

Distance Learning and Telemedicine Grant 2012

“Telecommunications: The future for Maine in a global economy”

This Notice is being provided as a reminder that USDA Rural Development, acting through the USDA's Rural Utilities Service (RUS), will soon be releasing the Fiscal Year 2012 funding level and application submission dates for the Distance Learning and Telemedicine (DLT) Grant Program.

Recent Success: *Maine Educational Center for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing Receives \$476,336 Grant to Advance Education Opportunities*

The Maine Educational Center for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing received a USDA Rural Development Distance Learning and Telemedicine Grant to acquire equipment that would allow it to establish a collaborative telecommunications network to provide statewide programming for students and their families who are deaf or hard of hearing.

The new technology allows families and professionals the opportunity to overcome geographic boundaries and collaborate and network with each other and also connect Deaf and Hard of Hearing students with hearing students, teachers and parents in underserved areas.



Maine's Recent DLT Grant Program Recipients Projects for FY 2011

Region Two School of Applied Technology	(Education)	\$487,693
Region Two School of Applied Technology	(Education)	\$498,249
Region Two School of Applied Technology	(Education)	\$492,004
Learning Disabilities Association of Maine	(Education)	\$490,132
Maine School Administrative District No.75	(Education)	\$467,873
Androscoggin Home Care & Hospice	(Medical)	\$325,000
Maine Sea Coast Missionary Society	(Medical)	\$108,820
Eastern Maine HomeCare	(Medical)	\$50,000
Maine School Administrative District No. 3	(Education)	\$492,200

**Total Projects
FY 2011:
\$3,411,971**

For More Information..

Distance Learning and Telemedicine Grant Resources About DLT Program
FY 2011 NOSA in Federal Register (watch for FY 2012 NOSA to be published soon)
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