

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

Department of Health and Human Services	
Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA)	
Administrator:	Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS Secretary)
Purpose:	To improve the infrastructure of community health centers and address shortages in the health care workforce.
Funding Level:	\$2.5 billion
Allocation Method:	(None specified)
Eligible Applicants:	Federally Qualified Community Health Centers (FQHCs)
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$500 million for grants to FQHCs • \$1.5 billion for grants for construction, renovation, equipment and health information technologies for FQHCs • \$500 million to address health professions workforce shortages; of which \$75 million is for the National Health Service Corps to provide scholarships, loan repayment, and grants to training programs for equipment • Within 90 days, Secretary to provide an operational plan of activities and timeline for expenditures
Policy Context:	This funding continues the Bush Administration policy of substantially expanding the number of FQHCs that are now likely to provide major access in a health care reform environment. Funding also allows HRSA to expand its efforts to provide technical assistance to FQHCs on health information technology

Department of Health and Human Services	
National Institutes of Health (NIH) National Center for Research Resources	
Administrator:	National Center for Research Resources
Purpose:	To repair, renovate or construct extramural research facilities and to acquire shared instrumentation and other research equipment.
Funding Level:	\$1.3 billion
Allocation Method:	Grants or contracts
Eligible Applicants:	Not known at this time
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$1 billion for grants or contracts to construct, renovate or repair existing non-Federal research facilities • \$300 million for National Center for Research Resources to provide shared instrumentation and other capital research equipment to recipients of grants and contracts
Policy Context:	These funds are designed to provide the infrastructure to maximize scientific and health benefits of research.

Department of Health and Human Services	
National Institutes of Health (NIH) Office of the Director	
Administrator:	Office of the Director
Purpose:	To provide funding for specific scientific challenges, new research that expands the scope of ongoing projects, and research on public and international health priorities; and to fund construction and renovation of NIH buildings and facilities.
Funding Level:	\$8.7 billion
Allocation Method:	Short-term grants; and any funding mechanisms and authorities at the Agency's disposal that maximize scientific and health benefit.

Eligible Applicants:	(None specified)
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$7.4 billion to be transferred to NIH Institutes and Centers with funds not subject to Small Business Innovation Research and Small Business Technology Transfer set-a-side requirements • \$800 million to be retained in the Office of the Director for purposes that can be completed within two years with a priority placed on short-term grants that focus on specific scientific challenges, new research that expands the scope of ongoing projects, and research on public and international health priorities • \$400 million may be used by the Director under existing flexible research authority • Funds are not subject to Small Business Innovation Research and Small Business Technology Transfer set-aside requirements • \$500 million for high priority NIH facility repair, construction, and improvement
Policy Context:	Research funding to NIH Institutes and Centers will align with Appropriators funding for these entities, but also targets research on Alzheimer's Disease, Parkinson's Disease, cancer and heart disease.

Department of Health and Human Services	
Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ)	
Administrator:	AHRQ Director/NIH Director/HHS Secretary
Purpose:	To facilitate comparative effectiveness research (CER) used to conduct or support research to evaluate and compare the clinical outcomes, effectiveness, risk and benefits of two or more medical treatments and services that address a particular medical condition.
Funding Level:	\$1.1 billion
Allocation Method:	\$300 million is allocated to AHRQ; \$400 million is allocated to NIH; and \$400 million is allocated at the discretion of the HHS Secretary.
Eligible Applicants:	Agencies within HHS; other government agencies; private sector entities with CER experience.
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Creation of Federal Coordinating Council for Comparative Effectiveness Research <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The Council consists of up to 15 senior Federal officers or employees with responsibility for health-related programs ○ At least half of the members of the Council must be physicians or have clinical expertise ○ The Council may not mandate coverage, reimbursement, or other policies for any public or private payer. • Up to \$1.5 million will be provided to the Institute of Medicine (IOM) to develop a report by June 30, 2009, that includes recommendations on national priorities for CER and considers input from stakeholders • Fund recipients must provide an opportunity for the public to comment on the research • Research must include women and minorities • HHS Secretary to report annually to Congress on CER studies

Department of Health and Human Services
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Public Health and Social Services Emergency Fund	
Administrator:	AHRQ Director/NIH Director/HHS Secretary
Purpose:	To improve health information technology security at HHS
Funding Level:	\$50 million
Allocation Method:	(None specified)

Department of Health and Human Services	
Prevention and Wellness Fund	
Administrator:	HHS Secretary
Purpose:	To fight preventable diseases and conditions with evidence-based strategies
Funding Level:	\$1 billion
Allocation Method:	Funds will be distributed by the HHS Secretary
Eligible Applicants:	Not known at this time; States can receive money to implement healthcare-associated infection reduction strategies
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$300 million will be transferred to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) to carry out the immunization program (Section 317 of the Public Health Service Act) • \$650 million will be used to carry out evidence-based clinical and community-based prevention and wellness strategies that deliver specific, measurable health outcomes and address chronic disease rates; these funds may be transferred to other programs within HHS • \$50 million for States to implement healthcare-associated infections reduction strategies • Within 90 days Secretary to report to Congress on prevention priorities with measurement goals
Policy Context:	Medicare costs are highest for a relatively small segment of the population with multiple chronic diseases. Addressing prevention and wellness more broadly should result in significant savings to the Medicare program, although Medicare disease management and care coordinate demonstrations have yet to yield significant health outcomes. Senator Baucus and others are advocating “medical homes” as an approach to coordinate care and decrease costs.

HEALTH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

HEALTH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	
Office of the National Coordinator for Health Information Technology (ONCHIT)	
Administrator:	Office of the National Coordinator for Health Information Technology
Purpose:	To oversee the development and implementation of a nationwide health information technology (HIT) infrastructure
Funding Level:	\$2 billion
Allocation Method:	Various competitive grants (however \$2 billion is not exclusively for grants)
Eligible Applicants:	Varies by specific grants, see below
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ONCHIT to review and determine whether to endorse standards, implementation specifications, and certification criterion for the electronic exchange and use of health information recommended by the HIT Standards Committee, support the development, routine updating and provision of qualified EHR technology and ensure that qualified EHR technology is certified • ONCHIT will oversee the HIT Policy Committee and the HIT Standards Committee • Directs each agency to require, in their contracts or agreements with health care providers, health plans, or health insurance issuers, that as each entity acquires, or upgrades HIT systems and products, it will utilize, where available, HIT systems and products that meet these newly developed standards and implementation specifications • ONCHIT can provide financial assistance to consumer advocacy groups and nonprofits that work in the public interest on the Federal adoption of privately developed standards
Policy Context:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funding and policy development for nationwide interoperable EHRs and integration of HIT into clinical practice has stalled in the past over issues related to standards development and privacy • Standards development is significantly accelerated with this funding and major changes in privacy protections must be implemented by Federal agencies, hospitals, and certain health care providers • Although many types of providers were added in the course of bill negotiations, other provider groups are likely to advocate for inclusion • Providers and patient advocates are likely to press for greater public input into standards development and implementation

HEALTH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	
HIT Policy Committee	
Administrator:	Membership of the HIT Policy Committee
Purpose:	To make policy recommendations to ONCHIT relating to implementation of a nationwide health information technology infrastructure
Funding Level:	Funded through the ONCHIT
Allocation Method:	Policy Committee does not make specific allocations
Eligible Applicants:	N/A
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The HIT Policy Committee will play a critical role in developing the requirements for HIT infrastructure. Its duties include recommending: (1) a policy framework for development and adoption of a nationwide HIT

	infrastructure that permits electronic exchange and use of health information consistent with the Strategic Plan; (2) areas in which standards, implementation specifications, and certification criteria are needed for electronic exchange and use of health information; and (3) priorities for the development, harmonization, and recognition of such standards, specification, and certification criteria
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HEALTH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

HIT Standards Committee	
Administrator:	Membership of the HIT Standards Committee
Purpose:	To recommend standards, implementation specifications, and certification criteria for the electronic exchange and use of health IT
Funding Level:	Funded through the ONCHIT
Allocation Method:	HIT Standards Committee does not make specific allocations
Eligible Applicants:	N/A
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The HIT Standards Committee will play a critical role in developing the specific requirements for HIT systems and software. Its duties include: (1) developing, harmonizing, and recognizing standards, implementation specifications, and certification criteria consistent with the HIT Policy Committee's recommendations; (2) recommending these standards, specifications, and criteria to ONCHIT; and (3) providing for pilot tests of these standards and implementation specifications by the National Institute for Standards and Technology, as well as developing a schedule for the assessment of policy recommendations developed by the HIT Policy Committee

HEALTH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Pilot Testing Through the National Institute for Standards and Technology NIST	
Administrator:	Director of the NIST and the HIT Standards Committee
Purpose:	To coordinate with the HIT Standards Committee to test standards and support the establishment of a voluntary testing program by accredited testing laboratories
Funding Level:	Funded through the ONCHIT
Allocation Method:	(None specified)
Eligible Applicants:	Non-Federal laboratories

HEALTH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Health Care Information Enterprise Integration Research Centers	
Administrator:	Director of NIST
Purpose:	To establish multidisciplinary Centers for Health Care Information Enterprise Integration to generate innovative approaches to health care information enterprise integration by conducting cutting-edge, multidisciplinary research on the system challenges to health care delivery, and develop and use of health information technologies and other complementary fields
Funding Level:	Funded through the ONCHIT
Allocation Method:	Competitive grants
Eligible Applicants:	Higher education institutions or consortiums
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Research areas may include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ (1) human information and communications technology systems, voice-recognition systems, software that improves interoperability and

	<p>connectivity among health information systems</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ (2) software dependability in systems critical to health care delivery; ○ (3) measurement of the impact of information technologies on the quality and productivity of health care; ○ (4) health information enterprise management; ○ (5) health information technology security and integrity; and ○ (6) relevant health information technology to reduce medical errors
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HEALTH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Immediate Funding to Strengthen HIT Infrastructure	
Administrator:	ONCHIT, HRSA, AHRQ, CMS, CDC, HIS
Purpose:	To invest in the infrastructure necessary to allow for and promote the electronic exchange and use of health information for each individual in the United States
Funding Level:	To be determined, appropriation of such sums as is necessary
Allocation Method:	Specific Allocation Method to be determined. The Secretary shall invest funds through the different HHS agencies with relevant expertise
Eligible Applicants:	To be determined by the specific agencies
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • These funds shall be used to support: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ (1) HIT architecture for nationwide electronic exchange and use of health information; ○ (2) development and adoption of appropriate certified EHRs; ○ (3) training and dissemination of information on best practices to integrate HIT, including EHR, into providers' delivery of care; ○ (4) infrastructure and tools for the promotion of telemedicine; ○ (5) promotion of interoperability of clinical data repositories or registries; ○ (6) promotion of technologies and best practices to enhance the protection of health information; and ○ (7) improvement and expansion public health departments' use of HIT

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HIT Implementation Assistance- HIT Regional Extension Centers	
Administrator:	HHS Secretary
Purpose:	To provide regional technical assistance and disseminate best practices to support and accelerate efforts to adopt, implement, and effectively utilize HIT
Funding Level:	To be determined
Allocation Method:	HHS Secretary to publish a draft description of the program and the procedures for application
Eligible Applicants:	U.S.-based nonprofit institution or organization
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • After the second year of assistance, a regional center may receive additional support if it has received positive evaluations and the Secretary has found that continuation of Federal funding to the center is in the best interest of the provision of HIT extension services • Financial support may be provided for no more than 4 years

HEALTH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	
State Planning and Implementation Grants to Promote HIT	
Administrator:	HHS Secretary acting through ONCHIT
Purpose:	To facilitate and expand the electronic movement and use of health information among organizations according to nationally recognized standards
Funding Level:	To be determined
Allocation Method:	Competitive grants
Eligible Applicants:	States and qualified State-designated entities
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Requires match that increases over 3-year period • Funds received through these grants must be used to conduct activities to facilitate and expand the electronic movement and use of health information among organizations according to nationally recognized standards • Eligible States and State-designated entities must submit a plan describing the activities to be carried out to facilitate and expand electronic health information exchange

HEALTH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	
Demonstration Program to Integrate Information Technology into Clinical Education	
Administrator:	HHS Secretary
Purpose:	To develop academic curricula integrating certified EHR technology in the clinical education of health professionals
Funding Level:	To be determined
Allocation Method:	Competitive grants
Eligible Applicants:	Schools of medicine, osteopathic medicine, dentistry, or pharmacy, graduate programs in behavioral or mental health, or any other graduate health professions school, a graduate school of nursing or physician assistant studies, a consortium of schools, or an institute with a graduate medical education program in medicine, osteopathic medicine, dentistry, pharmacy, nursing, or physician assistance studies
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The entity must submit a strategic plan for integrating certified EHR technology in the clinical education of health • The entity also must provide for the collection of data regarding the demonstration project's effectiveness in improving the safety of patients, the efficiency of health care delivery, and increasing the likelihood that graduates will adopt and incorporate certified EHR technology in the delivery of health services • Entities must use grant funds in collaboration with two or more disciplines and integrate certified EHR technology into community-based clinical education • An eligible entity shall not use amounts received under a grant to purchase hardware, software, or services

HEALTH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	
Information Technology Professionals in Health Care	
Administrator:	HHS Secretary in consultation with Director of the National Science Foundation
Purpose:	To provide assistance to higher education institutions or consortia to establish or expand medical health information education programs to ensure rapid and effective utilization and development of HIT
Funding Level:	To be determined

Allocation Method:	Grants
Eligible Applicants:	Higher education institutions and consortia
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Preference to existing educational and training programs and programs designed to be completed in less than six months

HEALTH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	
Electronic Health Records Incentives for Eligible Professionals	
Administrator:	HHS Secretary
Purpose:	To encourage adoption and meaningful continued use of EHRs
Funding Level:	While new funds are not appropriated, CBO estimates the total cost of all EHR incentives (under Medicare and Medicaid) at \$17 billion for hospitals and physicians
Allocation Method:	Additional payments made through physician fee schedule
Eligible Applicants:	Eligible professionals who meet the definition of “meaningful use” of EHRs
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eligible professionals who qualify may receive incentive payments from 2011 through 2015 • No incentive payments will be made after 2015 • Beginning in 2015, and subject to a significant hardship exception, health professional who have not adopted or are not “meaningfully users” of EHRs will have their fee schedule payments reduced

HEALTH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	
Electronic Health Records Incentives for Eligible Acute Care Hospitals	
Administrator:	HHS Secretary
Purpose:	To encourage adoption and meaningful continued use of EHRs
Funding Level:	While new funds are not appropriated, CBO estimates the total cost of all EHR incentives (under Medicare and Medicaid) at \$17 billion for hospitals and physicians
Allocation Method:	Additional payments made through the hospital prospective payment schedule
Eligible Applicants:	Eligible Hospitals that meet the standard for “meaningful use”
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eligible hospitals to receive payments based on discharge numbers • Definition of “meaningful EHR user” in the hospital context: In order to qualify for the financial assistance, a hospital must meet all of the following requirements to the satisfaction of the Secretary <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Must demonstrate that the hospital used EHR technology in a meaningful manner during the relevant period; ○ Must demonstrate that the EHR technology is connected in a manner that provides for the electronic exchange of health information to improve the quality of health care, such as promoting care coordination; and ○ Must use the certified EHR technology to submit information on certain measures as required by the Secretary • Market Basket Adjustment: Hospitals that are not meaningful EHR users by Fiscal Year 2016 and after will be subject to an additional reduction in their market basket update • The Secretary may exempt a hospital from the market basket update reduction on a case-by-case basis due to hardship. The hardship exemption is subject to annual renewal and may be granted for no more than five years.

HOMELAND SECURITY

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY	
U.S. Customs and Border Protection	
Non-Intrusive Inspection and Tactical Communications	
Administrator:	U.S. Customs and Border Protection
Purpose:	To provide funding for the procurement and deployment of non-intrusive inspection systems and tactical communications equipment and radios
Funding Level:	\$160 million, of which \$100 million for non-intrusive inspection systems and \$60 million for tactical communications equipment and radios
Allocation Method:	(None specified)
Eligible Applicants:	(None specified)
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Secretary of Homeland Security is required to submit a plan for the expenditure of the funds to the House and Senate Appropriations Committees within 45 days of enactment of the Act

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY	
U.S. Customs and Border Protection	
Border Security Fencing, Infrastructure and Technology	
Administrator:	U.S. Customs and Border Protection
Purpose:	To provide funding for expedited development and deployment of border security technology on the Southwest border
Funding Level:	\$100 million
Allocation Method:	(None specified)
Eligible Applicants:	(None specified)
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Secretary of Homeland Security is required to submit a plan for the expenditure of the funds to the House and Senate Appropriations Committees within 45 days of enactment of the Act

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY	
U.S. Customs and Border Protection	
CBP Land Points of Entry	
Administrator:	U.S. Customs and Border Protection
Purpose:	To provide funding for planning, management, design, alteration and construction of U.S. Customs and Border Protection owned land border ports of entry
Funding Level:	\$420 million
Allocation Method:	(None specified)
Eligible Applicants:	(None specified)
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Secretary of Homeland Security is required to submit a plan for the expenditure of the funds to the House and Senate Appropriations Committees within 45 days of enactment of the Act

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY	
U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement	
Modernization of Tactical	
Administrator:	U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement
Purpose:	To provide funding for "Automation Modernization" for the procurement and

	deployment of tactical communications equipment and radios
Funding Level:	\$20 million
Allocation Method:	(None specified)
Eligible Applicants:	(None specified)
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Secretary of Homeland Security is required to submit a plan for the expenditure of the funds to the House and Senate Appropriations Committees within 45 days of enactment of the Act

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY	
Transportation Security Administration	
Modernization of Tactical	
Administrator:	U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement
Purpose:	To provide funding for "Automation Modernization" for the procurement and deployment of tactical communications equipment and radios
Funding Level:	\$20 million
Allocation Method:	(None specified)
Eligible Applicants:	(None specified)
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Secretary of Homeland Security is required to submit a plan for the expenditure of the funds to the House and Senate Appropriations Committees within 45 days of enactment of the Act

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY	
Transportation Security Administration	
Explosive Detections Equipment	
Administrator:	Transportation Security Administration
Purpose:	To provide funding for the procurement and installation of checked baggage explosives detection systems and check-point explosives detection equipment
Funding Level:	\$1 billion
Allocation Method:	Discretionary, based on review of pending projects and relative risk factors
Eligible Applicants:	Airports
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Transportation Security Administration is required to prioritize the award of the funds to accelerate the installations at locations with completed design plans The Secretary of Homeland Security is required to submit a plan for the expenditure of the funds to the House and Senate Appropriations Committees within 45 days of enactment of the Act

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY	
Coast Guard	
Shore Facilities and Aids to Navigation	
Administrator:	U.S. Coast Guard
Purpose:	To provide funding for shore facilities and aids to navigation facilities; for priority procurements due to materials and labor cost increases; and for costs to repair, renovate, assess or improve vessels
Funding Level:	\$98 million
Allocation Method:	(None specified)
Eligible Applicants:	(None specified)
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Secretary of Homeland Security is required to submit a plan for the

	expenditure of the funds to the House and Senate Appropriations Committees within 45 days of enactment of the Act
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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY
Coast Guard

Alteration/Removal of Bridges	
Administrator:	U.S. Coast Guard
Purpose:	To provide funding for alteration or removal of obstructive bridges, as authorized by Section 6 of the Truman-Hobbs Act
Funding Level:	\$142 million
Allocation Method:	(None specified)
Eligible Applicants:	(None specified)
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Coast Guard must award the funds to those bridges that are ready to proceed to construction • The Secretary of Homeland Security is required to submit a plan for the expenditure of the funds to the House and Senate Appropriations Committees within 45 days of enactment of the Act

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY
Federal Emergency Management Agency

State and Local Programs – Port Security	
Administrator:	FEMA
Purpose:	To provide funding for the protection of critical port infrastructure from terrorism, including risk management capabilities, domain awareness, training and exercises, and capabilities to prevent, detect, respond to, and recover from attacks involving improvised explosive devices and other non-conventional weapons
Funding Level:	\$150 million
Allocation Method:	Discretionary / competitive
Eligible Applicants:	Specified port area systems, by invitation -- owners and operators of port facilities, port authorities, and consortia of stakeholders

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY
Federal Emergency Management Agency

State and Local Programs – Firefighter Assistance Grants	
Administrator:	FEMA
Purpose:	To provide funding for modifying, upgrading or constructing non- Federal fire stations
Funding Level:	\$210 million
Allocation Method:	Competitive grants
Eligible Applicants:	(None specified)
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Up to 5 percent must be for program administration • Maximum grant is \$15 million

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY
Federal Emergency Management Agency

Disaster Assistance Direct Loan Program Account	
Administrator:	FEMA
Purpose:	Notwithstanding Section 417(b) of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and

	Emergency Assistance Act, sets forth the following limitations on loans given under the Direct Assistance Direct Loan
Program Account:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The amount of any loan issued for major disasters occurring in calendar year 2008 may exceed \$5 million and may be equal to not more than 50 percent of the annual operating budget of the local government in any case in which that local government has suffered a loss of 25 percent or more in tax revenues The cost of modifying such loans must be as defined in Section 502 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 (U.S.C. 661a)
Funding Level:	(None specified)
Allocation Method:	(None specified)
Eligible Applicants:	(None specified)

DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY	
Federal Emergency Management Agency	
Emergency Food and Shelter	
Administrator:	FEMA
Purpose:	To carry out the emergency food and shelter program pursuant to Title III of the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act
Funding Level:	\$100 million
Allocation Method:	(None specified)
Eligible Applicants:	(None specified)
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The total administrative costs cannot exceed 3.5 percent of the total amount made available

HOUSING & URBAN DEVELOPMENT

DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT	
Public Housing Capital Fund	
Administrator:	Public and Indian Housing / Office of Capital Improvements
Purpose:	To provide funding for development, financing, and modernization of public housing
Funding Level:	\$4 billion
Allocation Method:	Formula -- \$3 billion (Fiscal Year 2008 inputs), Competitive -- \$1 billion
Eligible Applicants:	Public Housing Agencies (PHAs)
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HUD may determine not to allocate funds to troubled PHAs or those electing not to accept funding • No supplantation of expenditures from other sources • Timing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Formula funds must be allocated within 30 days of enactment ○ Competitive funds must be allocated by September 30, 2009 ○ PHAs must obligate 100 percent of funds within 1 year of availability; expend 60 percent within 2 years, and 100 percent within 3 years – failure to comply with 1-year (or other) obligation requirement will result in recapturing all remaining un-obligated funds for reallocation • Project Selection Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ For PHA formula grant receipts – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Capital projects that can award bid-based contracts within 120 days from receipt of funds ▪ Capital projects that are already underway or included in their 5-year capital fund plans ▪ Rehabilitation of vacant rental units ○ For HUD competitive funding decisions, priorities include leverage of private sector funding for renovations and energy conservation retrofits • Eligible Use Modifications <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ No operating costs or rental assistance ○ Replacement housing restrictions waived • HUD may waive or specify alternative requirements to expedite or facilitate use of funds (<i>except fair housing, labor standards, environmental standards, Uniform Relocation Act</i>) • HUD allowed up to 0.5 percent set-aside for administrative, technical assistance, and evaluation expenses through September 30, 2012

DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT	
Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)	
Administrator:	HUD Office of Community Planning and Development
Purpose:	To provide funding for standard allowable CDBG activities meeting low-income benefit requirements, including but not limited to – property acquisition; code enforcement; clearance/rehab/reconstruction/construction of buildings; public and social services (15 percent limit); planning and capacity building; development activities through nonprofits; economic development assistance; relocation; technical assistance; housing services and homeownership assistance
Funding Level:	\$1 billion

Allocation Method:	Formula
Eligible Applicants:	Entitlement Communities having received funding in Fiscal Year 2008
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recipients must prioritize use for projects that can award bid-based contracts within 120 days from funding availability • HUD must establish requirements to expedite use of funds • HUD may waive or specify alternative requirements to expedite or facilitate use of funds (<i>except fair housing, labor standards, environmental standards, Uniform Relocation Act</i>)

DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

Neighborhood Stabilization Program (NSP)

Administrator:	HUD Office of Community Planning and Development
Purpose:	To provide funding to for purchase, rehabilitation, and re-occupancy of foreclosed homes, including financing mechanisms, and allowing land banking and demolition. Note: Changed from locals and States only in first NSP round
Funding Level:	\$2 billion
Allocation Method:	Competitive Note: Changed from formula allocation in first NSP round.
Eligible Applicants:	Local governments, States, and non-profits (or consortia of nonprofits, which may partner with for-profit entities)
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HUD may set-aside up to 10 percent of funds for “capacity development” and support of local communities receiving grants • Timing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Grant solicitations released within 75 days of enactment ○ Applications due within 75 days after grant solicitation ○ HUD must obligate all funding within 1 year of enactment ○ Recipients must expend at least 50 percent of funds within 2 years; 100 percent within 3 years • Project Selection Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Foreclosure rates, targeting areas with the greatest number and percentage of foreclosures ○ Ability to fully expend within the allowed period ○ Grantee capacity demonstrated to execute projects ○ Leveraging potential and concentration of investment to achieve neighborhood stabilization ○ HUD may establish a minimum grant size ○ Eligible Use Modifications <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Allows for establishment and operation of land banks for foreclosed homes and residential properties ○ Redevelopment of demolished or vacant properties may only be for housing. ○ No demolition of public housing ○ No more than 10 percent of aggregate grant may be used for demolition activities or establishing land banks or demolition, unless HUD determines it is an appropriate response to local market conditions ○ HUD may waive or specify alternative requirements to expedite or facilitate use of funds (<i>except fair housing, labor standards, environmental standards, Uniform Relocation Act</i>) ○ HUD allowed up to 1 percent set-aside for administrative, technical

	<p>assistance, and evaluation expenses through September 30, 2012</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ NSP Authorization Amendments (applies to new and prior funding) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Adds lease eligibility protections for Section 8 participants ▪ Adds tenancy protections for renters in acquired foreclosed property ▪ Repeals profit reinvestment / purchaser equity benefit restrictions in Section 2301(d)(4) of the Housing and Economic Recovery Act of 2008 (P.L. 110-289)
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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT	
HOME Investment Partnerships – Modified for Low-Income Housing Tax Credit	
Administrator:	State housing credit agencies
Purpose:	To provide capital investments in low-income housing tax credit projects
Funding Level:	\$2.25 billion
Allocation Method:	Competitive (after initial formula allocation to States, based on Fiscal Year 2008 HOME apportionment)
Eligible Applicants:	Affordable housing developers of qualified projects that, within a certain timeframe, received or simultaneously receive a Low Income Housing Tax Credit (LIHTC)
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Timing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Housing credit agencies must commit at least 75 percent of funds within 1 year of enactment, and demonstrate that project owners have expended 75 percent of funds within 2 years of enactment and 100 percent within 3 years – failure by an owner to do so will result in redistribution of funds within the State • Available until September 30, 2011 • Project Selection Criteria <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ For housing credit agencies decisions, prioritize projects that will be completed within 3 years ○ Eligible projects must be awarded LIHTC in Fiscal Years 2007, 2008, or 2009 • Housing credit agencies shall assure asset management functions comply with LIHTC requirements • Eligible basis of a qualified LIHTC building receiving assistance cannot be reduced by the amount of any stimulus grant • Environmental compliance remains subject to HOME requirements • HUD may waive or specify alternative requirements to expedite or facilitate use of funds (<i>except fair housing, labor standards, environmental standards, Uniform Relocation Act</i>)

DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT	
Emergency Shelter Grants (ESG)	
Administrator:	HUD Office of Community Planning and Development
Purpose:	To provide funding for foreclosure prevention and re-housing; case management and social services; renovation, major rehabilitation, or conversion of buildings for use as emergency shelters or transitional housing; shelter operating costs; and related activities
Funding Level:	\$1.5 billion
Allocation Method:	Formula

Eligible Applicants:	States, large cities, urban counties, and territories as regularly designated ESG recipients pursuant to the McKinney-Vento Act
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Timing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Grantees must expend at least 60 percent of funds within 2 years of funds availability, and 100 percent within 3 years – HUD may recapture unexpended funds if 2-year expenditure requirement is not met and reallocate to others in compliance ○ HUD must publish a notice establishing requirements within 30 days of enactment • HUD may set a minimum formula grant result for localities to receive funds that ensures critical mass of resources to have impact • Eligible Use Modifications <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Specifies additional uses, including short- and medium-term rental assistance and prevention activities, housing relocation, and stabilization services including: housing search, mediation or outreach to property owners, credit repair, security or utility deposits, utility payments, rental assistance for a final month at a location, moving cost assistance, and case management, or other activities for homelessness prevention and rapid re-housing of persons who have become homeless • Grantee Administration <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Administrative cost allowance of up to 5 percent ○ Data collection in HUD's Homeless Management Information System • HUD may waive or specify alternative requirements to expedite or facilitate use of funds (<i>except fair housing, labor standards, environmental standards, Uniform Relocation Act</i>) • HUD allowed up to 0.5 percent set-aside for administrative, technical assistance, and evaluation expenses through September 30, 2012

DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT	
Energy Retrofits and Greening Projects for Federally-Assisted Housing	
Administrator:	HUD Office of Affordable Housing Preservation
Purpose:	To provide funding for energy improvements to housing assisted under the Section 8, Section 202 (Elderly), and Section 811 (Disabled) programs. Note: Section 8 regular project-based assistance program supplemented with \$2 billion in same account, to provide full-year payments to participating landlords
Funding Level:	\$250 million
Allocation Method:	Competitive grants and loans
Eligible Applicants:	Private and non-profit organizations participating in Section 8, Section 202, and Section 811 programs
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recipients shall expend funds within 2 years of receipt • HUD Authority to Establish Special Terms <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Financial agreements for HUD to share in savings from reduced utility costs. ○ Incentives to recipients that encourage job creation for low-income and very low income individuals ○ Supplemental financial incentives to property owners, such as fees for project management ○ Requirements for ongoing maintenance and preservation of the

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> property and energy technologies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Timely expenditures ● Recipient Requirements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Financial assessment and physical inspection of property ○ Satisfactory management review rating, and substantial compliance with performance / legal requirements ○ Commitment to an additional affordability period of at least 15 years ● HUD must establish grant and loan underwriting and oversight, and may utilize up to 5 percent of total funding for that purpose ● HUD may waive or specify alternative requirements to expedite or facilitate use of funds (<i>except fair housing, labor standards, environmental standards, Uniform Relocation Act</i>) ● HUD allowed up to 1 percent set-aside for administrative, technical assistance, and evaluation expenses through September 30, 2012
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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT	
Lead Hazard Reduction Program – Healthy Homes Initiative, Lead-Based Paint Hazard Control Grant, Lead Hazard Reduction Demonstration, Operation Lead Elimination Action Program, etc.	
Administrator:	HUD Office of Healthy Homes and Lead Hazard Control
Purpose:	To provide funding to abate lead-based hazards in eligible privately owned rental or owner-occupied housing, with various targeting factors by program
Funding Level:	\$100 million
Allocation Method:	Competitive grants and cooperative agreements
Eligible Applicants:	Local governments, States, housing authorities, Tribes, institutions of higher education, for-profit firms (not allowed to profit from activity), depending on program
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Selection Process <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Awards made to all applicants that qualified for a grant under the Fiscal Year 2008 Lead Hazard Reduction Program NOFA, but did not receive one due to insufficient overall program funding ○ Remaining amounts to be awarded under regular Fiscal Year 2009 grant solicitation, including a detailed plan and strategy demonstrating capacity to carry out purposes ○ Recipients must expend at least 50 percent of funds within 2 years of funding award, and 100 percent within 3 years – unobligated funds subject to reallocation or recapture ○ Expedited environmental process allowed through delegation of NEPA review and approval to State or local governments, for grants under Healthy Homes Initiative, Operation Lead Elimination Action Plan, or Lead Technical Studies ○ HUD may waive or specify alternative requirements to expedite or facilitate use of funds (<i>except fair housing, labor standards, environmental standards, Uniform Relocation Act</i>). ● HUD allowed up to 0.5 percent set-aside for administrative, technical assistance, and evaluation expenses through September 30, 2012

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General Legislative Provisions Impacting Key Housing Programs

Federal Housing Administration (FHA)	- raises loan limits for calendar year 2009 to the level set in calendar year 2008, and includes discretionary authority for sub-areas,
Government Sponsored Enterprise (GSE)	- raises the conforming loan limit for calendar year 2009 to the level set in calendar year 2008, including discretionary authority for sub-areas.
Home Equity Conversion Mortgage	- raises the loan limit for 2009.

JUSTICE

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE	
Justice Assistance Grant (Byrne)	
Administrator:	Bureau of Justice Assistance
Purpose:	To provide funding for broad-based public safety prevention, intervention, and suppression activities; law enforcement personnel; equipment and facilities (including crime laboratories); community policing; prosecution and court programs; corrections and community corrections programs; drug treatment and enforcement; planning and evaluation; technology improvements; crime victim and witness programs, etc.
Funding Level:	\$2 billion
Allocation Method:	Formula
Eligible Applicants:	Local law enforcement agencies, and States

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE	
Byrne Competitive Grants	
Administrator:	Bureau of Justice Assistance
Purpose:	To provide funding for broad-based public safety prevention, intervention, and suppression activities; law enforcement personnel; community-policing; prosecution and court programs; corrections and community corrections programs; drug treatment and enforcement; planning and evaluation; technology improvements; crime victim and witness programs, etc.
Funding Level:	\$225 million
Allocation Method:	Competitive
Eligible Applicants:	Local, State, and Tribal governments, and non-profit organizations
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No use for compensation to victims of crime

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE	
Community Oriented Policing Services (Hiring Grants)	
Administrator:	Office of Community Oriented Policing Services
Purpose:	To provide funding for hiring and rehiring of additional career law enforcement officers
Funding Level:	\$1 billion
Allocation Method:	Competitive
Eligible Applicants:	Local, State, and federally-recognized Tribal governments, and other multi-jurisdictional or regional consortia
Special Criteria:	Waivers – applicable to stimulus funding, and Fiscal Year 2009 and Fiscal Year 2010 Appropriations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Eliminates \$75,000 cap on salary and benefits per officer ○ Eliminates 25% local match requirement ○ Funds available until September 30, 2010

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE	
STOP Violence Against Women	
Administrator:	Office of Violence Against Women
Purpose:	To provide funding for law enforcement, prosecution, and victim services enhancements, such as training public safety and court related personnel, expanding

	specialized units, enhancing technology, etc.
Funding Level:	\$175 million
Allocation Method:	Formula
Eligible Applicants:	States, with required local and nonprofit sub-allocation percentages for various law enforcement and victim services

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE	
Transitional Housing Assistance Grants for Victims of Violence Against Women	
Administrator:	Office of Violence Against Women
Purpose:	To provide temporary housing assistance for victims, integrated with supportive services such as case management and counseling, and practical transitional aids (child care, employment, transportation)
Funding Level:	\$50 million
Allocation Method:	Competitive
Eligible Applicants:	Local, State, and Tribal governments, and certain qualified nonprofit service providers

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE	
Victims Assistance and Compensation	
Administrator:	Office for Victims of Crime
Purpose:	To provide services and compensation (e.g. medical, wages, funeral, cooperation) to victims of criminal violence
Funding Level:	\$100 million
Allocation Method:	Formula
Eligible Applicants:	States with an established crime victim compensation program

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE	
Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) Task Force Program	
Administrator:	Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention
Purpose:	To enhance responses to offenders who use computer technology to sexually exploit children, including forensic and investigative components, training and technical assistance, victim services, and community education
Funding Level:	\$50 million
Allocation Method:	Either formula (likely) or competitive – cooperative agreements.
Eligible Applicants:	If by formula (likely), States; if competitive, States and local law enforcement or prosecutorial agencies in certain States to be pre-identified by DOJ for solicitation

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE	
Rural Law Enforcement	
Administrator:	Bureau of Justice Assistance
Purpose:	To provide funding for drug enforcement, drug prevention and treatment, and other law enforcement activities in rural areas
Funding Level:	\$125 million
Allocation Method:	Competitive
Eligible Applicants:	Local, State, and Tribal governments, and national, regional and local non-profits
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Special Eligible Uses • Police officer hiring • Community drug prevention and treatment

LABOR

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR	
Employment and Training Administration – Training and Employment Services	
Administrator:	Employment and Training Administration
Purpose:	To provide funding for activities under the Workforce Investment Act of 1998 (“WIA”)
Funding Level:	\$3.95 billion
Allocation Method:	(See summaries of specific programs below)
Eligible Applicants:	(See summaries of specific programs below)
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funds made available will remain available through June 30, 2010 • A local board may award a contract to an institution of higher education or other eligible training provider if the local board determines that it would facilitate the training of multiple individuals in high-demand occupations, if such contract does not limit customer choice

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR	
Adult Employment and Training – Workforce Investment Act	
Administrator:	Employment and Training Administration
Purpose:	To provide funding for adult employment and training activities, including supportive services and needs-related payments described in the one-stop delivery system provisions (specifically Section 134(c)(2) and (3)) of WIA
Funding Level:	\$500 million
Allocation Method:	Formula
Eligible Applicants:	States, with 85% sub-allocation to local Workforce Investment Boards
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Priority use of the funds is for services to individuals on public assistance and other low-income individuals (WIA Section 134(d)(4)(E) of WIA)

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR	
Dislocated Worker Grants – Workforce Investment Act	
Administrator:	Employment and Training Administration
Purpose:	To provide funding for employment and training programs for eligible workers who are unemployed through no fault of their own or have received an official layoff notice
Funding Level:	\$1.25 billion
Allocation Method:	Formula
Eligible Applicants:	States, with 85% sub-allocation to local Workforce Investment Boards
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funds remain available through June 30, 2010 • Workforce Investment Boards may award contracts to institution of higher education or other training provider if it would facilitate the training of multiple individuals in high-demand occupations and does not limit customer choice

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR	
Youth Grants - Workforce Investment Act	
Administrator:	Employment and Training Administration
Purpose:	To provide funding for youth training and employment activities, including summer employment, occupational skills, counseling, mentoring, supportive services, etc.
Funding Level:	\$1.2 billion

Allocation Method:	Formula
Eligible Applicants:	States, with 85% sub-allocation to local Workforce Investment Boards
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Age eligibility of youth participants increased from 21 to 24, for this funding only • Allocation of minimum allotments and minimum or maximum percentages available for youth activities (WIA Section 127(b)(1)(C)(iv)) must be made as if the total amount available for youth activities in the Fiscal Year does not exceed \$1 billion. • Measure of performance used to assess summer employment program is the work readiness performance indicator -- attainment of basic skills, work readiness, and/or occupational skills (WIA Section 136(b)(2)(A)(ii)(I)) • No standard set-aside for Youth Opportunities Grants • Funds remain available through June 30, 2010 • Workforce Investment Boards may award contracts to institution of higher education or other training provider if it would facilitate the training of multiple individuals in high-demand occupations and does not limit customer choice

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

National Emergency Grants – Workforce Investment Act

Administrator:	Employment and Training Administration
Purpose:	To expand service capacity at the State and local levels in response to significant events that cannot reasonably be expected within the formula-funded program
Funding Level:	\$200 million
Allocation Method:	Discretionary / Competitive
Eligible Applicants:	Designated State WIA organizations; local workforce investment boards
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funds remain available through June 30, 2010 • Workforce Investment Boards may award contracts to institution of higher education or other training provider if it would facilitate the training of multiple individuals in high-demand occupations and does not limit customer choice

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

High-Growth Industry Training and Placement – Workforce Investment Act

Administrator:	Employment and Training Administration
Purpose:	To provide funding for a program for worker training and placement in high growth and emerging industry sectors
Funding Level:	\$750 million
Allocation Method:	Competitive
Eligible Applicants:	Likely to be Workforce Investment Boards, and States
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Green Jobs set-aside of \$500 million for careers in the energy efficiency and renewable energy (WIA Section 171(c)(1)(B)) • Priority Employment Training Categories <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ health care ○ broadband deployment ○ advanced manufacturing

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR	
YouthBuild	
Administrator:	Employment and Training Administration
Purpose:	To provide funding for projects to assist high-risk youth (ages 16-24) to complete their high school education and learn housing construction job skills through work on low-income and affordable housing building or rehab
Funding Level:	\$50 million
Allocation Method:	Discretionary
Eligible Applicants:	Nonprofit organizations
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Allows participation by an individual who has dropped out of high school and reenrolled in an alternative school, if that re-enrollment is part of a sequential service strategy, for program years 2008 and 2009 • Funds remain available through June 30, 2010

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR	
Community Service Employment for Older Americans	
Administrator:	Employment and Training Administration
Purpose:	To provide funding for community service and work-based subsidized training programs for low-income persons over age 55 (Older Americans Act, Title V)
Funding Level:	\$120 million
Allocation Method:	Formula
Eligible Applicants:	States and 18 designated national nonprofits, often with sub-grants to Area Agencies on Aging or other local implementers
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Allocated within 30 days of enactment to current grantees, in proportion to funding in program year 2008 • Unexpended funds may be recaptured and re-obligated • Funds remain available through June 30, 2010

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR	
Job Corps	
Administrator:	Employment and Training Administration
Purpose:	To provide funding for construction, rehabilitation and acquisition of Job Corps Centers, with limited flexibility to use for certain training and operational needs
Funding Level:	\$250 million
Allocation Method:	Discretionary, for Office of Job Corps activities
Eligible Applicants:	Office of Job Corps, for internal priorities
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funds remain available for obligation through June 30, 2010 • Waives certain procedures relating to appropriation accounts available for definite periods (31 U.S.C. 1552(a)) if funds are used for a multiyear lease agreement that will result in construction of activities that can commence within 120 days of enactment. • Waives limits on advance, progress, and other payments (31 U.S.C. 3324(a)) in order to expedite projects • Allows the Secretary to transfer up to 15% of the funds to meet Job Corps Center operational needs, including training for careers in the energy efficiency, renewable energy, and environmental protection industries • Report to Congress no later than September 30, 2009, with operating plan for

	allocation of funds and reports on the actual obligations, expenditures and un-obligated balances, and providing quarterly reports thereafter until funds fully expended
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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR	
State Unemployment Insurance and Employment Operations (Reemployment Services)	
Administrator:	Employment and Training Administration
Purpose:	To provide funding for operations of State unemployment insurance and employment operations, including reemployment services
Funding Level:	\$400 million
Allocation Method:	Formula, workload-based
Eligible Applicants:	States
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reemployment services set-aside of \$250 million for unemployment insurance claimants, including implementation of the integrated Employment Service and Unemployment Insurance information technology required to identify and serve the needs of the claimants • Secretary required to establish planning and report procedures for oversight of funds used for reemployment services • Funds remain available to the States through September 30, 2010

SCIENCES (NASA, NSF, NIST)

NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION	
Science	
Administrator:	NASA
Purpose:	To accelerate development of the tier 1 set of Earth science climate research missions recommended by the National Academies Decadal Survey and to increase the agency's supercomputing abilities
Funding Level:	\$400 million
Allocation Method:	Competitive
Eligible Applicants:	N/A
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funds remain available until September 30, 2010

NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION	
Aeronautics	
Administrator:	NASA
Purpose:	To provide funding for system-level research, development and demonstration activities related to aviation safety, environmental impact mitigation and the Next Generation Air Transportation System (NextGen)
Funding Level:	\$150 million
Allocation Method:	
Eligible Applicants:	N/A
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funds remain available until September 30, 2010

NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION	
Exploration	
Administrator:	NASA
Purpose:	To provide funding for exploration
Funding Level:	\$400 million
Allocation Method:	
Eligible Applicants:	N/A
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funds remain available until September 30, 2010

NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION	
Cross Agency Support	
Administrator:	NASA
Purpose:	To provide funding for cross agency support
Funding Level:	\$50 million
Allocation Method:	
Eligible Applicants:	N/A
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funds remain available until September 30, 2010 • Highest priority to restore NASA-owned facilities damaged from hurricanes and other natural disasters occurring during calendar year 2008

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION	
Research and Related Activities	
Administrator:	NSF Director
Purpose:	To fund research and research facility modernization
Funding Level:	\$2.5 billion of which \$300 million is available solely for the Major Research Instrumentation program and \$200 million is allocated for academic research facilities modernization
Allocation Method:	(None specified)
Eligible Applicants:	(None specified)
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NSF must submit its spending plan to the House and Senate Appropriations Committees within 60 days of enactment • Directs that NSF support research divisions and advancements in supercomputing technology

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION	
Education and Human Resources	
Administrator:	(None specified)
Purpose:	To provide additional funding for education and human resources
Funding Level:	\$100 million of which \$60 million is allocated to the Robert Noyce Scholarship Program, \$25 million to Math and Science Partnerships, and \$15 million to Professional Science Master's Programs
Allocation Method:	Grants
Eligible Applicants:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Robert Noyce Scholarship Program – undergraduate science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) majors and post-baccalaureate students holding STEM degrees who commit to teaching in high-need K-12 school districts • Math and Science Partnerships – Higher education institute or consortia and non-profit institute or consortia • Professional Science Master's Programs – None specified
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NSF must submit its spending plan to the House and Senate Appropriations Committees within 60 days of enactment • Funding to remain available until September 30, 2010

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION	
Major Research Equipment and Facilities Construction	
Administrator:	(None specified)
Purpose:	To provide additional funding for research equipment and facility construction
Funding Level:	\$400 million
Allocation Method:	(None specified)
Eligible Applicants:	(None specified)
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NSF must submit its spending plan to the House and Senate Appropriations Committees within 60 days of enactment • Funding to remain available until September 30, 2010

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF STANDARDS AND TECHNOLOGY (NIST)	
Scientific and Technical Research Services	
Administrator:	National Institute of Standards and Technology

Purpose:	To provide funding for NIST's in-house research and development effort, competitive grants, additional research fellowships and advanced research and measurement equipment and supplies
Funding Level:	\$220 million, plus \$20 million transfer from the Health Information Technology (HIT) initiative at the Department of Health and Human Services for HIT activities
Allocation Method:	Competitive grants
Eligible Applicants:	To be determined, but likely to be U.S. businesses and industries that assist NIST in cooperative research
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Of the HIT funds, NIST is directed to create and test standards related to health security and interoperability in conjunction with partners at the Department of Health and Human Services

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF STANDARDS AND TECHNOLOGY (NIST)

Construction of Research Facilities

Administrator:	National Institute of Standards and Technology
Purpose:	To address National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) backlog of maintenance and renovation for construction of new facilities and laboratories
Funding Level:	\$360 million
Allocation Method:	Competitive grants for \$180 million for research science buildings
Eligible Applicants:	Institutions of higher education and nonprofit organizations are eligible to apply for grants under NIST's Technology Construction Grant Program
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The \$180 million for competitive construction grant programs for research science buildings shall include Fiscal Year 2008 and 2009 competitions Competitive grants are awarded based upon published evaluation criteria

NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION (NOAA)

Operations, Research and Facilities

Administrator:	National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
Purpose:	To provide funding for NOAA operations, research and facilities to address backlog of research, restoration, navigation, conservation and management activities
Funding Level:	\$230 million
Allocation Method:	Likely to be dedicated to the Operations, Research and Facilities (ORF) discretionary account or ORF offices--National Weather Service, NOAA research, NOAA Satellites, NOAA Fisheries and NOAA Ocean Services
Eligible Applicants:	N/A

NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION (NOAA)

Procurement, Acquisition and Construction

Administrator:	National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
Purpose:	To provide funding for construction and repair of NOAA facilities, ships and equipment to improve weather forecasting and to support satellite development
Funding Level:	\$600 million
Allocation Method:	To be determined
Eligible Applicants:	: N/A
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Up to \$170 million shall address critical gaps in climate modeling and establish climate data records for continuing research into the cause, effects and ways to mitigate climate change

TRANSPORTATION

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	
Office of the Secretary	
Supplemental Discretionary Grants for a National Surface Transportation System	
Administrator:	Secretary of Transportation
Purpose:	To provide funding for projects of national or regional significance
Funding Level:	\$1.5 billion
Allocation Method:	Discretionary competitive grants
Eligible Applicants:	States, local governments, transit agencies
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funds remain available through September 30, 2011 • Federal share up to 100 percent • Eligible projects include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Highway or bridge projects under Title 23 USC ○ Public Transportation Projects under Title 49 USC <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Includes New Starts or Small Starts projects that can be expedited towards entry into revenue service ○ Passenger and freight rail projects ○ Port infrastructure investments, including projects that connect ports to other modes of transportation and improve efficiency of freight movement ○ Up to \$200 million can be spent to pay the subsidy and administrative costs of projects eligible for Federal credit assistance (TIFIA) • Through TIFIA, DOT provides Federal credit assistance to eligible highway, transit, rail, and intermodal freight projects • TIFIA credit assistance is intended to facilitate the financing of projects that would otherwise have been significantly delayed because of funding limitations or difficulties accessing the capital markets • Secretary shall ensure equitable geographic distribution and an appropriate balance in addressing the needs of urban and rural communities • Grant minimum of \$20 million and maximum of \$300 million (Secretary can waive the minimum for significant projects in smaller cities, regions or States) • No more than 20 percent of the funds can be awarded to a single State • Secretary shall give priority to projects that require Federal funds to complete financing and to projects that are expected to be completed in 3 years • Secretary shall publish criteria on which to base the competitive grants within 90 days of enactment, require submittal of applications within 180 days after the publication of criteria and announce selections within 1 year of enactment

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	
Federal Aviation Administration (FAA)	
Facilities and Equipment	
Administrator:	FAA
Purpose:	To provide supplemental funding for facilities and equipment
Funding Level:	\$200 million
Allocation Method:	Competitive awards and grants

Eligible Applicants:	Airports and private entities
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funds remain available through September 30, 2010 • Priority to projects or activities that will be completed within 2 years of enactment • Federal share 100 percent • FAA Administrator shall establish grant award procedures within 60 days • \$50 million to upgrade FAA power systems • \$50 million to modernize en route air traffic control centers • \$80 million to replace air traffic control towers and TRACONS • \$20 million to install airport lighting, navigation and landing equipment • Includes a "Buy-American" provision

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Grants-in-Aid for Airports

Administrator:	FAA
Purpose:	To provide funding for eligible airport improvements and procurement, installation and commissioning of runway incursion devices and systems
Funding Level:	\$1.1 billion
Allocation Method:	Discretionary Grants
Eligible Applicants:	Airports
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funds remain available through September 30, 2010 • Priority to projects that can be completed within 2 years of enactment and serve to supplement, not supplant planned expenditures from airport-generated revenues or from other State and local sources • Federal share shall be 100 percent • 50 percent of the grants must be awarded within 120 days and 100 percent within one year of enactment

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

**Federal Highway Administration (FHWA)
Highway Infrastructure Investment States and MPOs**

Administrator:	State DOTs, MPOs, U.S. DOT/FHWA
Purpose:	To provide funding for restoration, repair, construction, other activities eligible under the Surface Transportation Program (STP), passenger and freight rail and port infrastructure projects eligible for innovative financing
Funding Level:	\$27.5 billion
Allocation Method:	50 percent apportioned to States under STP formula; 50 percent apportioned using Fiscal Year 2008 obligation ratio
Eligible Applicants:	State Departments of Transportation (DOTs) and Metropolitan Planning Organizations (MPOs)
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funds remain available through September 30, 2010 • Up to \$840 million in funding set aside: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ \$105 million for Puerto Rico highways ○ \$45 million for territorial highways ○ \$60 million for construction of ferry boats and ferry terminal facilities* ○ \$550 million for Indian reservations and Federal lands including \$310 million for the Indian Reservation Roads program*

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ \$20 million for On the Job Training programs ○ \$20 million for Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Bonding Assistance. ○ Up to \$40 million for Administrative oversight <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Federal share up to 100 percent ● Recipients shall give priority to projects projected for completion within 3 years and in economically distressed areas ● States must obligate 50 percent of funds within 120 days or they will be reappropriated ● States must obligate all funds within 1 year or they will be reappropriated. 30 % of the funds are suballocated to urbanized areas over 200,000 and areas under 5,000 using the STP formula. ● States must set aside 3 percent for transportation enhancement activities ● Funds are not subject to obligation limitations ● Funds cannot be used for advance construction ● Disadvantaged Business Enterprise requirements apply for apportioned funds <p>FHWA provides additional guidance at: www.fhwa.dot.gov/economicrecovery/expedite.htm</p>
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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	
Highway Infrastructure Investment: Ferry Boats and Ferry Terminal Facilities	
Administrator:	DOT/FHWA
Purpose:	To provide funding for capital expenditures for ferry boats and terminal facilities
Funding Level:	\$60 million
Allocation Method:	Competitive discretionary grants
Eligible Applicants:	State Departments of Transportation (DOTs) and Metropolitan Planning Organizations (MPOs)
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Priority given to projects that can be completed within 2 years of enactment. ● Federal up to 100 percent

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	
Federal Railroad Administration (FRA)	
Capital Assistance for High Speed Rail Corridors and Intercity Passenger Rail Service	
Administrator:	DOT/FRA
Purpose:	To provide funding for intercity and high speed passenger rail capital projects
Funding Level:	\$8 billion
Allocation Method:	Discretionary grants
Eligible Applicants:	States
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Funds remain available through September 30, 2012 ● Federal share can be up to 100 percent ● Funds intercity passenger service capital projects and congestion grants ● Gives priority to projects that support high speed passenger rail service ● Requires the Secretary to submit a strategic plan to the House and Senate Appropriations Committees within 60 days of enactment describing how the funds will be used to improve and deploy high speed passenger rail systems ● Within 120 days of enactment the Secretary shall issue interim guidance to applicants (until a final regulation is issued) with separate instructions for the high speed rail corridor program, capital assistance for intercity passenger rail

	<p>service grants and congestion grants</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Waives the requirement that projects be in a State rail plan • Congestion grants are for capital costs of facilities, infrastructure and equipment for projects: identified by Amtrak to reduce congestion or facilitate ridership growth along heavily traveled corridors; identified by the Surface Transportation Board as necessary to improve on time performance and reliability of intercity passenger transportation; and sufficiently advanced to achieve these goals • Intercity Passenger rail Capital Assistance to States grants are for capital costs of facilities, infrastructure and equipment • Requires compliance with Davis-Bacon wage laws • Buy American Provisions apply for steel, iron, and manufactured goods used in the project
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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Amtrak

Administrator:	DOT/FRA
Purpose:	To provide capital grants to Amtrak
Funding Level:	\$1.3 billion
Allocation Method:	Grants to Amtrak
Eligible Applicants:	Amtrak
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funds remain available through September 30, 2010 • \$450 million shall be used for capital security grants • Priority given to repair, rehabilitation, or upgrade of railroad assets or infrastructure, and for capital projects that expand passenger rail capacity including the rehabilitation of rolling stock • None of the funding shall be used to subsidize operating losses of Amtrak • Funds shall be awarded within 30 days of enactment • Secretary shall take measures to ensure that projects shall be completed within 2 years of enactment and shall serve to supplement, not supplant, planned expenditures for such activities from other Federal, State, local and corporate sources and shall certify compliance to the House and Senate Appropriations Committees • Not more than 60 percent of the non-security funds may be used along the Northeast Corridor

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

**Federal Transit Administration (FTA)
Capital Assistance for Transit**

Administrator:	Designated recipients, DOT/FTA
Purpose:	To provide capital assistance for transit
Funding Level:	\$6.9 billion
Allocation Method:	Formula apportionments
Eligible Applicants:	Designated recipients – generally transit agencies, State DOTs
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funds remain available through September 30, 2010 • Federal share up to 100 percent • \$100 million set-aside for discretionary grants to public transit agencies for

	<p>capital improvements to assist in reducing energy consumption or greenhouse gas emissions of public transportation systems. Priority shall be given to projects based on total energy savings projected to result from the investment and projected energy savings as a percentage of the total energy usage of the public transit agency</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 80 percent apportioned to urbanized areas;10 percent to growing States and high density States, 10 percent to rural and non urban areas of which 2.5 percent of which is for tribes • Funds must be apportioned by FTA within 21 days of enactment • Recipients have 180 days to obligate 50 percent of funds or they will be redistributed by whatever method DOT deems appropriate to ensure they are utilized promptly • Recipients have 1 year to obligate all funds or they will be redistributed by whatever method DOT deems appropriate to ensure they are utilized promptly. Secretary may grant an extension, after justifying it to the Appropriations Committees, if a recipient has encountered an unworkable bidding environment or other extenuating circumstances • Funds are not subject to obligation limitations • Disadvantaged Business Enterprise requirements apply for apportioned funds • FTA provides additional guidance at. http://www.fta.dot.gov/index_9118.html
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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	
Fixed Guideway Infrastructure Investment	
Administrator:	Recipients
Purpose:	To provide funding to modernize or improve existing fixed guideway systems
Funding Level:	\$750 million
Allocation Method:	Apportioned under fixed guideway formula
Eligible Applicants:	Public bodies, generally transit authorities or State DOTs
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funds remain available through September 30, 2010 • Federal share up to 100 percent • \$100 million set-aside for discretionary grants to public transit agencies for capital improvements to assist in reducing energy consumption or greenhouse gas emissions of public transportation systems. Priority shall be given to projects based on total energy savings projected to result from the investment and projected energy savings as a percentage of the total energy usage of the public transit agency • 80 percent apportioned to urbanized areas;10 percent to growing States and high density States, 10 percent to rural and non urban areas of which 2.5 percent of which is for tribes • Funds must be apportioned by FTA within 21 days of enactment • Recipients have 180 days to obligate 50 percent of funds or they will be redistributed by whatever method DOT deems appropriate to ensure they are utilized promptly • Recipients have 1 year to obligate all funds or they will be redistributed by whatever method DOT deems appropriate to ensure they are utilized promptly. Secretary may grant an extension, after justifying it to the Appropriations Committees, if a recipient has encountered an unworkable bidding environment or other extenuating circumstances

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DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Capital Investment Grants	
Administrator:	DOT/FTA
Purpose:	To provide supplemental grants for New Starts and Small Starts
Funding Level:	\$750 million
Allocation Method:	Discretionary grants
Eligible Applicants:	Public bodies, generally transit authorities or State DOTs
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funds remain available through September 30, 2010 • Funds are for construction of new fixed guideway systems or extensions to existing systems • Priority shall be given to projects that are already in construction or able to obligate funds within 150 days of enactment • Disadvantaged Business Enterprise requirements apply

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Maritime Administration Assistance to Small Shipyards	
Administrator:	Maritime Administration (MarAd)
Purpose:	To provide supplemental grants for assistance to qualified shipyards
Funding Level:	\$100 million
Allocation Method:	Grants
Eligible Applicants:	Qualified shipyards
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funds remain available through September 30, 2010 • Secretary shall institute measures to ensure that funds are obligated within 180 days of distribution

TREASURY

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY	
Community Development Financial Institutions Program	
Administrator:	Community Development Financial Institutions Fund
Purpose:	To provide additional capital funding to Community Development Financial Institutions under the FY2009 funding round for use in economic development, business development, and commercial real estate development; affordable housing development and homeownership; and community financial services to underserved communities
Funding Level:	\$100 million
Allocation Method:	Competitive
Eligible Applicants:	Certified Community Development Entity or Community Development Financial Institution, per Treasury processes
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funds remain available until September 30, 2010 • Up to \$8 million may be for financial assistance, technical assistance, training and outreach programs designed to benefit Native American, Native Hawaiian and Alaskan Native communities and provided primarily through qualified community development lender organizations with experience and expertise in community development banking and lending in Indian country, Native American organizations, tribes and tribal organizations and other suitable providers • Up to \$2 million may be used for administrative expenses • For the purpose of the Fiscal Year 2009 funding round, the statutory provisions set forth in 12 U.S.C. 4707(e) and 12 U.S.C. 4707(d) • No awardee, together with its subsidiaries and affiliates, may be awarded more than 5 percent of the aggregate funds available during Fiscal Year 2009 from the Program • Treasury must submit a plan to Congress within 60 days of enactment for expenditure of funds

VETERANS

DEPARTMENT OF VETERAN AFFAIRS	
Medical Facilities	
Administrator:	Veterans Health Administration
Purpose:	To provide funding for non-recurring maintenance, including energy projects at Department of Veterans Affairs medical facilities
Funding Level:	\$1 billion
Allocation Method:	Discretionary
Eligible Applicants:	Department of Veterans Affairs medical facilities
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Funds will remain available for obligation until September 30, 2010, provided that within 30 days of enactment, the Secretary of Veterans Affairs submits to the Committees on Appropriations of both Houses of Congress an expenditure plan for funds provided under this heading

DEPARTMENT OF VETERAN AFFAIRS	
National Cemetery Administration	
Administrator:	Discretionary
Purpose:	To provide funding for monument and memorial repairs, including energy projects
Funding Level:	\$50 million
Allocation Method:	Discretionary
Eligible Applicants:	Any State may apply
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cemeteries must be State-owned and operated solely for eligible veterans and their dependents and/or spouses Funds will remain available for obligation until September 30, 2010, provided that within 30 days of enactment, the Secretary of Veterans Affairs submits to the Committees on Appropriations of both Houses of Congress an expenditure plan for funds provided under this heading

DEPARTMENT OF VETERAN AFFAIRS	
Departmental Administration	
Administrator:	Veterans Benefits Administration
Purpose:	To provide funding for additional expenses related to hiring and training processors to handle the surge in disability claims
Funding Level:	\$150 million
Allocation Method:	Discretionary
Eligible Applicants:	Companies with employment placement and training expertise
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Funds will remain available for obligation until September 30, 2010

DEPARTMENT OF VETERAN AFFAIRS	
Information Technology Systems	
Administrator:	Veterans Benefits Administration
Purpose:	To provide funding for information technology systems
Funding Level:	\$50 million
Allocation Method:	Discretionary

Eligible Applicants:	Information Technology companies
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Funds will remain available for obligation until September 30, 2010, provided that within 30 days of enactment, the Secretary of Veterans Affairs shall submit to the Committees on Appropriations of both Houses of Congress an expenditure plan for funds provided under this heading

DEPARTMENT OF VETERAN AFFAIRS	
Grants for Construction of State Extended Care Facilities	
Administrator:	Veterans Health Administration
Purpose:	To provide funding for grants to assist States in acquiring or constructing State nursing home and domiciliary facilities and to remodel, modify or alter existing hospital, nursing home and domiciliary facilities in State homes, for furnishing care to veterans
Funding Level:	\$150 million
Allocation Method:	Discretionary
Eligible Applicants:	Any State may apply after assuring that the assisted facility will be owned by the State; and will be used primarily for veterans
Special Criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Funds will remain available for obligation until September 30, 2010