



The Georgia Board of Health Care Workforce manages a state initiative aimed at aiding Physicians in repaying their educational loans acquired during medical school. The Georgia Dental Education Loan Repayment Program (GDELRP) offers loans of up to \$150,000 over four years that can be canceled through service, provided that the recipient provides direct patient care in underserved rural areas of Georgia with populations of 50,000 or fewer. Contracts are awarded for a four-year term. The program is financially supported by the State of Georgia. For program details, please refer to the chart below.

Georgia Dental Education Loan Repayment Program (GDELRP)	
Who is eligible to apply?	Applicants must be a legal resident of the U.S., have graduated from an accredited graduate dental program or provisional accreditation by the American Dental Association's Commission on Dental Accreditation or fourth-year dental student.
When to apply?	The application cycle begins in September and ends November 1st. The application is available on the GBHCW website and to be submitted online.
What is the grant amount?	Up to \$150,000
What is service repayment?	48 month 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>



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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.

