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The Honorable Tammy Baldwin
Chair
Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education
U.S. Senate Committee on Appropriations
Washington, DC 20510

Honorable Shelley Moore Capito
Ranking Member
Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education
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Dear Chair Baldwin and Ranking Member Capito:

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 2025 Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education 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,



Sheldon Whitehouse
United States Senator

**Whitehouse, Sheldon(D-RI) Labor and Health and Human Services
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
Roger Williams University	RWU Institute for Race and the Law fellowship	Bristol RI	\$360
Roger Williams University	Equipment for biotechnology education and training.	Bristol RI	\$490
Roger Williams University	Equipment for molecular biology research and education.	Bristol RI	\$400
RI Department of Behavioral Health, Developmental Disabilities and Hospitals	To purchase specialized hospital beds.	Burrillville RI	\$4,200
The Learning Community	For outdoor learning space programming.	Central Falls RI	\$250
Rhode Island College	Digital Mobile Forensics Lab	Central Falls RI	\$500
Progreso Latino, Inc.	For Progreso Latino's immigration program.	Central Falls & Pawtucket RI	\$160
Progreso Latino, Inc.	To purchase vehicles.	Central Falls, Pawtucket, and Providence RI	\$150
The Narragansett Indian Tribe	For Narragansett Indian Tribe's Boys and Girls Club initiative.	Charlestown RI	\$500
Chariho Regional School District	for tutoring and special education initiatives	Charlestown, Richmond and Hopkinton RI	\$120
AccessPoint RI	To support the AccessPoint Community Hub.	Cranston RI	\$80
Pride in Aging RI	Supportive services for LGBTQ+ older adults in Rhode Island.	Cranston RI	\$32
Boys & Girls Clubs of Northern Rhode Island	For out of school time programming	Cumberland RI	\$750
Higher Ground International	For a workforce readiness/job-skills training program.	Higher Ground International RI	\$450
Conanicut Island Sailing Foundation	Youth outdoor, coastal education and career exploration programming.	Jamestown RI	\$250
Community College of Rhode Island	Allied health lab upgrades.	Lincoln RI	\$180
University of Rhode Island	For research, testing and assessment of offshore wind energy solutions.	Naragansett RI	\$1,250
University of Rhode Island	For building construction, design and equipment of the Marine Logistics Building Shop Annex.	Narragansett RI	\$3,000
University of Rhode Island	for the modernization of equipment and sensing capabilities.	Narragansett RI	\$2,200
Newport Hospital	For hospital beds.	Newport RI	\$135
Newport Hospital	For endoscopic scope equipment.	Newport RI	\$182
Newport Hospital	For patient monitoring system equipment.	Newport RI	\$261
Newport Hospital	For lab automation equipment.	Newport RI	\$94

Onward We Learn	For a college access program in Newport	Newport RI	\$600
Oliver Hazard Perry Rhode Island	For a maritime workforce development program.	Newport RI	\$440
Newport County Community Mental Health Center, Inc	For the Newport Mental Health Community Access Center Headquarters.	Newport County RI	\$1,000
Skills for Rhode Island's Future	For the Next Tech Engineers workforce training program.	North Kingstown RI	\$5,000
Blackstone Valley Community Health Care, Inc.	For construction and equipment.	Pawtucket RI	\$500
Mixed Magic Theatre & Cultural Events	Work Force Development/Job Training Program.	Pawtucket RI	\$50
Rhode Island College	Cyber training programs and technical assistance	Providence RI	\$1,509
The Elisha Project	To provide veteran supportive services.	Providence RI	\$350
Day One	For facility improvements and equipment	Providence RI	\$990
CODAC Behavioral Healthcare	For renovations to the CODAC Behavioral Healthcare facility.	Providence RI	\$852
Amos House	For a behavioral health clinic.	Providence RI	\$540
The Commercial Fisheries Center of Rhode Island	To purchase local seafood and donate to address food insecurity.	Providence RI	\$300
College Visions	For college access services	Providence RI	\$723
Habitat for Humanity of Greater Providence & East Bay	For a workforce development program in the construction industry	Providence RI	\$500
Roots 2Empower	Energy justice outreach and programming.	Providence RI	\$275
Woonasquatucket River Watershed Council	for WRWC's Greenway stewardship, engagement, and pre-apprenticeship program	Providence RI	\$1,500
RI Department of State	For the RI Civic Leadership Summit.	Providence RI	\$120
RI Commerce Corporation	For workforce development	Providence RI	\$433
The Rhode Island Quality Institute	For health care technology.	Providence RI	\$300
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Rhode Island	For mentorship opportunities.	Providence RI	\$100
Oasis International	Funding for youth leadership development	Providence RI	\$240
United Way of Rhode Island, Inc.	Alliance for Nonprofit Impact initiatives	Providence RI	\$940
Melior	Funding for point of care vehicles and equipment.	Providence RI	\$510
Rhode Island Hospital	For hospital beds.	Providence RI	\$974
The Miriam Hospital	For hospital beds.	Providence RI	\$286
Melior	For a new Public Health Hub.	Providence RI	\$750
Nonviolence Institute	For comprehensive nonviolence and mentoring training for youth	Providence RI	\$388
San Miguel Education Center	For a student sponsorship program to provide year-round educational opportunities to middle school students in the Providence community.	Providence RI	\$50

Rhode Island College	Building Improvements	Providence RI	\$2,000
Rhode Island Public Health Foundation	New building and headquarters for RIPHI clinical and public health operations.	Providence RI	\$3,000
Rhode Island Hospital	For lab automation equipment.	Providence RI	\$413
Rhode Island Hospital	For endoscopic scope equipment.	Providence RI	\$471
The Miriam Hospital	For endoscopic scope equipment.	Providence RI	\$382
Rhode Island Office of the Postsecondary Commissioner	For workforce development training and center enhancements	Providence RI	\$940
Rhode Island Hospital	For patient monitoring system equipment.	Providence RI	\$1,380
The Miriam Hospital	For lab automation equipment.	Providence RI	\$604
The Miriam Hospital	For patient monitoring system equipment.	Providence RI	\$500
Rhode Island College	Academic Success in Higher Education	Providence RI	\$1,311
Rhode Island College	Math readiness programs	Providence RI	\$608
Rhode Island College	Preparatory Enrollment Program	Providence RI	\$1,261
Rhode Island College	Software Implementation	Providence RI	\$328
Providence College	For neuroscience, life science and behavioral health education.	Providence RI	\$930
Skills for Rhode Island's Future	For an immigrant workforce training program.	Providence RI	\$2,895
Family Service of Rhode Island	For the Family Services of RI neighborhood hub	Providence RI	\$22,000
Boys & Girls Club of Providence	For youth workforce development programming	Providence RI	\$840
Rhode Island College	Equipment and software	Providence RI	\$356
Rhode Island Center for the Book	Funding for Writers in the Schools RI	Providence RI	\$20
Shri Service Corps	For social, emotional learning activities.	Providence County RI	\$240
Best Buddies International, Inc.	To create more inclusive school environments for students with disabilities.	Providence County RI	\$250
Skills for Rhode Island's Future	For the Quick Commute RI program.	Providence County RI	\$1,500
Progreso Latino, Inc.	For ESOL programming	Providence County RI	\$150
Southside Community Land Trust	Healthy food program connecting low-income residents and farmers.	Providence County RI	\$480
Community MusicWorks	For youth music education programs.	Providence and Newport County RI	\$450
Children's Friend and Service	To provide mental health services to low-income families in early childhood settings	Providence, Pawtucket, and Central Falls RI	\$430
Johnson & Wales University	For campus security upgrades.	Providence, RI RI	\$1,790
University of Rhode Island	For curriculum, workforce training, and program evaluation.	South Kingston RI	\$120

University of Rhode Island	For renovations, modernization, and centralization of existing clinical training facilities.	South Kingston RI	\$1,500
University of Rhode Island	To develop and execute community mental health training and consultation programs.	South Kingston RI	\$1,700
University of Rhode Island	For supplies, workforce training, course development, and standards setting.	South Kingston RI	\$2,000
Greater Providence YMCA	For expanding child care access	South Kingston RI	\$622
Tides Family Services	Youth intensive outpatient program.	Statewide RI	\$527
Farm Fresh Rhode Island	Support Rhode Island Farm to School programming.	Statewide RI	\$250
New Urban Arts	Youth outdoor education programming	Statewide RI	\$350
HopeHealth Hospice & Palliative Care	For mental health services.	Statewide RI	\$350
Care Transformation Collaborative of Rhode Island	For a primary care workforce training program.	Statewide RI	\$900
Newport Festivals Foundation	For music education.	Statewide RI	\$300
Rhode Island Department of Health	For RIDOH Beach Monitoring program	Statewide RI	\$500
Rhode Island Department of Children, Youth & Families	To recruit and retain foster and adoptive families.	Statewide RI	\$130
Rhode Island Department of Behavioral Healthcare, Developmental Disabilities and Hospitals	For student behavioral health services.	Statewide RI	\$870
The Providence Village of Rhode Island dba The Village Common of Rhode Island	Funding for community based supports for aging adults.	Statewide RI	\$190
Care Transformation Collaborative of RI	Primary care training on alcohol use disorders.	Statewide RI	\$530
Care Transformation Collaborative of RI	Primary care training for autism and developmental delay in early childhood	Statewide RI	\$440
RI Department of Behavioral Health, Developmental Disabilities and Hospitals	988 for the Suicide & Crisis Lifeline	Statewide RI	\$3,100
CareLink	Physical, mental and social wellness programs for older adults throughout Rhode Island.	Statewide RI	\$833
Rhode Island Department of Children, Youth & Families	To support adults and juveniles with substance use disorders.	Statewide RI	\$370
RI Department of Behavioral Health, Developmental Disabilities and Hospitals	Upgrades to group homes for people with developmental disabilities and behavioral health care	Statewide RI	\$5,000
RI Department of Behavioral Health, Developmental Disabilities and Hospitals	For vehicle purchases.	Statewide RI	\$1,760
RI Department of Behavioral Health, Developmental Disabilities and Hospitals	Technology purchase and training.	Statewide RI	\$830
Women's Fund of Rhode Island	For civic engagement and leadership skills building programming	Statewide RI	\$150

MENTOR Rhode Island: The Rhode Island Mentoring Partnership, Inc.	For youth mentoring programming	Statewide RI	\$490
Rhode Island Department of Labor and Training	For the community engagement partners initiative.	Statewide RI	\$470
Rhode Island Department of Health	Enhancement of Forensic Sciences Laboratory Information Management System	Statewide RI	\$750
Rhode Island Executive Office of Health and Human Services	Funding to support Rhode Island Health Equity Zones.	Statewide RI	\$700
Adoption Rhode Island	For Child and Family Workforce training programs.	Statewide RI	\$391
RI Center for Progressive Education	Teacher Pipeline Project	Statewide RI	\$1,850
Rescuing Leftover Cuisine, Inc.	Meal delivery services.	Statewide RI	\$46
Rhode Island Executive Office of Health and Human Services	Health care system planning.	Statewide RI	\$750
Kent County Memorial Hospital	To upgrade hospital cellular connectivity	Warwick RI	\$320
Community College of Rhode Island	Restoration of historic greenhouse, purchase of equipment, and curriculum development.	Warwick RI	\$2,100
Community College of Rhode Island	Technology upgrades.	Warwick RI	\$3,690
Town of Westerly	For a educational programming	Westerly RI	\$1,000
Rhode Island Office of the Postsecondary Commissioner	For workforce development training	Westerly RI	\$1,870
Rhode Island Office of the Postsecondary Commissioner	For workforce development training	Woonsocket RI	\$1,410
Thundermist Health Center	For threat response and reduction.	Woonsocket RI	\$2,387