

Kentucky Loan Repayment Programs: Update

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Healthcare Worker Loan Relief Program of the Commonwealth

- HWLRPC has funded 30 healthcare professionals working within 21 counties across the Commonwealth.
- The HWLRPC has solely funded **25** healthcare professionals, totaling **\$1,591,325**.
- The HWLRPC will open up a **fifth application cycle** on July 1, 2024.

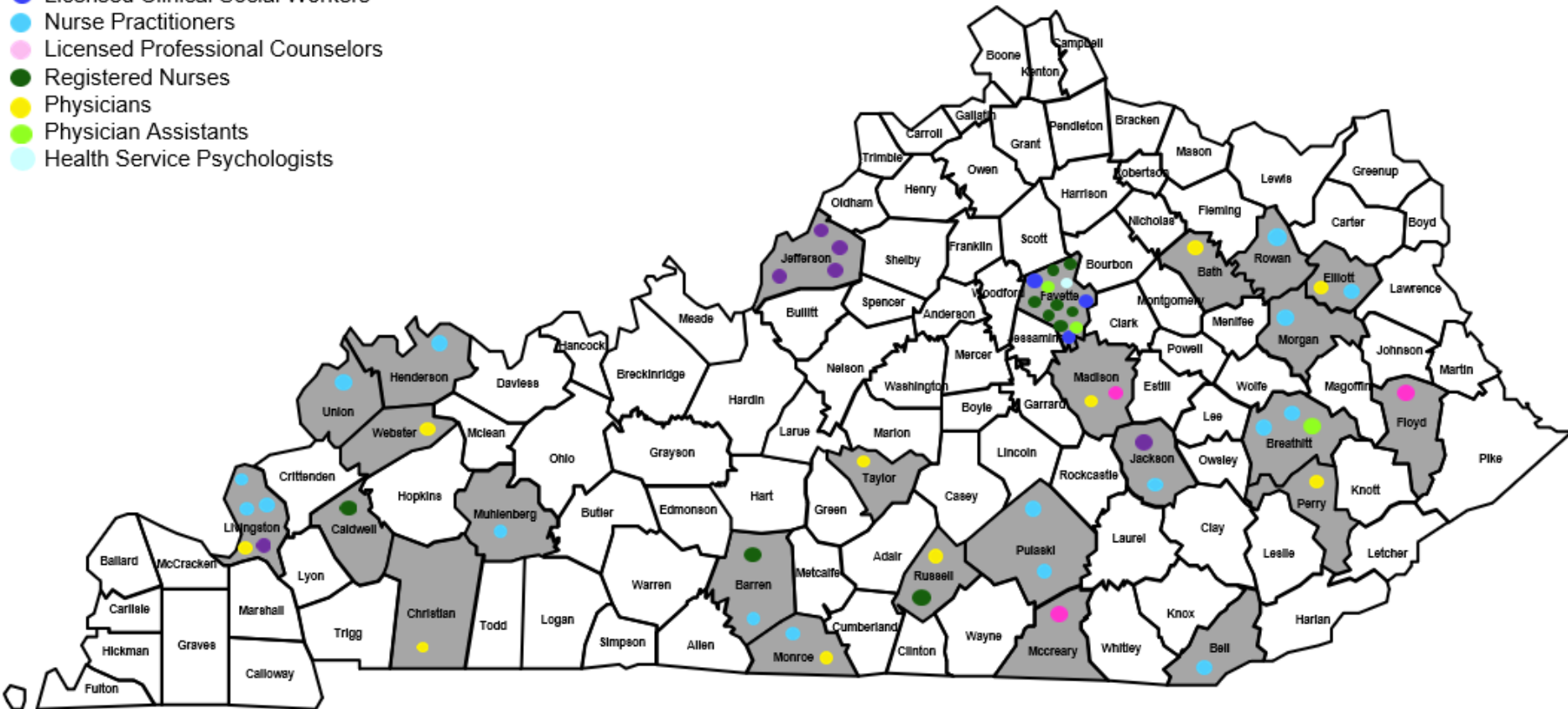
Kentucky State Loan Repayment Program

- For the 2024 fiscal year, KSLRP has funded 46 healthcare professionals working within 25 counties throughout Kentucky.
- KSLRP is funding **41** healthcare professionals, totaling **\$615,977** (not including organization match).
- Application cycles for 2025 will open in August and September.

Five healthcare professionals were funded in partnership between KSLRP and HWLRPC for the 2023-2024 cycle, contributing **\$89,192 from HWLRPC** to provide matching funds.

Kentucky State Loan Repayment Program (KSLRP) Awardee Map 2023-2024

- Pharmacists
- Dentists
- Licensed Clinical Social Workers
- Nurse Practitioners
- Licensed Professional Counselors
- Registered Nurses
- Physicians
- Physician Assistants
- Health Service Psychologists

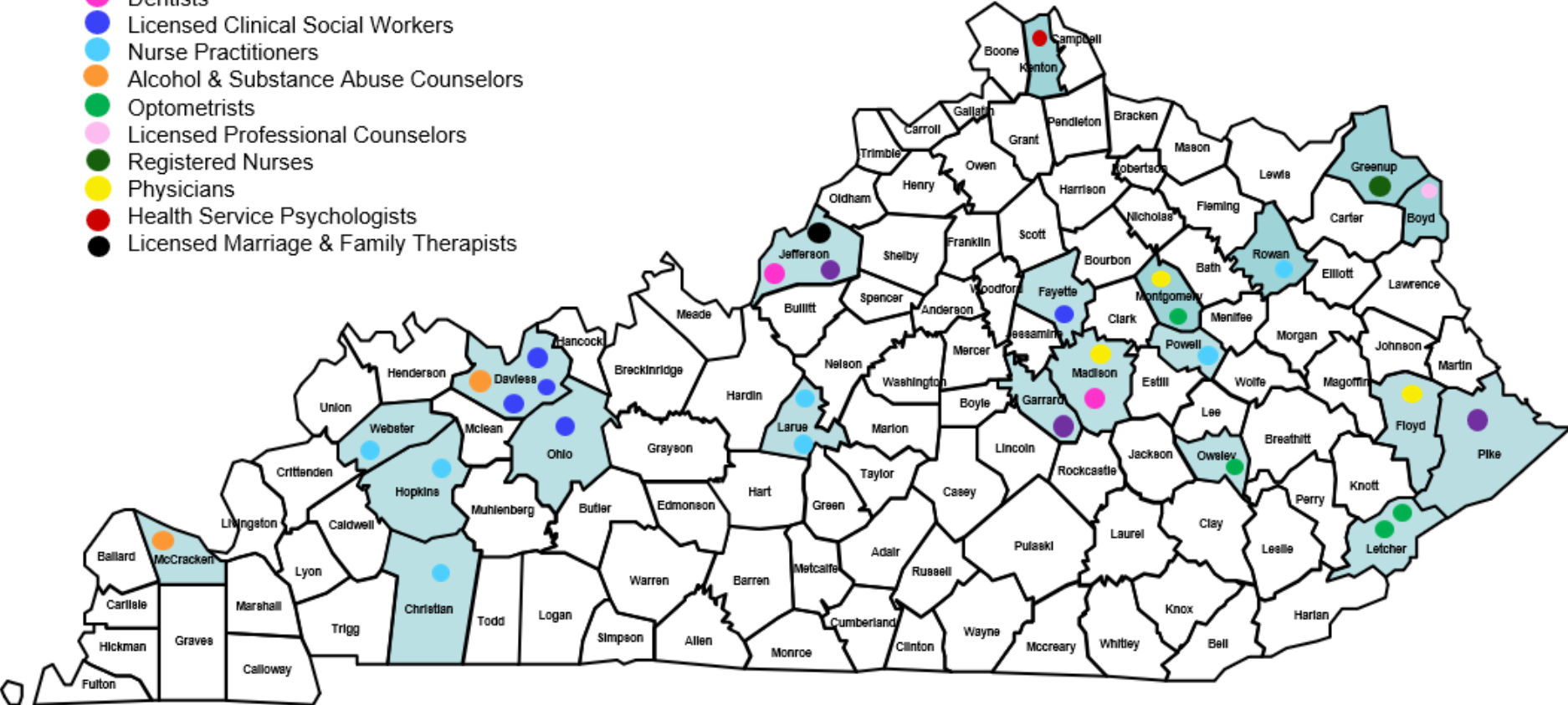


The Healthcare Worker Loan Relief Program of the Commonwealth (HWLRPC)

Awardees Map

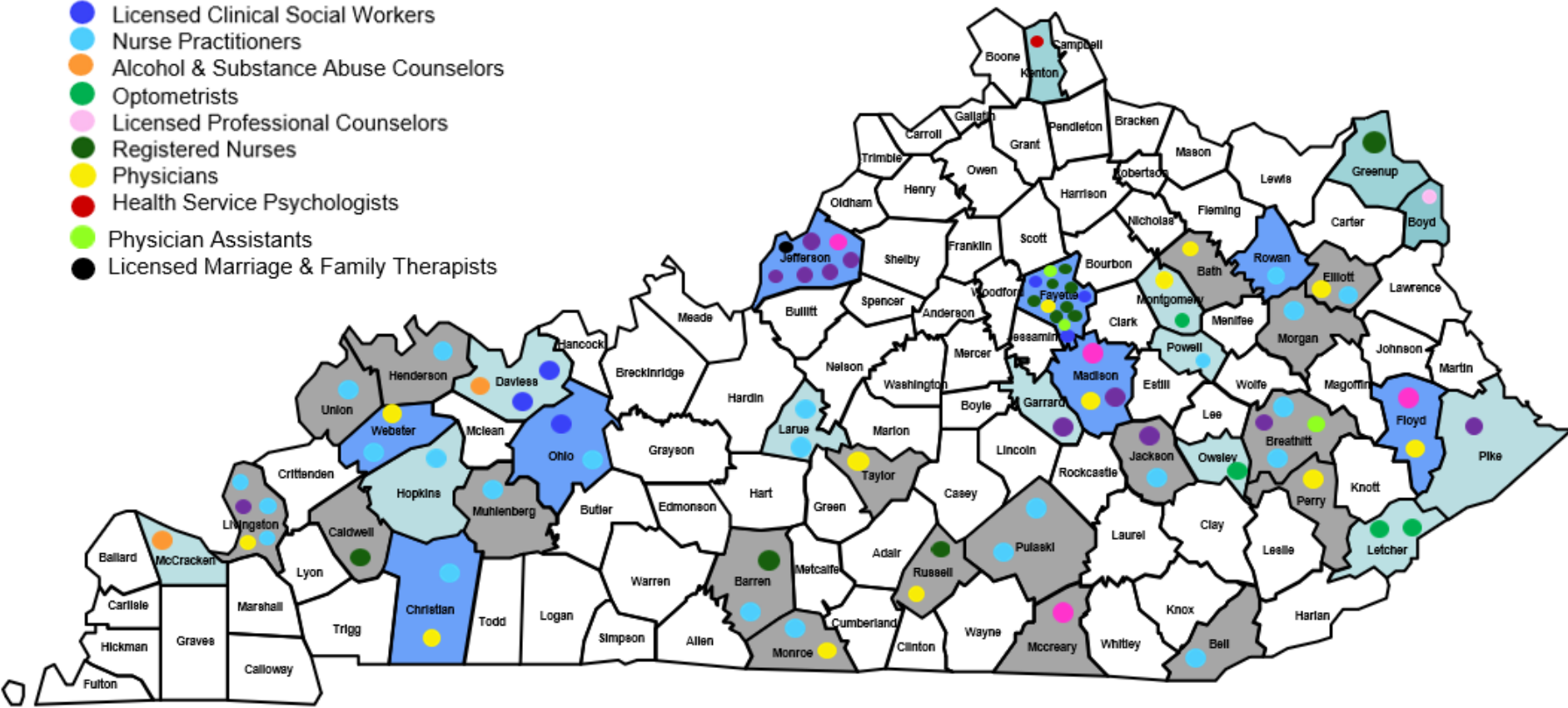
2023

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- Optometrists
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The Healthcare Worker Loan Relief Program of the Commonwealth (HWLRPC) and Kentucky State Loan Repayment Program (KSLRP) Awardee Map 2023-2024

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■ HWLRPC ■ KSLRP ■ Both

Federal and State Loan Repayment Opportunities for Kentucky Providers

Program Name

Funding & Administration

Healthcare Professional Eligibility

Practice Site Eligibility

Award & Service Commitment

Application Details & Contact Information

Kentucky State Loan Repayment Program (KSLRP)

Funded by the federal government (HRSA) and public/nonprofit organizations, and administered by the Kentucky Office of Rural Health.

Primary Care Clinicians: MD/DO, PA, NP, CNM, RN
Dental Care Clinicians: DDS/DMD, RDH
Behavioral/Mental Health Clinicians: MD/DO, LCSW, LPCC, HSP, MFT, NP, PA, PNS
Alcohol/Substance Use Clinicians: Counselors
Pharmacy Clinicians: RPh/PharmD

Public or nonprofit private health care facilities located in a health professional shortage area in Kentucky.

Up to \$10,000-\$40,000 in loan repayment assistance each year, for a total of two years in exchange for two years of full-time service.

Application window opens for one month each year: generally September 1 to September 30. With a special call for Kentucky Behavioral Health Workforce Initiative (KBHWI) applications August 1 to August 31.

Additional details and application materials can be found at: <http://kyruralhealth.org/KSLRP>.

For Questions, Contact Janice Vance
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Healthcare Worker Loan Relief Program of the Commonwealth (HWLRPC)

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Optometrists: OD
Ophthalmologists: MD/DO
Audiologists: Au. D
Other Specialties Considered

Public or nonprofit private health care facilities located in a health professional shortage area in Kentucky.

The process for determining award amounts, will be tiered based on provider type, student loan debt level, and other factors. Awardees will in exchange sign a two to three year service commitment.

Applications are accepted throughout each year and cycles are rolling with biannual consideration.

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Thank you!

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