

Association of Rehabilitation Nurses
FY 2026 Labor-Health and Human Services (LHHS) Appropriations

	FY 2023 Enacted	FY 2024 Enacted	FY 2025 Enacted
Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA)			
Nursing Programs:			
Advanced Nursing Education	\$ 89,581,000	\$ 89,581,000	\$ 89,581,000
Nurse Practitioner/Physician Assistant Optional Fellowship Program	\$ 6,000,000	\$ 6,000,000	\$ 6,000,000
Nursing Education, Practice, Quality, and Retention	\$ 59,413,000	\$ 64,413,000	\$ 64,413,000
Nursing Workforce Diversity	\$ 24,343,000	\$ 24,343,000	\$ 24,343,000
Nurse Corps Scholarship and Loan Repayment	\$ 92,635,000	\$ 92,635,000	\$ 92,635,000
Nursing Faculty Loan Program	\$ 28,500,000	\$ 28,500,000	\$ 28,500,000
<i>Total Title VIII Nursing Programs</i>	\$ 300,472,000	\$ 305,472,000	\$ 305,472,000
National Institutes of Health (NIH)			
National Institute of Nursing Research (NINR)	\$ 197,693,000	\$ 197,693,000	\$ 197,693,000
Administration for Community Living at HHS			
National Institute on Disability, Independent Living, and Rehabilitation Research	\$ 119,000,000	\$ 119,000,000	\$ 119,000,000
Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI) Programs (State Grants and Protection & Advocacy)	\$ 13,118,000	\$ 13,118,000	\$ 13,118,000
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)			
Injury Prevention and Control (including TBI)	\$ 761,379,000	\$ 761,379,000	\$ 761,379,000
Injury Prevention and Control (TBI ONLY)	\$ 8,250,000	\$ 8,250,000	\$ 8,250,000
Injury Prevention and Control***			

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	FY 2026 ARN Request	FY 2026 President's Request	FY 2026 Senate	FY 2026 House
Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA)		*		
Nursing Programs:				
Advanced Nursing Education	N/A	Eliminated	\$ 89,581,000	\$ 89,581,000
Nurse Practitioner/Physician Assistant Optional Fellowship Program	N/A	Eliminated	\$ 6,000,000	\$ 7,000,000
Nursing Education, Practice, Quality, and Retention	N/A	Eliminated	\$ 64,413,000	\$ 69,413,000
Nursing Workforce Diversity	N/A	Eliminated	\$ 22,343,000	Eliminated
Nurse Corps Scholarship and Loan Repayment	N/A	\$ 92,635,000	\$ 92,635,000	\$ 92,635,000
Nursing Faculty Loan Program	N/A	Eliminated	\$ 28,500,000	Eliminated
<i>Total Title VIII Nursing Programs</i>	\$ 530,000,000	\$ 92,635,000	\$ 303,472,000	\$ 258,629,000
National Institutes of Health (NIH)				
National Institute of Nursing Research (NINR)	\$ 210,000,000	Eliminated	\$ 197,693,000	\$ 197,693,000
Administration for Community Living at HHS		**		
National Institute on Disability, Independent Living, and Rehabilitation Research	\$ 150,000,000	\$ 100,000,000	\$ 119,000,000	\$ 100,000,000
Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI) Programs (State Grants and Protection & Advocacy)	\$ 19,000,000	\$ 13,000,000	\$ 13,118,000	\$ 13,118,000
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)				
Injury Prevention and Control (including TBI)	NA	-	\$761,379,000	\$761,379,000
Injury Prevention and Control (TBI ONLY)	\$ 11,700,000	-	\$ 8,250,000	\$ 8,250,000
Injury Prevention and Control***		\$ 550,079,000		

* The Trump administration proposed to combine HRSA with the Office of Assistant Secretary for Health, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences, and several other agencies to form the new Administration for a Health America (AHA).

Current as of October 2, 2025

** The Trump administration proposed to combine the Administration for Community Living (ACL) at HHS with the Administration for Children and Families (ACF) to form a new Administration for Children, Families, and Communities (ACFC).

*** The Trump administration proposed to move the National Center for Injury Prevention Control, previously located within CDC, into AHA. Traumatic Brain Injury programs were proposed to be eliminated from AHA.