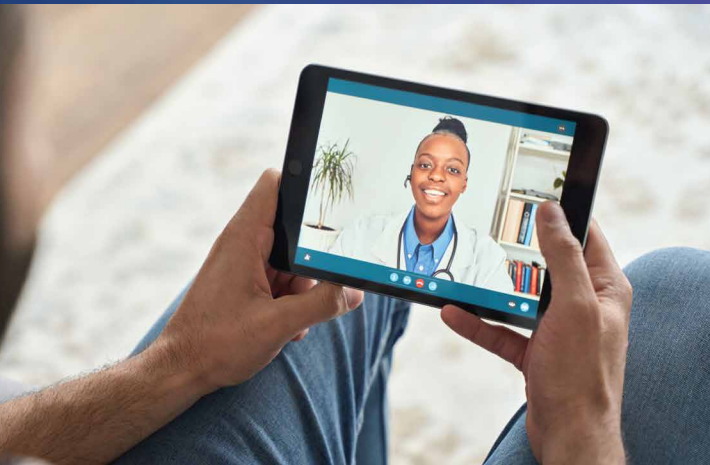


United States Department of Agriculture
Rural Utilities Service

2024 Distance Learning and Telemedicine Grant is Now Open

Deadline to Apply: April 29, 2024



The USDA Distance Learning and Telemedicine Grant Program aims to support and enhance telemedicine and distance learning services in rural regions by offering grants. These grants promote the utilization of telecommunications, computer networks, and advanced technologies for the benefit of students, educators, medical practitioners, and rural inhabitants. The funding is intended for projects that predominantly serve end users not in the same location as the source of the service.

[Link to Program Website](#)

Eligible Use of Funds

Acquire equipment and other capital assets, including:

- Audio, video licensing and interactive video equipment whose primary function is interactive distance learning or telemedicine
- Terminal and data terminal equipment
- Computer hardware, network components, and software
- Inside wiring and similar infrastructure that supports DLT services
- Broadband transmission facilities
- Acquire instructional programming
- Acquire technical assistance and instruction for using eligible equipment
- Cybersecurity hardware



Funding Available
\$60 Million



Award Size
\$50,000 - \$1,000,000



Cost Share
15% Match on Federal Request



of Awards
Approximately 100



Eligible Applicants

- State and local governmental entities
- Federally-recognized Tribes
- Nonprofit organizations
- For-profit businesses
- Consortia of eligible entities

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