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The Honorable Shelley Moore Capito
Chairman
Senate Committee on Appropriations
Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human
Services, and Education, and Related Agencies
SD – 186
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Tammy Baldwin
Ranking Member
Senate Committee on Appropriations
Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human
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SH – 125
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Dear Chair Capito and Ranking Member Baldwin,

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested in the Fiscal Year 2027 Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Bill, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate. None of the entities for which I have requested congressionally directed spending are for-profit entities.

Sincerely,



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**Van Hollen, Chris(D-MD) Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
4MyCiTy Inc.	Funds will support development of a new 4MyCiTy Sustainability Hub to redistribute food that would otherwise go to waste and expand composting, youth workforce training, and sustainable manufacturing of food packaging.	Anne Arundel County MD	\$2,000
The United Way of Central Maryland, Inc.	Funds will be used to strengthen the 211 Maryland hotline to help ensure Marylanders get timely access to wrap-around services and supports that they need.	Anne Arundel County, Baltimore City, Baltimore County, Carroll County, Harford County, Howard County MD	\$550
Ulman Foundation, Inc	Funds will be used for the development of an education and career reintegration program to support adolescents and young adults impacted by cancer.	Baltimore City MD	\$75
Chase Brexton Health Services, Inc.	Funds will be used to renovate Chase Brexton Mount Vernon Center, a Federally Qualified Health Center, to increase access to integrated primary care and support services in Baltimore City.	Baltimore City MD	\$739
Bon Secours Community Works	Funds will be used to support the Community Resource Center's youth programming, including college and career readiness, summer camps, and afterschool coaching for students in West Baltimore.	Baltimore City MD	\$251
B-360 Baltimore Inc.	Funds will be used for workforce development training in welding, soldiering, machine learning, mechanics, and electricians for young people ages 18-34, including partnering with the State's Attorney's Office to provide diversion to non-violent offenders.	Baltimore City MD	\$1,000
Maryland Volunteer Lawyers Service	Funds will provide legal services to trainees enrolled in workforce development programs in Baltimore City to remove barriers to employment and address financial and housing challenges.	Baltimore City MD	\$156
Greater Baltimore Urban League	Funds will be used for workforce training to reduce the digital divide and expand workforce opportunities for individuals in Baltimore.	Baltimore City MD	\$750
Living Classrooms Foundation, Inc.	Funds will be used for transitional work experience and job training for individuals returning from incarceration in Baltimore City.	Baltimore City MD	\$806
Harlem Lacrosse and Leadership Corporation	Funds will expand Harlem Lacrosse Baltimore's college access and programming, strengthening academic support, advising, and college and career exploration for Baltimore City students.	Baltimore City MD	\$100
Morgan State University	Funds will support curriculum development, faculty preparation, teaching technology, and pipeline programs that prepare local students for medical careers, increasing the number of physicians serving Maryland's most underserved communities.	Baltimore City MD	\$2,000
University of Maryland, Baltimore	Funds will support the development of a new Master of Science program in pharmaceutical and biotechnology manufacturing to build a workforce for domestic manufacturing and improve access to medications and therapies.	Baltimore City MD	\$1,000
Native American Lifelines, Inc.	Funds will be used to support the expansion of primary care, behavioral health, dental services, and wrap-around programming for Native American and Alaska Native residents in Maryland.	Baltimore City MD	\$2,369

Center for Hope	Funds will support the Bridge to Health: Foster Care Clinic to serve children entering foster or kinship care in Baltimore City and Baltimore County, ensuring they receive appropriate care.	Baltimore City MD	\$250
Total Health Care, Inc.	Funds will be used for the purchase of infrastructure and operational equipment at Federally Qualified Health Centers that will help ensure reliable access to primary care services in Baltimore City.	Baltimore City MD	\$673
Reading Is Fundamental, Inc.	Funds will support the implementation of a comprehensive, integrated children's literacy initiative in Prince George's County Public Schools and Baltimore City Public Schools.	Baltimore City, Prince George's County MD	\$1,000
Jewels School inc.	Funds will support Jewels School's Community Therapy Clinic and Activity Center expansion for children and adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities and medical needs to provide comprehensive therapeutic services.	Baltimore County MD	\$350
Vehicles for Change	Funds will be used for workforce training for formerly incarcerated individuals ages 18-25 to become automotive technicians while refurbishing donation vehicles that are awarded to low-income families who need reliable transportation.	Baltimore County MD	\$999
Conflict Resolution Center of Baltimore County, Inc.	Funds will be used for a co-parenting mediation program to support the well-being of children and families in Baltimore County.	Baltimore County MD	\$373
Community College of Baltimore County	Funds will be used to launch an aviation maintenance training program at the Community College of Baltimore County that will prepare students for careers as certified aircraft mechanics and aviation maintenance technicians.	Baltimore County MD	\$2,000
CalvertHealth Medical Center, Inc.	Funds will support the expansion of Calvert Health's primary care practices in North Beach and Prince Frederick, adding capacity, improving accessibility, and reducing wait times for care.	Calvert County MD	\$1,000
McDaniel College Inc.	Funds will support McDaniel College's new graduate programs in occupational therapy and speech-language pathology to develop an innovative clinical training infrastructure.	Carroll County MD	\$604
Cecil College	Funds will support the expansion of Cecil County's teaching laboratories to support nursing and allied health professional students and the health care workforce in Cecil County and neighboring communities.	Cecil County MD	\$282
Energetics Technology Center	Funds will be used to launch a STEM manufacturing education initiative and expand a cyber education initiative to prepare students for technical education and career pathways for high-demand fields in Maryland.	Charles County MD	\$750
Crossroads Community, Inc.	Funds will be used for the construction of a new behavioral health facility, expanding access to outpatient therapy, psychiatry, crisis care, and recovery services for residents in Caroline, Dorchester, Kent, Queen Anne's, and Talbot Counties.	Dorchester County MD	\$1,717
Service Coordination Inc.	Funds will be used to expand case management services to assist older adults and people with disabilities.	Frederick County MD	\$400
The Love for Lochlin Foundation Incorporated	Funds will support the modernization of a mobile health clinic to expand access to primary and preventive health care services in Frederick County.	Frederick County MD	\$250

Frederick Health Hospital	Funds will support Frederick Health's Family Connects Home Visiting Program to provide newborn assessments and wrap-around services to improve maternal and infant health outcomes in the Frederick community.	Frederick County MD	\$1,000
Garrett Regional Medical Center	Funds will be used to support the construction of a post-hospitalization center at GRMC to provide a comprehensive cancer survivorship program and wrap-around services for patients.	Garrett County MD	\$2,000
Western Maryland Healthcare Corporation, d/b/a Mountain Laurel Medical Center	Funds will be used to purchase a mobile health unit to strengthen and expand rural health care access, including comprehensive primary, behavioral health, and school-based services for residents in Garrett and Allegany Counties.	Garrett County, Allegany County MD	\$1,550
Harford Community College	Funds will launch a Machine Operator Training Program, part of HCC's workforce development initiative at a new Regional Workforce Development Center in Aberdeen.	Harford County MD	\$750
Humanim, Inc.	Funds will be used for career development and internships for Maryland students with psychiatric and developmental disabilities.	Howard County MD	\$1,585
Health Tech Alley Inc	Funds will be used to scale up a technology apprenticeship program aimed at preparing participants for careers in emerging technology fields.	Howard County MD	\$650
Columbia Vantage House Corporation dba Residences at Vantage Point (RVP)	Funds will be used for the renovation of the Skilled Nursing Health Center at the Residences at Vantage Point to enhance resident safety, improve care delivery, and increase access to rehabilitation services.	Howard County MD	\$1,523
Kingdom Global Community Development Corporation	Funds will be used to expand Kingdom Cares' Food Security Program to support access to fresh foods, reduce hunger, and improve families' well-being.	Howard County, Montgomery County, Prince George's County MD	\$1,000
Primary Care Coalition	Funds will be used to scale a pilot program to support hospital-employed Certified Nursing Assistants advancement into nursing training via nursing prerequisite coursework, credential evaluations, and individualized navigation support.	Montgomery County MD	\$500
Story Tapestries, Inc.	Funds will be used for providing training, employer partnerships, and evaluation to early childhood educators in Montgomery and Frederick Counties.	Montgomery County MD	\$593
Automotive Dealers Education Institute (ADEI)	Funds will support expansion of an automotive technician apprenticeship program that will serve high school graduates and emerging workers and address a regional shortage of skilled automotive technicians.	Montgomery County MD	\$1,150
Montgomery Housing Partnership, Inc.	Funds will be used to support evidence-based summer learning curriculum, literacy and STEM learning tools, and educator training for programs serving children in affordable housing communities in Montgomery County.	Montgomery County MD	\$155
National African American Drug Policy Coalition (NAADPC)	Funds will be used to build the capacity of community stakeholders to mobilize and organize to prevent substance use disorders.	Montgomery County MD	\$950
Community Clinic, Inc.	Funds will be used to renovate a Federally Qualified Health Center to expand comprehensive primary care, dental, and behavioral health services in an underserved area of Montgomery County.	Montgomery County MD	\$3,500
The Community Clinic, Inc.	Funds will be used for the construction of a new community health center in Southern Prince George's County expanding access to integrated primary care services.	Prince George's County MD	\$4,500

Best Buddies International, Inc.	Funds will be used to expand the Best Buddies Maryland Independent Living Program to support integrated housing and living opportunities for young adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities.	Prince George's County MD	\$100
Children's National Medical Center	Funds will support the Children's National Cell and Gene Therapy Program to increase access to innovative treatments for pediatric patients with rare cancers and sickle cell disease.	Prince George's County MD	\$415
Greater Baden Medical System (GBMS)	Funds will be used to support the new Ritchie Station Health Center, expanding GBMS's capacity and delivery of integrated primary, dental, and behavioral health services for Prince George's County residents.	Prince George's County MD	\$2,810
Prince George's Community College	Funds will be used to train, certify, and provide cybersecurity apprenticeship opportunities for veterans, first generation students, and unemployed adults in Prince George's County.	Prince George's County MD	\$671
Hillside Children's Center	Funds will be used for mentoring, academic support, workforce readiness, and enrichment programs for students in Prince George's County Public Schools.	Prince George's County MD	\$500
ecoLatinos, Inc	Funds will be used to develop and pilot a bilingual certification-readiness curriculum for landscaping professionals to improve pathways to certification and address workforce shortages.	Prince George's County MD	\$500
Junior Achievement of Greater Washington	Funding will expand the 3DE career-connected and entrepreneurship curriculum to additional Prince George's County schools.	Prince George's County MD	\$700
Prince George's County Public Schools	Funds will be used to support and equip school-based health centers and a Mobile Health Unit serving students in Prince George's County.	Prince George's County MD	\$3,180
Volunteers of America Chesapeake & Carolinas, Inc.	Funds will support the construction of a medical respite program in Prince George's County to provide short-term acute and post-acute care for the homeless.	Prince George's County MD	\$2,000
University of Maryland Capital Region	Funds will support the development of a comprehensive emergency medicine training curriculum to deliver timely and evidence-based care for sickle cell patients in Maryland.	Prince George's County MD	\$3,000
Ardmore Enterprises	Funds will equip supported housing for people with disabilities with Remote Support Services equipment, supplementing in-person direct support with remote capability that allows individuals to live safely and independently.	Prince George's County, Montgomery County MD	\$293
University of Maryland Eastern Shore	Funds will be used for the purchase of a mobile health unit to deliver primary and preventive care services for residents in underserved parts of Somerset and Worcester counties.	Somerset County MD	\$896
St. Mary's College of Maryland	Federal funds would expand curricular programming, cybersecurity capacity, and rural broadband development goals by upgrading the campus core switch.	St. Mary's County MD	\$1,196
Medstar Ambulatory Services	Funds will support renovations at MedStar Health Urgent Care locations in St. Mary's and Charles Counties to expand clinical capacity and enhance care coordination.	St. Mary's County MD	\$2,850
University System of Maryland	Funds will expand Maryland's Early College Teacher Pathway program to expand access to the teaching profession and address teaching shortages.	Statewide MD	\$1,500

MOCO KIDSCO INC	Funds will be used to expand KID's Invent the Future program for a new hands-on AI learning pathway serving hundreds of middle-school students and teachers across Maryland in underserved communities, with additional access through KID's distance learning studio.	Statewide MD	\$395
Learning Undefeated, Inc.	Funds will be used to support the deployment of Learning Undefeated's Mobile STEM Education & Workforce Development program to underserved communities across Western Maryland.	Statewide MD	\$695
EasterSeals Serving DC/MD/VA	Funds will be used to support evidence-based substance use prevention services at the Cohen Military Family Clinic in Silver Spring, serving post-9/11 veterans, service members, and their families.	Statewide MD	\$1,581
Kennedy Krieger Institute	Funds will support the construction of Kennedy Krieger Institute's Innovative Care Center to support access to care for pediatric patients with complex medical needs.	Statewide MD	\$2,000
University of Maryland Shore Regional Medical Center	Funds will support the construction of the new University of Maryland Shore Medical Center to strengthen rural health care access for residents on Maryland's Eastern Shore.	Talbot County MD	\$10,000
Channel Marker	Funds will be used to expand access to comprehensive behavioral health services, including patient transportation and the delivery of mobile services, to reduce barriers to care in the Caroline, Dorchester, and Talbot County community.	Talbot County MD	\$758
Wor-Wic Community College	Funds will be used to help Wor-Wic Community College establish a Nursing Simulation Center to support experiential learning and expand the nursing workforce on the Eastern Shore.	Wicomico County MD	\$792
Wor-Wic Community College	Funds will be used to purchase two shuttle buses to increase accessibility to on campus dual enrollment courses for high school students from Somerset and Worcester Counties.	Wicomico County, Worcester County MD	\$366