

ing a course of study in a health professions field in which there is a severe shortage of health professionals (which fields include the fields of epidemiology, environmental health, biostatistics, toxicology, nutrition, and maternal and child health).

(July 1, 1944, ch. 373, title VII, §767, as added Pub. L. 105-392, title I, §105, Nov. 13, 1998, 112 Stat. 3555.)

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 295b, act July 1, 1944, ch. 373, title VII, §763, as added Dec. 25, 1970, Pub. L. 91-696, §101, 84 Stat. 2080-2, authorized Secretary to make grants and to set limitations and conditions on grants, required applications for grants, limited use of grant funds, set forth method of payment of grants, and provided for protection of financial interests of the United States, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 99-129, title II, §220(c), Oct. 22, 1985, 99 Stat. 544.

Another prior section 295b, act July 1, 1944, ch. 373, title VII, §763, as added Oct. 31, 1963, Pub. L. 88-164, title I, §101, 77 Stat. 283, related to amount of grants for construction of mental retardation facilities, including maximum payments, advances or reimbursement, installments, conditions, and nonduplication of grants, prior to the general amendment of former part D of this subchapter by section 101 of Pub. L. 91-696.

A prior section 767 of act July 1, 1944, was classified to section 295e-1 of this title prior to repeal by Pub. L. 99-129.

Another prior section 767 of act July 1, 1944, was classified to section 295d-2 of this title prior to repeal by Pub. L. 99-129.

### § 295c. Preventive medicine and public health training grant program

#### (a) Grants

The Secretary, acting through the Administrator of the Health Resources and Services Administration and in consultation with the Director of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, shall award grants to, or enter into contracts with, eligible entities to provide training to graduate medical residents in preventive medicine specialties.

#### (b) Eligibility

To be eligible for a grant or contract under subsection (a), an entity shall be—

- (1) an accredited school of public health or school of medicine or osteopathic medicine;
- (2) an accredited public or private nonprofit hospital;
- (3) a State, local, or tribal health department; or
- (4) a consortium of 2 or more entities described in paragraphs (1) through (3).

#### (c) Use of funds

Amounts received under a grant or contract under this section shall be used to—

- (1) plan, develop (including the development of curricula), operate, or participate in an accredited residency or internship program in preventive medicine or public health;
- (2) defray the costs of practicum experiences, as required in such a program; and
- (3) establish, maintain, or improve—
  - (A) academic administrative units (including departments, divisions, or other appropriate units) in preventive medicine and public health; or

(B) programs that improve clinical teaching in preventive medicine and public health.

#### (d) Report

The Secretary shall submit to the Congress an annual report on the program carried out under this section.

(July 1, 1944, ch. 373, title VII, §768, as added Pub. L. 105-392, title I, §105, Nov. 13, 1998, 112 Stat. 3555; amended Pub. L. 111-148, title X, §10501(m)(1), Mar. 23, 2010, 124 Stat. 1001.)

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 295c, act July 1, 1944, ch. 373, title VII, §764, as added Dec. 25, 1970, Pub. L. 91-696, §101, 84 Stat. 2080-2; amended Oct. 17, 1979, Pub. L. 96-88, title III, §301(a)(1), title V, §507, 93 Stat. 677, 692, established requirements of eligibility for grants, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 99-129, title II, §220(c), Oct. 22, 1985, 99 Stat. 544.

Another prior section 295c, act July 1, 1944, ch. 373, title VII, §764, as added Oct. 31, 1963, Pub. L. 88-164, title I, §101, 77 Stat. 283, related to recovery of expenditures under certain conditions respecting grants for construction of mental retardation facilities, prior to the general amendment of former part D of this subchapter by section 101 of Pub. L. 91-696.

#### AMENDMENTS

2010—Pub. L. 111-148 amended section generally. Prior to amendment, section related to grants and contracts for residency training programs in preventive medicine and dental public health and provision of financial assistance to residency trainees.

### § 295d. Health administration traineeships and special projects

#### (a) In general

The Secretary may make grants to State or local governments (that have in effect preventive medical and dental public health residency programs) or public or nonprofit private educational entities (including graduate schools of social work and business schools that have health management programs) that offer a program described in subsection (b) of this section—

- (1) to provide traineeships for students enrolled in such a program; and
- (2) to assist accredited programs health administration in the development or improvement of programs to prepare students for employment with public or nonprofit private entities.

#### (b) Relevant programs

The program referred to in subsection (a) of this section is an accredited program in health administration, hospital administration, or health policy analysis and planning, which program is accredited by a body or bodies approved for such purpose by the Secretary of Education and which meets such other quality standards as the Secretary of Health and Human Services by regulation may prescribe.

#### (c) Preference in making grants

In making grants under subsection (a) of this section, the Secretary shall give preference to qualified applicants that meet the following conditions:

- (1) Not less than 25 percent of the graduates of the applicant are engaged in full-time prac-