

# United States Senate

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The Honorable Patty Murray  
Chair  
Senate Committee on Appropriations  
United States Senate  
S-128, The Capitol  
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Susan Collins  
Vice Chair  
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The Honorable Tammy Baldwin  
Chair  
Subcommittee on Labor, Health and  
Related Agencies  
Senate Committee on Appropriations  
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The Honorable Shelley Moore Capito  
Ranking Member  
Subcommittee on Labor, Health and  
Related Agencies  
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Dear Chair Murray, Vice Chair Collins, Chairman Schatz and Ranking Member Hyde-Smith:

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested in the Fiscal Year 2025 Labor, Health and Human Services and Related Agencies Appropriations Bill, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate. None of the entities for which I have requested congressionally directed spending is a for-profit entity.

Sincerely,



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Jeanne Shaheen  
United States Senator

**Shaheen, Jeanne(D-NH) Labor and Health and Human Services  
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

| <b>Recipient Name</b>  | <b>Project Purpose</b>   | <b>Project Location</b> | <b>Amount Requested (\$000)</b> |
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| New Hampshire Children's Trust, Inc.                                   | The Children's Trust will use CDS funding to implement and expand the recently released Prevent Child Abuse America's (PCAA) Theory of Change for Primary Prevention model. This model implements multiple strategies to create a community ecosystem to reduce child abuse and neglect.                   | City of Concord NH      | \$500                           |
| New Hampshire School Principals Foundation                             | The New Hampshire School Principals Foundation (NHSPF) will use CDS funds to support a year-long workforce development leadership series across the state for current and aspiring PK-12 school leaders.   | City of Concord NH      | \$342                           |
| NAMI New Hampshire   | Funding will support the adaptation of NAMI's Connect Postvention training to include sudden deaths resulting from overdose; develop collateral; disseminate information and resources; and provide no-cost trainings to high-risk communities throughout the state.                                       | City of Concord NH      | \$444                           |
| NH Hunger Solutions  | NH Hunger Solutions will use funds to carry out its Social Determinants of Health Action Plan created with state agencies, healthcare, public health and community partners around the state. Funds will also advance communications outreach for SNAP, WIC and School Meals that was initiated this year. | City of Concord NH      | \$430                           |
| Boys & Girls Clubs of Central New Hampshire                            | Funds will be used to purchase security systems to help ensure the safety of 1,500 children and youth attending Boys & Girls Club after school programs and early learning centers at nine locations throughout New Hampshire.   | City of Concord NH      | \$540                           |
| NH Civics  | New Hampshire Civics requests funds to launch Civics4EveryKid, an initiative to provide flexible content options and civics books for all NH K-3 teachers.   | City of Concord NH      | \$320                           |
| NHTI-Concord's Community College                                       | NHTI would use funds to renovate dental learning facilities and a dental clinic.   | City of Concord NH      | \$250                           |
| Community College System of New Hampshire                              | Funds will be used to develop and implement strategies to re-engage and support non-traditional learners at the state's seven community colleges. This will include outreach, advising and support, as well as training and professional development for college personnel.                                | City of Concord NH      | \$550                           |
| RB Productions   | CDS funding for the Youth Arts Masterclass Series will bring professional theatre artists to Capitol-area students, especially those from underserved backgrounds, for hands-on, experiential skill-building in the arts, literacy, STEM, and social-emotional wellbeing.                                  | City of Concord NH      | \$140                           |
| Community Action Program Belknap-Merrimack County Inc.                 | CDS funding will be used to purchase a delivery truck for food distribution as well as to purchase a forklift to assist in loading food from the central warehouse.  | City of Concord NH      | \$225                           |
| New Hampshire Department of Education                                  | This project will provide STEM education professional development and resources to train Early Childcare Center educators throughout New Hampshire in hands-on science and engineering education.  | City of Concord NH      | \$3,000                         |
| Behavioral Health and Developmental Services of Strafford County, Inc. | CDS funds will be used to renovate an existing facility to support Applied Behavioral Analysis (ABA) therapy services for children ages 2-8.   | City of Dover NH        | \$110                           |
| Dover Adult Learning Center  | Funding will be used to recruit and train up to 32 individuals for the After Hours Licensed Nurse Assistant (LNA) Training Program and support the growing demand for quality healthcare services in New Hampshire.  | City of Dover NH        | \$100                           |

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| Reach for the Top Therapy Services             | Reach for the Top Therapy would use CDS funds to hire two additional Speech Language Pathologists, provide training, upgrade assessment tools and purchase speech-generating devices to improve access to support for children with disabilities.  | City of Dover NH      | \$181   |
| HealthFirst Family Care Center, Inc.           | HealthFirst requests funding to expand its health campus by completing construction of a 2,200 square foot property adjacent to its Franklin health center facility that was purchased last fall.  | City of Franklin NH   | \$1,500 |
| Keene Housing Kids Collaborative               | Keene Housing Kids Collaborative (KHKC) seeks funding to expand afterschool and summer enrichment opportunities and provide transportation for children and parents to programs as transportation is one of the greatest barriers to child participation.  | City of Keene NH      | \$247   |
| County of Cheshire Administration              | CDS funding would be used to install, configure and optimize new internet protocol-based equipment and systems at 12 radio repeater sites thus solidly protecting this essential community lifeline from the impacts of the natural and technological disasters that frequently occur in the region.     | City of Keene NH      | \$5,725 |
| Monadnock United Way                           | The Building the Workforce project will support a network of professionals and provide training and coaching to early childhood educators throughout the Early Childhood (EC) Region 1 area through mentorship, coaching and training.   | City of Keene NH      | \$250   |
| Lakes Region Mental Health Center, Inc.        | Lakes Region Mental Health Services requests funding to increase the number of community residence units for older adults with mental illness and/or comorbidities, providing services including case management, counseling, daily living skills, nutrition and healthy eating and socialization.       | City of Laconia NH    | \$1,750 |
| Dartmouth Health                               | DHMC seeks CDS funding to seed and launch the Workforce Innovation Network, an organization to find and attract talent, develop 'whole package' career pathways, place staff with provider organizations statewide and nurture staff over the long term with career advancement and retention support.   | City of Lebanon NH    | \$1,234 |
| Dartmouth Health                               | Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center's Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology seeks funding to support the creation of an inpatient program for the purpose of withdrawal management and initiation of treatment medications for pregnant women with fentanyl, alcohol and other substance use disorders. | City of Lebanon NH    | \$900   |
| Dartmouth Health                               | Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center's (DHMC) Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology seeks congressional directed spending to implement a doula program.  | City of Lebanon NH    | \$205   |
| Dartmouth Health                               | Dartmouth Health (DH) will use CDS funds to staff and outfit a mobile van for geriatric care services.   | City of Lebanon NH    | \$650   |
| Dartmouth Health                               | Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center's Department of Population Health seeks a CDS of \$1.5M to develop a digital health literacy and digital navigator training center.   | City of Lebanon NH    | \$1,500 |
| International Institute of New England         | IINE-Manchester will use CDS funds to provide enhanced and expanded employment services and career pathways programs to refugees and immigrants.   | City of Manchester NH | \$250   |
| The Mental Health Center of Greater Manchester | The Mental Health Center of Greater Manchester will use CDS funding for facility renovations and information technology (IT) equipment.  | City of Manchester NH | \$770   |
| Elliot Health System                           | Funds will be used to expand workforce programs to grow the Elliot Health System workforce. Programs include their multi-tiered Apprenticeship Programs, Career Explorations Program, Summer Student Internship Program, English as Other Language for Healthcare Program and Nursing Preceptor program. | City of Manchester NH | \$460   |

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| NH Black Women Health Project              | This project will use funds to staff and operationalize work in collaboration with a number of supportive organizations to eliminate racism, empower women and support the well-being, including mental health, of people of color.   | City of Manchester NH | \$400   |
| Centro Latino de New Hampshire             | Centro Latino de New Hampshire seeks funds to provide mental health services to underserved Latino populations via Community Health Workers (CHWs).   | City of Manchester NH | \$299   |
| Victory Women of Vision                    | Victory Women of Vision proposes to expand their New American youth empowerment program in the Manchester public schools to additional middle and elementary schools. They will implement a pilot program focused on helping youth with behavioral problems related to trauma through small support groups. | City of Manchester NH | \$256   |
| Safari Youth Club                          | CDS funds will be used to support the well-being of Manchester's refugee and immigrant community through the part-time employment of parent mentors who will assist families as they assimilate as new Americans.   | City of Manchester NH | \$163   |
| Dismas Home of NH, Inc.                    | CDS funds will be used to support Dismas Home of NH's addition of 20 Transitional Living Program beds to bring total program capacity up to 28 beds.  | City of Manchester NH | \$500   |
| Manchester School District                 | CDS funding would be utilized to fund a total of 7 positions to address student mental health in schools.   | City of Manchester NH | \$850   |
| St. Joseph Hospital of Nashua, N.H.        | Funding will replace three end-of-life mammography machines (two on the main Nashua campus, one at Milford Medical Center) and also implement a new Mobile Mammography program.   | City of Nashua NH     | \$2,750 |
| Rivier University                          | Funds will be used to purchase and equip a mobile medical van to support nursing student site visits to vulnerable populations at senior centers, youth organizations and social service centers such as soup kitchens.   | City of Nashua NH     | \$317   |
| The Front Door Agency, Inc.                | Funds will be used to establish a Financial Empowerment Center in Nashua to provide Financial Literacy Education, Tenant Education, Career Development training and Post-Secondary Education support.   | City of Nashua NH     | \$850   |
| Harbor Homes Inc.                          | Funds will be used for final renovations at Harbor Care's substance use disorder treatment center, the Cynthia Day Family Center. Funding will go toward "Phase 2" improvements: playground creation, drainage fixes, parking lot regrading and paving, enhancing security, signage and fencing.            | City of Nashua NH     | \$832   |
| Nashua Community College                   | Nashua Community College is seeking CDS funds to purchase furniture and supplies to equip their new Early Childhood Center. The Early Childhood Center will increase high-quality childcare availability for approximately 30 children in the greater Nashua community.                                     | City of Nashua NH     | \$25    |
| Lil' Iguana's Children's Safety Foundation | CDS funds will launch an education initiative to provide equitable access to PreK-5 personal safety, social-emotional learning and health resources by developing a digital curriculum and providing access to all NH Head Start/Title I centers, elementary schools, police departments and libraries.     | City of Nashua NH     | \$400   |
| Lil' Iguana's Children's Safety Foundation | Funding will be used for program scheduling and outreach, educator and instructor program delivery at 100 classrooms, travel expenses and leave behind materials including posters, workbooks, affirmation cards and instructor manuals.  | City of Nashua NH     | \$150   |
| Lil' Iguana's Children's Safety Foundation | The Lil' Iguana's Children's Safety Foundation seeks funding to bring 100 Lil' Iguana LIVE! educational programs to approximately 30,000 elementary children in Hillsborough & Rockingham counties.   | City of Nashua NH     | \$600   |

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| St. Joseph Hospital of Nashua, N.H. | CDS funding will be used to replace the hospital's existing angiography lab equipment and renovate space to house this component of the vascular program at the facility, essential to the treatment of cardiovascular disease.  | City of Nashua NH         | \$3,119 |
| Southern New Hampshire Health       | Southern New Hampshire Health (SNHH) will use CDS Funds to purchase equipment for the Cardiac and Vascular Program. The equipment needs will be to outfit two Cardiac Cath Labs, an Interventional Radiology Suite, diagnostic cardiology area and a pre- and post-procedure area.                           | City of Nashua NH         | \$2,000 |
| Greater Seacoast Community Health   | CDS funding will be used for capital improvements and program expansion at Greater Seacoast Community Health's (GSCH) Somersworth Health Center, including creating more primary care space, staff meeting space and clinical and program supplies storage.  | City of Somersworth NH    | \$2,500 |
| Nashua Community College            | NCC will use CDS Funds to purchase the tower and radar simulator equipment required to start-up an associate's degree program in air traffic control.  | Nashua NH                 | \$337   |
| Great Bay Community College         | CDS funding will be used to retrofit welding lab space with electrical and ventilation upgrades, purchase trainings aids and equipment, support curriculum development for short-term training and conduct program outreach activities.  | Portsmouth NH             | \$895   |
| Lamprey Health Care, Inc.           | Funds will be used to integrate Pharmacy Services into its CHC by creating an onsite pharmacy at its Raymond, NH location. Funds would be used to design and renovate approximately 440 square feet in the existing facility for the provision of pharmacy services and to purchase any necessary equipment  | Raymond NH                | \$250   |
| Best Buddies International, Inc.    | Funds will establish and deliver community-based inclusion services at 30 elementary, middle and high schools that will serve at least 675 students with and without intellectual and developmental disabilities, who will take part in a minimum of 150 inclusive activities and leadership training events | Town of Bedford NH        | \$250   |
| Ossipee Concerned Citizens          | CDS funding will be used to support nutrition services for elderly and disadvantaged clients in Ossipee, NH.   | Town of Center Ossipee NH | \$100   |
| Northern Human Services             | Northern Human Services (NHS) will use CDS funds to support the planning for and construction of a new building in their Carroll County area that will house both Developmental Services and Mental Health Services.   | Town of Conway NH         | \$3,000 |
| University of New Hampshire         | The New Hampshire Center for Health Workforce and Clinical Innovation is intended to improve exposure of students to health careers and education pathways, provide enhanced clinical training, precepting and job placement in high need areas and sustainable platforms for evaluation and dissemination.  | Town of Durham NH         | \$1,900 |
| Seven Hills New Hampshire, Inc.     | Seven Hills New Hampshire (SHNH) requests CDS funding to renovate all spaces in which clinical services are delivered at Crotched Mountain School, a nationally recognized K-12 residential and day school providing special education to students ages 5-21.  | Town of Greenfield NH     | \$3,000 |
| Seven Hills New Hampshire, Inc.     | Funds will be utilized to reinstate Crotched Mountain School's adaptive sports program. Necessary equipment includes a truck and trailer, a wheelchair van, adaptive bikes, kayaks, life vests, and safety gear for skiing.  | Town of Greenfield NH     | \$300   |
| Hampton Area Chamber of Commerce    | In coordination with area schools, the Hampton Area Chamber of Commerce would use CDS funds for a career pathway program for students interested in plumbing, electrical, oil heat and air conditioning, enabling 240 students to go through this program over a three-year period of time.                  | Town of Hampton NH        | \$350   |

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| Haverhill Police Department                      | CDS funding will be used to construct a facility to provide one-on-one mental health services to law enforcement officers.   | Town of Haverhill NH   | \$65    |
| New England College                              | New England College seeks \$775,000 in CDS funds for training equipment and facilities needs associated with its new four-year bachelor's degree program in Community Mental Health.   | Town of Henniker NH    | \$775   |
| Reality Check, Inc                               | CDS funds will be used to purchase the now-vacant church property at 48 Stratton Rd, Jaffrey, across from the Jaffrey-Rindge School District, to enable the expansion of current addiction services to serve more individuals in recovery.   | Town of Jaffrey NH     | \$475   |
| White Mountain Science Inc.                      | CDS funds will be used to expand WMSI's STEM education programming into Carroll and Belknap counties. These programs will include enrichment and school development services such as afterschool programming, teacher development/coaching, vacation camps and FIRST robotics competition programming.         | Town of Littleton NH   | \$118   |
| North Country Home Health & Hospice Agency, Inc. | Funds will support workforce development programs for mobile integrated health responders and community health workers in palliative care including program development, training and education, screening tools, outreach and engagement efforts, use of telehealth tech and evaluation of program outcomes   | Town of Littleton NH   | \$165   |
| New Neighbor Connections                         | CDS funds will allow for the creation of a high school leadership team which will join New Neighbor Connections (NNC) staff and volunteers to provide direct assistance to immigrant and refugee students and families and better link them to existing community resources.                                   | Town of Londonderry NH | \$300   |
| Alex Manfull Fund                                | CDS funds will be used to raise awareness and educate professionals typically working in school settings as well as physicians and mental health care workers about immune associated neuropsychiatric disorders, such as PANDAS and PANS.   | Town of New Castle NH  | \$700   |
| Kearsarge Regional School District, SAU 65       | CDS funds will be used to design and replace the deteriorated and unsafe community playground utilized by New London Elementary School, the New London Outing Club before and afterschool care and families from the surrounding towns of New London, Wilmot and Springfield.                                  | Town of New London NH  | \$900   |
| Pelham New Hampshire Council On Aging            | CDS funding will be used to construct an accessible trail for seniors.   | Town of Pelham NH      | \$35    |
| Mid-State Health Center                          | Mid-State will leverage CDS funds to complete phase two of a renovation at its existing health center facility in Plymouth, NH. This phase two renovation will redesign and reconfigure the existing space to improve the delivery of primary care services for its growing patient population.                | Town of Plymouth NH    | \$1,200 |
| Mental Health Center of Southern New Hampshire   | Funds will help renovate an 18,000-square-foot commercial facility, including adding a crisis stabilization unit that will include a drop-in center with short-stay beds around-the-clock, walk-in crisis care and stabilization, integrated care, and recovery and other comprehensive services.              | Town of Salem NH       | \$1,500 |
| Big Brothers Big Sisters of New Hampshire        | CDS funds will be used for technology upgrades to facilitate the expansion of school-based programming for youth to allow for virtual and in-person mentorship. Funds will also be used for a one-time recruitment campaign for volunteer mentors specifically in Cheshire and Hillsborough Counties.          | Town of Stratham NH    | \$275   |
| Ammonoosuc Community Health Services, Inc.       | The \$250,000 in CDS funds will be used with \$200,491 in other secured funds to renovate the Ammonoosuc Community Health Services (ACHS) facility in Warren, NH. Specific work includes building weatherization, solar micro grid, renovations to ensure ADA compliance, community room, and a covered porch. | Town of Warren NH      | \$250   |

