutes of Health (NIH)](http://www.aascu.org/grc/standard.aspx?id=11411)  
[Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA)](http://www.aascu.org/grc/standard.aspx?id=11425)

Resources

[HHS Grants and Contracts](http://www.hhs.gov/grants/)  
[HHS-Tips for Preparing an HHS Grant Proposal](http://www.hhs.gov/grants/grants/get-ready-for-grants-management/tips-for-preparing-grant-proposals/)  
[HHS Grant Process](http://www.hhs.gov/grants/grants/get-ready-for-grants-management/grant-process/)  
[HHS Grants Policy Statement](http://www.hhs.gov/sites/default/files/grants/grants/policies-regulations/hhsgps107.pdf)  
[HHS Get Ready for Grants Management](http://www.hhs.gov/grants/grants/get-ready/index.html)  
How to File a Freedom of Information Act ( [FOIA](http://www.aascu.org/GRC/MultiSection.aspx?id=10668)) Request