



The Georgia Board of Health Care Workforce manages a state initiative aimed at aiding Advanced Practice Registered Nurses in repaying their educational loans acquired in school. The Advanced Practice Registered Nurse Loan Repayment Program offers loans of up to \$10,000 per year that can be canceled through service, provided that the recipient practices in underserved rural areas of Georgia with populations of 50,000 or fewer. Contracts are awarded for one year and are renewable for a maximum of four years. The program is financially supported by the State of Georgia. For program details, please refer to the chart below.

Advanced Practice Registered Nurse Loan Repayment Program (APRNLRP)

| | |
|--|---|
| Who is eligible to apply? | Applicants must be a legal resident of the U.S., have graduated from an institution of nursing education that received accreditation or provisional accreditation by a national accrediting body in nursing designed to qualify that graduate for licensure by the Georgia Board of Nursing. Have satisfied requirements for unrestricted APRN licensure by Georgia Board of Nursing. Must work in a practice that actively treats Medicaid patients. |
| When to apply? | The application cycle begins September and ends November 1st. The application is available on the GBHCW website and to be submitted online. |
| What is the grant amount? | \$10,000 each year |
| What is the renewal process? | Recipients must reapply each year for a maximum of four years |
| What is service repayment? | One year commitment working full-time in a Georgia county with a population of 50,000 or less |
| What are the penalties of not fulfilling commitment? | Repaying double the principal amount received |

This chart serves solely as an informational resource and does not include all the program's conditions. For the most up to date program conditions and information regarding the program, please visit <https://healthcareworkforce.georgia.gov/loan-repayment-scholarship-programs/loan-repayment-programs>



Georgia Board of Health Care Workforce

Eligible Communities Map for PRAA, DRAA, PALRP,
GDELRP, GPELRP and APRNLRP

Eligible Practice Locations

Counties of 50,000 or less
according to the 2020 U.S. Census,
shown in red.

