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MAKE SURE TO EXPLORE all health related grants across the many federal agencies. For a searchable database of federal grants, visit: http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/learn-grants/grant-programs.html. For example, HRSA has a grant program for Rural Health Network Development. It is not specific to telehealth, but many have used these funds to develop telehealth networks. Another source of funds related to telehealth may be found here: http://www.pcori.org/search/site/TELEHEALTH
FUNDING FOR HEALTH INITIATIVES MAY ENCOURAGE USE OF TECHNOLOGY

• American Academy of Pediatrics  
  http://www2.aap.org/catch/funding.htm  

• Kroger Foundation  
  http://www.thekrogerco.com/community/kroger-foundation

• DentaQuest Foundation  
  http://dentaquestfoundation.org/programs-partnerships/funding-opportunities

• NTCA  

• Kresge Foundation  
  http://kresge.org/opportunities

• Robert Wood Johnson Foundation  

NON-FEDERAL FUNDING FOR TELEHEALTH

National, state and local government and foundations are also sources for health and human service funding. A great resource for all funding opportunities, both public and private is the Rural Health Information Hub:  
https://www.ruralhealthinfo.org/funding.

FUNDING FOR BROADBAND CONNECTIVITY

Federal agencies invest hundreds of millions of dollars each year to support better broadband connectivity for rural populations. Some of the better known sources of funding specific to broadband connectivity include:

USAC Rural Health Care (RHC) Program  
http://www.usac.org/rhc/default.aspx

AND

USDA Rural Utilities Program

• Farm Bill Broadband Loans and Loan Guarantees Program  - http://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/farm-bill-broadband-loans-loan-guarantees

For more information, contact your Telehealth Resource Center at www.telehealthresourcecenter.org or the Center for Connected Health Policy (www.cchpca.org).

The National Consortium of Telehealth Resource Centers (NCTRC) is an affiliation of the 14 Telehealth Resource Centers funded individually through a cooperative agreement from the Health Resources & Services Administration, Office for the Advancement of Telehealth. The goal of the NCTRC is to work collaboratively to provide accurate, consistent information on telehealth while efficiently using federal funds.