

# Employment and Nutrition Programs American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009

A summary of programs expected to bring funds to New Hampshire



Funds shown are one - time only funds unless fiscal year allocations are indicated

Page references to ARRA are to the PDF version of the law posted at the New Hampshire Recovery web site: <a href="http://www.nh.gov/recovery/">http://www.nh.gov/recovery/</a>

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Program Title: National School Lunch Program Equipment Assistance

<u>Short Description</u>: Competitive grants to school food authorities for equipment.

ARRA Appropriation nationwide: \$100,000,000

Estimated New Hampshire Funds: \$215,765

Granting Agency: U.S. Department of Agriculture

Managing Agency: N.H. Department of Education

Status: Awaiting Federal Allocation of Funds.

<u>Award Criteria</u>: Funds allocated to states proportional to NH's administrative expense allocation of the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act.

States competitively grant funds to school food authorities based on need and priority given to schools with over 50% of students eligible for free or reduced price meals.

Instructions from USDA indicate funds are to be allocation by June 8, 2009, with 3 months to expend such funds. The purpose is to purchase equipment to be used in the delivery of child nutrition programs.

The funds are competitive based on the number of free and reduced meals.

<u>Time Line for use</u>: Application information will be available on March 23<sup>rd</sup> at the New Hampshire Department of Education web site:

http://www.ed.state.nh.us/education/recovery/index.htm

Funds are to be allocated to districts by June 8, 2009. Districts will have three months to expend the funds.

Details: ARRA - page 5.

- National School Lunch Program
- http://www.fns.usda.gov/cnd/Lunch/AboutLunch/ProgramHistory 6.htm

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<u>Program Title:</u> Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (Food Stamps)\*

Short Description: Increased funding to meet increased demand

ARRA Appropriation nationwide: \$500,000,000

Estimated New Hampshire Funds: Unknown

Granting Agency: U.S. Department of Agriculture

Managing Agency: N.H. Department of Health and Human Services

Status: By April 17, 2009 available as needed to meet program requirements Division of Family Assistance (DFA) administrative allocation has not yet been issued. Additionally, Federal guidance on use restrictions and tracking have not been issued.

Award Criteria: No changes from current criteria.

<u>Time Line for use</u>: By April 17, 2009, the Secretary of Agriculture will make funds

available to States.

<u>Details</u>: ARRA - page 5.

•Effective April 1,2009, maximum monthly food stamp allotment will increase

- For a household size of 4 will increase \$80, from \$588 to \$668. Similar increases will accrue for other household sizes as well.
- However, some clients could see a decrease as the \$25/week increase in unemployment benefit is not excluded from SNAP calculation
- Increase mandated within one month of bill's passage;
- DFA is on pace to implement this on April 1, 2009
- Increase should be accompanied by a client notification.
- DFA will be doing a press release.
- \$300K available for State administrative costs
- Incentives for States to improve outreach
- Federal guidance on use restrictions and tracking requirements has not yet been issued
- Amount of NH benefit undeterminable at this point.
  - \* formerly Food Stamp program
- SNAP Memoranda to Regional Administrators: http://www.fns.usda.gov/FSP/rules/Memo/09/022309.pdf
- SNAP Adjustments by State: <a href="http://www.fns.usda.gov/FSP/rules/Memo/09/021809.pdf">http://www.fns.usda.gov/FSP/rules/Memo/09/021809.pdf</a>

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Program Title: Commodity Assistance Program

Short Description: Increase in commodities and funds for distribution costs that will

provide additional food to food distribution programs, food

pantries, and soup kitchens.

ARRA Appropriation nationwide: \$150,000,000

Estimated New Hampshire Funds: \$341,340

Granting Agency: U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Managing Agency: N.H. Department of Administrative Services, (Belknap CAP)

Status: Awaiting federal allocation

Award Criteria: 75% of funds for each fiscal year allocated to States on share of

households in supplemental nutrition assistance program. 25% of funds for each fiscal year allocated to States on the increase in households in the supplemental nutrition assistance

program over the last 12 month period.

<u>Time Line for use</u>: By April 17, 2009, the Secretary of Agriculture will make funds

available to States.

Details: ARRA - page 5.

General TEFAP site, not updated for stimulus as of 3/3/09 <a href="http://www.fns.usda.gov/fdd/programs/tefap/">http://www.fns.usda.gov/fdd/programs/tefap/</a>

#### 2/26/09 Memo USDA:

"Public Law 111-5, the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA), was signed into law by President Obama on February 17, 2009. The ARRA provides TEFAP \$150 million in additional funding. Under the ARRA, the Secretary may use up to \$50 million of that total for costs associated with the distribution of commodities, including up to \$25 million in fiscal year 2009.

Funds provided through the ARRA are intended to be obligated quickly; therefore, State agencies should begin identifying food and administrative needs immediately. We will be in touch with you shortly with more information about the ARRA and the availability of food and related distribution costs for TEFAP."

Of the \$341,340 granted, \$272,935 is funded for food while \$68,405 is funded for administration.

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<u>Program Title:</u> – Increase in Unemployment Benefits Assistance for Unemployed Workers and Struggling Families – Sec. 2002

Short Description: Additional \$25 per week to recipients of unemployment

compensation.

Appropriation nationwide: Determined by demand.

Estimated New Hampshire Funds: \$600,000 (DES estimate).

Granting Agency: Department of Labor

Managing Agency: Department of Employment Services

Status: Dependent on Agreement between State and Department of Labor.

Award Criteria: Eligible recipients of State unemployment benefits.

Time Line for Use: Program begins after State enters into agreement and ends January

1, 2010.

Details: ARRA – Pages 323-325

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<u>Program Title:</u> Unemployment Compensation Modernization :Assistance for Unemployed Workers and Struggling Families –Sec. 2003

Short Description: Grants for the making of unemployment compensation

modernization incentive payments - Changes in base period and

eligibility requirements.

ARRA Appropriation nationwide: \$7,000,000,000

Estimated New Hampshire Funds: \$33,000,000 Total;

\$11,000,000 base period;

\$22,000,000 eligibility requirements

(DES estimates).

Granting Agency: US Department of Labor

Managing Agency: NH Department of Employment Services

Status: Dependent on Certification of State Law.

Award Criteria:

- Use a base period that includes the most recently completed calendar quarter before the start of the benefit year for purposes of determining eligibility for unemployment compensation; or
- provides that, in the case of an individual who would not otherwise be eligible for unemployment compensation under the State law because of the use of a base period that does not include the most recently completed calendar quarter before the start of the benefit year, eligibility shall be determined
  - Part time work seekers are eligible
  - Workers who leave employment because of domestic violence are eligible (N.H. Senate Bill 144, sponsored by Senator Hassen, meets this requirement)
  - Workers who leave employment to care for immediate family members who are ill are eligible
  - Workers who move to accommodate a spouse's relocation are eligible
  - Workers who have exhausted employment benefits, but are enrolled in a State-approved job training program are eligible
  - Dependent allowances are provided of \$15 per week subject to State maximums

<u>Time Line for use</u>: State may submit application until April 27, 2009. Department of Labor has 30 days after submission to notify State of Findings.

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Program Title: Dislocated Worker Employment and Training Services
Workforce Investment Act (WIA)

Short Description: Services to help unemployed workers find employment, including

training

ARRA Appropriation nationwide: \$1,200,000,000

New Hampshire Funds: \$2,918,025

Granting Agency: U.S. Department of Labor Employment and Training (ETA)

<u>Managing Agency</u>: Workforce Opportunity Council, Inc. contracted to NH Department of Education WIA Youth. Oversight provided through the Youth Council of the Workforce Opportunity Council.

<u>Status</u>: Funds available effective February 17, 2009 for distribution through a Request for Proposal (RFP) process issued through NH Department of Education WIA Youth Services under the auspices of the state Youth Council.

Award Criteria: Funding is awarded to the Workforce Investment Act (WIA) Grant Recipient for the State (Workforce Opportunity Council). Individual programs are funded through a RFP process to providers with a demonstrated ability to provide WIA specific services to ISY and/or OSY disadvantaged youth consistent with USDOL program requirements.

Time Line for Use of Funds: Feb. 17, 2009 – June 20, 2011

Details: ARRA - page 58.

• NH works website: http://www.nhworks.org/

• NH Department of Education: http://www.ed.state.nh.us/education/recovery/

• US DOL Services for Youth: http://www.dol.gov/

Request for Proposals Timeline: Proposals will be accepted until all funds are fully obligated. Funding availability will be posted monthly at <a href="http://www.nhworks.org/">http://www.nhworks.org/</a>

Proposal Deadline	Youth Council funding Decision	Notice to applicant
March 26, 2009 at noon	April 2, 2009	April 6, 2009
April 30, 2009 at noon	May 7, 2009	May 12, 2009
May 28, 2009 at noon	June 4, 2009	June 8, 2009
Third Thursday of month	First Thursday of following month	2 <sup>nd</sup> Monday of month after
at noon		submission

If you have any questions about the WIA Youth programs utilizing ARRA funds email: <a href="mailto:info@nhworkforce.org">info@nhworkforce.org</a> or call 603-228-9500.

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Program Title: Adult Training and Employment Services

Workforce Investment Act (WIA)

Short Description: Priority use of funds is for services to public assistance recipients

and other low income individuals.

ARRA Appropriation nationwide: \$500,000,000

New Hampshire Funds: \$1,234,406

Granting Agency: U.S. Department of Labor

Managing Agency: NH Department of Labor/Workforce Opportunity Council, Inc.

Status: Services are currently available, contact a local NHWorks Center

Award Criteria: Funds are awarded to the NH Department of Labor (WIA Funds Grant

Recipient for the State of NH)/Workforce Opportunity Council, Inc. (State WIA Workforce Investment Board). The Workforce Investment Board contracts with local service providers for the provision of service delivery activities consistent with WIA rules and regulations. The Community Action Program Association services as the statewide service provider in NH. Access to services is through the local NH

Works Centers.

Time Line: Recovery Act Stimulus funds are available  $\frac{2}{17}/09 - \frac{6}{30}/2011$ 

Details: ARRA - page 58.

• General website on Adult Training and Employment: http://www.doleta.gov/programs/general\_info.cfm

• NH Works website: http://www.nhworks.org/

The Adult Program, under Title I of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998, is designed to provide quality employment and training services to assist eligible individuals in finding and qualifying for meaningful employment, and to help employers find the skilled workers they need to compete and succeed in business.

Services are provided through NH Works centers located throughout the State. Services include job search and placement assistance, labor market information, assessments services, counseling and career planning; and training services as appropriate. Customers are linked to job opportunities in their communities, including both occupational training and training in basic skills. Participants use an "individual training account" to select an appropriate training program from a qualified training provider.

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<u>Program Title:</u> Worker Training and Placement in High Growth and Emerging Industry Sectors Grants

Short Description: Competitive Grant Program for research, labor exchange, and job

training for energy efficiency, renewable industries, and

healthcare.

ARRA Appropriation nationwide: \$750,000,000

Estimated New Hampshire Funds: Unknown – competitive application process.

Granting Agency: U.S. Department of Labor

Managing Agency: Priority Given to Community College System

Status: Grant solicitations are issued through the US Department of Labor - no date at

this time on when the next solicitation will be posted.

Award Criteria: Competitive Grants to Community Colleges, Workforce Boards and Community Based Organizations who meet the criteria posted in the grant solicitation.

Details: ARRA - page 59.

Competitive grants of \$750,000,000 are provided for a program of competitive grants for worker training and placement in high growth and emerging industry sectors. Of the total, \$500,000,000 is to be used for research, labor exchange, and job training projects that prepare workers for careers in energy efficiency and renewable industry industries. In awarding remaining funds, priority shall be given to projects that prepare workers for careers in the health care sector.

 Department of Labor recovery website: http://www.dol.gov/recovery/implement.htm

Program Title: New Hampshire Job Corps Center

Short Description: Funds for construction, rehabilitation, and acquisition of Job Corps

Centers.

ARRA Appropriation nationwide: \$250,000,000

Estimated New Hampshire Funds: Unknown – competitive application process

Granting Agency: U.S. Department of Labor

Managing Agency: New Hampshire WorkForce Opportunity Council

Status: Awaiting federal allocation of funds.

<u>Time Line for use</u>: Preference to activities that can be started and completed expeditiously, including a goal of using at least 50 percent of the funds for activities that can be initiated not later than 120 days after the date of the enactment of this Act. Recipients shall also use grant funds in a manner that maximizes job creation and economic benefit.

Details: ARRA - page 60

New Hampshire hopes to receive funds to start construction on a planned Jobs Corps facility in New Hampshire.

<u>Program Title:</u> Unemployment Insurance and Employment Service

**Operations & Reemployment Services** 

Short Description: Additional funds for the Department of Employment Security to

provide re-employment services to unemployment claimants.

ARRA Appropriation nationwide: \$400,000,000

Estimated New Hampshire Funds: Allocation not yet announced.

Granting Agency: U.S. Department of Labor

Managing Agency: N.H. Department of Employment Services

Status: Awaiting allocation by U.S. Department of Labor.

Details: ARRA - page 59-60.

 Department of Labor site: <a href="http://www.doleta.gov/programs/Wagner\_Peyser.cfm">http://www.doleta.gov/programs/Wagner\_Peyser.cfm</a>

The Wagner-Peyser Act of 1933 established a nationwide system of public employment offices known as the Employment Service. The Act was amended in 1998 to make the Employment Service part of the One-Stop services delivery system.

The One Stop delivery system provides universal access to an integrated array of labor exchange services so that workers, job seekers and businesses can find the services they need in one stop and frequently under one roof in easy-to-find locations.

# Program Title: Workforce Investment Act (WIA) Youth Activities

<u>Short Description</u>: Emphasis is placed on creating summer employment opportunities for youth, but year-round youth activities are also envisioned. Age eligibility for youth services with these funds is 14-24. Funds are for in-school youth (ISY) or out-of-school youth (OSY) with economic barriers.

ARRA Appropriation Nationwide: \$1,200,000,000

Estimated New Hampshire Funds: \$2,918,025

Granting Agency: US Department of Labor Employment and Training (ETA)

<u>Managing Agency</u>: Workforce Opportunity Council, Inc. contracted to NH Department of Education WIA Youth. Oversight provided through the Youth Council of the Workforce Opportunity Council.

<u>Status</u>: Funds available effective February 17, 2009 for distribution through a Request for Proposal (RFP) process issued through NH Department of Education WIA Youth Services under the auspices of the state Youth Council.

<u>Award Criteria</u>: Funding is awarded to the Workforce Investment Act (WIA) Grant Recipient for the State (Workforce Opportunity Council). Individual programs are funded through a RFP process to providers with a demonstrated ability to provide WIA specific services to ISY and/or OSY disadvantaged youth consistent with USDOL program requirements.

Time Line for Use of Funds: February 17, 2009 – June 20, 2011

<u>Details:</u> ARRA – page 58

• NH Works website: <a href="http://www.nhworks.org">http://www.nhworks.org</a>

• NH Department of Education: http://www.nhdoe.gov

• US DOL Services for Youth: <a href="http://www.dol.gov">http://www.dol.gov</a>

<u>Request for Proposals Timeline</u>: Proposals will be accepted until all funds are fully obligated. Funding availability will be posted monthly at <u>www.nhworks.org</u>.

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Program Title: YouthBuild

Short Description: YouthBuild provides job training and educational opportunities for

at-risk youth ages 16-24.

ARRA Appropriation nationwide: \$50,000,000

Estimated New Hampshire Funds: Not yet announced

Granting Agency: U.S. Department of Labor

Managing Agency: Manchester Housing and Redevelopment Authority

Status: Proposal previously submitted, awaiting determination of awards

Details: ARRA - page 59.

YouthBuild provides job training and educational opportunities for at-risk youth ages 16-24 while constructing or rehabilitating affordable housing for low-income or homeless families in their own neighborhoods. Youth split their time between the construction site and the classroom, where they earn their GED or high school diploma, learn to be community leaders, and prepare for college and other postsecondary training opportunities. YouthBuild includes significant support systems, such as a mentoring, follow-up education, employment, and personal counseling services; and participation in community service and civic engagement.

<u>Program Title:</u> Senior Community Service Employment Program (SCSEP)

<u>Short Description</u>: Part-time employment opportunities for low income seniors

ARRA Appropriation nationwide: \$120,000,000

Estimated New Hampshire Funds: \$573,169

Granting Agency: U.S. Department of Labor

Managing Agency: NH Department of Labor/Workforce Opportunity Council, Inc. (\$126,306), National ABLE Network (\$446,863)

#### Status: Available now, contact the Workforce Opportunity Council or National ABLE

Award Criteria: Funding awarded to carry out expanded services with existing State and National service providers. National programs receive 78% of the funding available and are funded directly by the US Department of Labor. Each State operates a "state program" with the remaining 22% of available funds. In NH, ABLE Network operates the National Program and the NH Department of Labor/Workforce Opportunity Council operates the State program via a subcontract with the Belknap/Merrimack Community Action Program.

Time Line: Funds available effective February 17, 2009 – June 30, 2010

Details: AARA – page 59

- NH Works website: http://www.nhworks.org
- National Able Network website: http://www.nationalable.org/
- US Department of Labor Employment & Training website: http://www.doleta.gov/seniors

The Senior Community Service Employment Program (SCSEP) is funded through the US Department of Labor (DOL) under the Older Americans Act of 1965, Title V-Community Service Employment for Older Americans, as amended through Public Law 102-375, dated September 30, 1992. National and state sponsors, known as "service providers", operate SCSEP projects. SCSEP is a community service and work-based training program for older workers that provides subsidized, part-time, community service work-based training for low-income persons age 55 or older who have poor employment prospects. Through this program, older workers have access to the SCSEP services as well as other employment assistance available through the NH Works One-Stop Career Centers of the workforce investment system.

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**Program Title:** Child Care and Development Block Grants

Short Description: Supplement state general funds for child care assistance for low-

income families

ARRA Appropriation nationwide: \$2,000,000,000

Estimated New Hampshire Funds: \$4,736,238

(Center for Law and Social Policy estimate)

<u>Granting Agency</u>: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

Managing Agency: N.H. Department of Health and Human Services

Status: Awaiting information from federal DHHS

Details: ARRA - page 64.

Center for Law and Social Policy Description:

"Economic recovery funds for child care will be allocated as CCDBG Discretionary funds and subject to the rules of that funding stream. Discretionary funds do not require a state match. According to CCDBG law, discretionary funds must be obligated (or legally committed) within two years and spent within three years. Discretionary expenditures are included in the 4 percent requirement for spending on quality initiatives. The bill specifies that \$2 billion in child care funding will be available through September 30, 2010.

Portions of these funds may be allocated through FY 2009 and FY 2010 by HHS. The bill reserves approximately \$255 million for quality initiatives, including \$94 million to improve the quality of infant/toddler care. These funds are included in the \$2 billion allocated to states. Estimates of state allocations are based on estimated FFY 2009 CCDBG Funding Allocations (Prior to Appropriation), which are based on the previous Bush Administration's FY 2009 budget request and are subject to change (<a href="http://www.acf.hhs.gov/programs/ccb/law/allocations/current/state2009/2009allocations.htm">http://www.acf.hhs.gov/programs/ccb/law/allocations/current/state2009/2009allocations.htm</a>)."

CCDBG Excluding Targeted Funds \$4,117,946 Targeted Funds: Quality \$391,539 Targeted Funds: Infant/Toddler \$226,753 Total \$4,736,238

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<u>Program Title:</u> Homeless Prevention (Emergency Shelter)

<u>Short Description</u>: Funds to be used for eligible homeless prevention/intervention

activities.

ARRA Appropriation nationwide: \$1,500,000,000

Estimated New Hampshire Funds: \$4,612,322

Granting Agency: U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development

Managing Agency: Department of Health & Human Services

Status: Information expected from on HUD on 3/19/09

Award Criteria: Funds to be used for provision of short or medium term rental

assistance, housing relocation, and stabilization services including housing search, mediation or outreach to property owners, credit

repair, security or utility deposits, utility payments, rental

assistance, moving cost assistance, case management or activities

related to rapid re-housing of homeless persons

Time Line: . 60% of funds must be expended within 2 years of date funds

become available, 100% must be expended within 3 years of that date. Un-expended funds at the 2 year date (60%) will be subject

to the "recapture" and reallocation.

<u>Details</u>: ARRA - page 107

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Housing and Urban Development link:

http://www.hud.gov/

**Program Title:** Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)

Short Description: An emergency fund that can be accessed for increased

expenditures related to increased assistance caseloads.

ARRA Appropriation nationwide:

**Estimated New Hampshire Funds:** 

Granting Agency: Labor, Health and Human Services

Managing Agency: Department of Health & Human Services

Status:

#### Award Criteria:

- 80% of the increase in basic assistance (csh welfare) if the state's TANF caseload increased compared to 2007 or 2008.
- 80% of any increase in spending on subsidized employment.
- 80% of any increase in spending on short-term, non-recurrent benefits.
- Allows States the option of using caseload reductions from FY 05 to either FY 07 or FY 08 when calculating its caseload reduction credit for FY10 and FY11.
- Also allows any unspent TANF funds (often referred to as carryover balances) to be spent on any benefit, service or activity allowable under TANF, including Business Process Reengineering (BPR) and supporting technology
- To be eligible to drawdown funds, states do not have to increase absolute levels of spending, just spending in the three categories listed above.
- Federal methodology has not yet been issued describing whether solely state funded programs States implemented to meet the 50% participation rates will be included as "caseload increase" for reimbursement.

Time Line:

Details: ARRA - 332

#### Estimated New Hampshire Funds Based on Governor's Budget

NH will receive reimbursement for 80% of new costs due to 2009 and 2010 caseload increases. We are unable to determine how much we might receive. NH can show a modest increase in the 1st quarter of '09 but only if solely state funded programs are included in the calculation. It is unclear whether we will have caseload increases in other quarters; the amount of money we can draw down is unclear. However, any extra money would already be being spent on assistance to this caseload increase. Federal guidance has not yet been issued.

Also, this new legislation provides a one-time payment of \$250 to Social Security and Supplemental Security Income beneficiaries.

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# Program Title: Foster Care/Adoption Services

- <u>Short Description</u>: Temporary FMAP increase of 6.2 percentage effective 10/1/2008 through 12/31/2010
- FMAP increased above 56.2% based on increases in unemployment rates
- By September 30, 2011, states must report on how these funds were expended States must pay claims timely to remain eligible for increased FMAP

# ARRA Appropriation nationwide:

## **Estimated New Hampshire Funds:**

Granting Agency: Administration for Children and Families (ACF)

Managing Agency: Department of Health & Human Services

Status: ACF is developing the claiming process for these funds.

Award Criteria: Funds are available to offset general funds budgeted except that no

amounts attributable to increased FMAP can be credited to or

deposited to any reserve or rainy day fund.

Time Line: . Current

Details: ARRA – page 335

Estimated New Hampshire Funds Based on Governor's Budget

# Numbers expressed in thousands

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Foster Care & Ad	option Ass	sistance								
Base Cost	\$7,958	\$7,958	\$7,958	\$7,400	\$7,400	\$7,400	\$7,400	\$7,400	\$7,400	
Base FMAP	6.20%	6.20%	6.20%	6.20%	6.20%	6.20%	6.20%	6.20%	6.20%	
Additional Funds	\$493	\$493	\$493	\$459	\$459	\$459	\$459	\$459	\$459	

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Program Title: Medicaid To The Schools FMAP

Short Description: Stimulus funds would pass through to local school districts.

ARRA Appropriation nationwide:

**Estimated New Hampshire Funds:** 

Granting Agency: U.S. Department of Health & Human Services

Managing Agency: Department of Health & Human Services

Status: Awaiting details from Federal HHS

Award Criteria: Same as Medicaid FMAP

Time Line: Current

Details: ARRA – page 383

### Estimated New Hampshire Funds Based on Governor's Budget Numbers expressed in thousands

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	Q2-	Q3-	Q4-	Q1-	Q2-	Q3-	Q4-	Q1-	Q2-
Rounded to \$000)	SFY09	SFY09	SFY09	SFY10	SFY10	SFY10	SFY10	SFY11	SFY11
Medicaid to Scho	ols								
Funds Go to Sch	ool Distric	ts							
Mcaid-Cost Base	\$5,750	\$5,750	\$5,750	\$5,750	\$5,750	\$5,750	\$5,750	\$5,750	\$5,750
Base FMAP	6.20%	6.20%	6.20%	6.20%	6.20%	6.20%	6.20%	6.20%	6.20%
Additional Funds	\$357	\$357	\$357	\$357	\$357	\$357	\$357	\$357	\$357

ogram Title: Child Support Enforcement

Short Description: The Stimulus Bill temporarily restores funding to the Child

Support program for the duration of the bill. The Federal Government pays States an incentive payment for performance achieved in five specific areas. Prior to the Deficit Reduction Act of 2005, States had been allowed to use incentives as a 34% match to draw additional 66% Federal funds. The ARRA reinstates this matching ability. For NH, the temporary restoration of the "matching" capability will result in an additional \$6.9 million

dollars in federal funds.

#### ARRA Appropriation nationwide:

Estimated New Hampshire Funds: \$6,900,000

Granting Agency: U.S. Department of Health & Human Services

Managing Agency: Department of Health & Human Services

Status: Administration for Children and Families is developing the

claiming process for these funds

<u>Award Criteria</u>: Funds to be used for any child support purpose, including business process re-engineering and supporting technology.

Time Line: Available through September 30, 2010.

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#### Numbers expressed in thousands

	(\$000)	SFY09	SFY10	SFY11	
Availab	le to GF	\$400	\$1,100	\$275	
Restrict	ted Use	\$2,300	\$2,500	\$625	
	Total	\$2,700	\$3,600	\$900	