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| DOL grants \$220M for health care job training | http://www.dol.gov/opa/media/press/eta/eta20090860.htm | Press Release | U.S. Department of Labor announces \$220 million competition to fund programs that prepare workers for careers in health care industry. The competition announced today will result in grants to fund public entities and private, nonprofit organizations to train individuals for careers in the health care fields of nursing, allied health, long-term care and health information technology. Approximately \$25 million of total funds will be reserved for projects serving communities impacted by automotive industry restructuring. Training in other high growth industries also will be targeted. Grants awarded through this competition will be funded | <p>During a visit to the Shawnee County Community Health Center as a stop on the Obama administration's Rural Tour, Secretary of Labor Hilda L. Solis today announced a \$220 million competition to fund projects that prepare workers for careers in the health care and other high-growth industries.</p> <p>"An important part of our nation's continued economic recovery is ensuring that workers have the necessary skills to enter high growth industries," said Secretary Solis. "Health care continues to offer workers opportunities to enter career-track jobs, earn good wages and make a positive impact on the communities in which they live and work."</p> <p>The competition announced today will result in grants to fund public entities and private, nonprofit organizations to train individuals for careers in the health care fields of nursing, allied health, long-term care and health information technology. Training also will be provided for careers in other growing industries based on specific regional needs. Approximately \$25 million of total funds will be reserved for projects serving communities impacted by automotive industry restructuring.</p> <p>"Today's announcement is another way that President Obama</p> <p>Grants awarded through this competition will be funded under</p> <p>A notice of the grant solicitation appears in today's edition of</p> | 7/21/2009 12:00 | grants;sga;competition;training;health care;high growth;recovery; |

