



National Hypertension Control Initiative-Health Centers (NHCI-HC) Webinar

Closeout of NHCI Grants

Pre-Recorded Presentation

November 28, 2022



Requirement Reminders

Conduct outreach and engage patients with uncontrolled hypertension

Fully participate in training and technical assistance (T/TA) activities

NHCI-HC

Ensure access to, and support use of, Bluetooth or wireless-enabled self-monitored blood pressure (SMBP) devices, and use their data to inform hypertension treatment plans

Collect and share data to support participate in initiative evaluation and reporting activities



Important Dates

- **When does my project period end?**
 - The project period end date is the same for all NHCI awardee recipients and is **December 31, 2023**. You have until this date to complete your HRSA-approved work plan.
- **When does my H80 budget period end?**
 - NHCI budget periods vary by health center.
 - NHCI funds may be utilized **through the end of your fiscal year 2023 budget period**, with HRSA approved carryover, if needed.
 - Know your H80 budget period and the exact January 2021 Notice of Award release date.
 - Contact your H80 grants management specialist if you have additional questions.



Beyond the Project End Date

- **Do I need to submit a Progress Report after December 31, 2022?**
 - Yes, the last Progress Report submission in EHBs will begin on January 1, 2024.
- **Do I need to submit a prior approval carryover request for unspent NHCI funds?**
 - Since the NHCI funding is part of the overall H80 grant, if the total unobligated balance is less than 25% of the **total H80 award**, you may carry over the funds without submitting a prior approval carryover request. Include the NHCI balance as a line item in your Federal Financial Report.
- **Can I request a no-cost extension for NHCI funds?**
 - A no-cost extension for NHCI funding is not an option due to the funding being part of the overall H80 grant.
- **Contact your H80 grants management specialist**
 - Additional questions about expanded authority or a no-cost extension.



Other Reminders

- **Patient majority requirement**
 - Your patient majority is based on your 2019 UDS total number of patients **or** your 2020 data to date from your electronic health record (EHR) universe (controlled and uncontrolled) listed in your original application/work plan (+1)
- **Your health center's national T/TA group assignment**
 - Group 1 – American Heart Association
 - Group 2 – Altarum
- **T/TA attendance requirement**
 - At least one T/TA event per reporting period
 - Includes those offered by HRSA and HRSA's national partners, CDC's SMBP Forum/Million Hearts, or NACHC
 - Listening to past webinar recordings is acceptable



NHCI-HC Technical Assistance Webpage

[FY 2021 Supplemental Funding for Hypertension \(NHCI-HC\) | Bureau of Primary Health Care \(hrsa.gov\)](#)

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[View FY 2021 Progress Reporting resources \(updated 12/23/2021\)](#)

[HHS Awards 90 Million to Support Health Centers in Addressing Hypertension Among Racial and Ethnic Minorities \(1/19/2021\)](#)

[View the NHCI-HC award recipients](#)

Question and Answer Session for NHCI-HC Award Recipients

The NHCI-HC technical assistance webpage includes:

- General resources
- Progress reporting resources
- Frequently asked questions
- Links to pre-recorded webinars
- Presentation slides
- ...and more



Contact Information



For programmatic questions, contact NHCI Team members via the [BPHC Contact Form](#)



For budget questions, contact the Grants Management Specialist listed on your H80 Notice of Award.