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The Honorable Patty Murray
Chairwoman
Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human
Services, Education, and Related Agencies
Dirksen Senate Office Building, Room 186
Washington, D.C., 20510

The Honorable Roy Blunt
Ranking Member
Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human
Services, Education, and Related Agencies
Dirksen Senate Office Building, Room 125
Washington, D.C., 20510

Dear Chairwoman Murray and Ranking Member Blunt:

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 2023 Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Bill, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

I appreciate your distinguished leadership on this important bill, as well as the assistance that your exceptional staff provide to mine. If you have questions regarding any of my requests, please contact Seth Gainer on my staff at (202) 228-6688.

With warmest regards,



Joe Manchin III
United States Senator

**Manchin, Joe(D-WV) Labor and Health and Human Services
Congressionally Directed Spending Requests**

Recipient Name	Project Purpose	Project Location	Amount Requested (\$000)
Concord University	Develops a Research Center for analysis of Rare Earth Elements (REEs) in coal and coal byproducts.	Athens WV	\$733
EA Hawse Health Center, Inc.	Builds a major health facility in the area to help improve chronic obesity and diabetes and provide a dietitian and a space for physical activity.	Baker WV	\$2,750
City of Belmont	Constructs a building that could be used as an emergency shelter.	Belmont WV	\$400
Applied Research Foundation of West Virginia	Purchases lab equipment used in radiology to train Bluefield College students to prepare students for future jobs in healthcare.	Bluefield WV	\$212
West Virginia Aerospace Institute	Advertise and market the aerospace industry in West Virginia.	Bridgeport WV	\$650
Mountain CAP of WV, Inc. a CDC	Provide social services to families in Braxton, Upshur and Webster counties.	Buckhannon WV	\$980
Burlington United Methodist Family Services	Support the expansion of the Hope Meadows model including recovery, behavioral health, workforce development, life skills programming, trauma informed care, continued help with the legal process and child protection services while encouraging parenting skills and the importance of parenting, family engagement and keeping families together.	Burlington WV	\$11,000
Connec Train Corp	Coordinates and implements Broadband Technician Training Programs in Charleston, Huntington, and Montgomery to train and qualify unemployed residents in Cabell, Wayne, and Kanawha Counties as entry-level broadband technicians over two years.	Cabell, Wayne, and Kanawha Counties WV	\$2,125
Cathryn Miller	Implements afterschool and other early learning education programs in Calhoun, Clay, Fayette, Gilmer, McDowell, and Nicholas Counties	Calhoun, Clay, Fayette, Gilmer, McDowell, and Nicholas Counties WV	\$500
Golden Girl Group Home	Support continued operations of the Golden Girl Group Home.	Ceredo WV	\$100
Bakhita Kids	Purchase and distribute supplies for children.	Charles Town WV	\$15
WV Perinatal Partnership, Inc.	Establishes a new effort to enhance outreach, engagement, screening, assessment and treatment of pregnant and parenting women with substance use disorder; increase knowledge and understanding of the causes contributing to maternal and infant mortality in West Virginia, especially maternal substance use.	Charleston WV	\$300
Erma Byrd Higher Education Center & Allied Health	Replaces computer lab systems to provide new computers and computer lab equipment for students from five colleges and universities that use the Erma Byrd Higher Education Center.	Charleston WV	\$227
West Virginia Higher Education Policy Commission	Supports central operating expenses for the state's only government nursing workforce center, expanding clinical scheduling and expanding nursing pipeline grant programs.	Charleston WV	\$425
West Virginia Music Hall of Fame	Provides educational outreach programs through interactive displays, exhibits, curriculum and teacher lesson plans, and specialized educational sessions with students and teachers across the state.	Charleston WV	\$111

Partnership of African American Churches, Inc.	Supports a statewide public health infrastructure focused specifically on communities of color and will health address disparities in West Virginia.	Charleston WV	\$1,992
City of Charleston	Launches and expands a program to provide jobs, jobs training and mentorship for youth and other workers, and connect them with businesses in the City of Charleston.	Charleston WV	\$180
City of Charleston	Establishes a mental health care staff and services at the Wellness Center and offer physical and mental health care to first responders and their families.	Charleston WV	\$1,340
City of Charleston	Expands veterinary programs to combat the shortage of veterinary professionals in Appalachia.	Charleston WV	\$250
National Youth Science Foundation	Constructs kitchen and dining facilities and other structures for the National Youth Science Center near Davis, West Virginia.	Charleston WV	\$9,500
WVCTCS	Purchase of simulation equipment for a Commercial Driver's License program offered by the West Virginia Council for Community and Technical College Education.	Charleston WV	\$3,045
University of Charleston	Establish a Rehabilitation Science and Athletic Training (RSAT) Center on the University of Charleston's main campus.	Charleston WV	\$3,000
Charleston Area Medical Center	Establish and support a telenursing program.	Charleston WV	\$2,500
Charleston Area Medical Center	Create a network of cardiovascular care technology.	Charleston WV	\$6,700
Charleston Area Medical Center	Create a cardiovascular information system to standardize reporting and streamline workflow.	Charleston WV	\$5,800
WVHEPC	To establish and develop the West Virginia Behavioral Workforce Initiative, which will recruit, train, and seek to retain behavioral health providers.	Charleston WV	\$700
United Way of Central WV	Expansion of West Virginia 2-1-1.	Charleston WV	\$500
WVARF Inc.	Expand apprenticeship programs at community colleges and establish a Mobility Management Hub to increase access to technology for individuals with disabilities.	Charleston WV	\$750
Roark Sullivan Lifeway Center	Provide early intervention services for homeless veterans.	Charleston WV	\$500
Friends of the Mountain State Forest Festival	Support the Mountain State Forest Festival, which promotes West Virginia's beauty and natural resources.	Elkins WV	\$10
The Disability Action Center	Provides funds to install a new elevator at the Disability Action Center (DAC), which was damaged in previous flooding.	Fairmont WV	\$160
Fairmont State University	Provides 6 new planes and 3 flight simulators for the Fairmont State University Aviation Center for Excellence.	Fairmont WV	\$1,270
Glenville State University Research Corporation	Purchases equipment and technology for the Land Resources Department.	Glenville WV	\$885
Minnie Hamilton Hospital	Provides renovations to the Minnie Hamilton Critical Access Hospital, including upgrades to the sewer line, hospital electrical infrastructure and construction of an FAA-approved helicopter landing site.	Grantsville WV	\$2,000

Hardy County Health and Wellness Center	Establishes a health and wellness center.	Hardy County WV	\$30
REACHH-Family Resource Center, Inc.	Renovations and equipment for REACHH-FRC buildings.	Hinton WV	\$795
Lily's Place	Provides services to infants struggling with neonatal abstinence syndrome (NAS).	Hungtington WV	\$482
Marshall University	Establishes a joint cybersecurity training center at Marshall University and West Virginia University.	Huntington WV	\$150
Marshall University	Supports the establishment of a center for advanced orthopedic care.	Huntington WV	\$300
City of Huntington	Designs, procures, installs, and trains multiple agencies in a data system for tracking and directing care resources to substance use disorder patients.	Huntington WV	\$500
Marshall University	Enhances access to healthcare at the Robert C. Byrd Center for Rural Health in Chapmanville, West Virginia.	Huntington WV	\$1,000
Coalfield Development	Funds the 33-6-3 workforce development and apprenticeship program to employ low-income and unemployed workers.	Huntington WV	\$2,000
St. Mary's Medical Center	Construction of the Mountain Health Network Child Development Center (CDC).	Huntington WV	\$4,000
Marshall University	Support continued operations of the Marshall University Center of Excellence for Recovery.	Huntington WV	\$5,000
FaithHealth Appalachia	Sustain and grow current programming to encompass more rural and underserved counties in West Virginia.	Huntington WV	\$319
Marshall University	Purchase equipment and materials to expand access to specialty and subspecialty care provided via telehealth.	Huntington WV	\$1,750
Cabell Huntington Hospital, Inc.	Construction of a clinical space at Cabell Huntington Hospital's Fresenius Kidney Care dialysis center and expansion of the Center's ability to provide dialysis in-home care operations.	Huntington WV	\$3,850
YMCA of Huntington	Construct additional space for youth and seniors.	Huntington WV	\$1,800
Cabell Huntington Hospital, Inc.	Expand and modernize Cabell Huntington's Obstetrics and Gynecology (OB/GYN) department and increase the capacity of the Labor and Delivery (L&D) wing.	Huntington WV	\$4,162
Mountwest Community & Technical College	Construction and supplies for a student development and an Allied Health Training Center.	Huntington WV	\$3,000
Marshall University	Renovate and equip a facility in Putnam County or the surrounding area for the development of a Medical Toxicology Center.	Huntington WV	\$5,000
Marshall University	Establish a Center of Excellence on Foster Care to provide statewide education, training, and other resources that can be used to help address the challenges faced by foster care youth in West Virginia.	Huntington WV	\$5,000
Valley Health Systems, Inc.	Develop a Center for Health Equity at Valley Health.	Huntington WV	\$10,000
Kanawha County Commission	Purchases mobile command unit equipment.	Kanawha County WV	\$720
Potomac Valley Hospital	Construct an outpatient facility as a satellite location of Potomac Valley Hospital.	Keyser WV	\$1,100

Lauren's Wish	Establishes an addiction triage center at Hazel's House of Hope in Morgantown, WV.	Kingwood WV	\$1,000
West Virginia School of Osteopathic Medicine	Completes the planning and design phase of a larger project to build an addition to WVSOM's Fredric W. Smith Science Building.	Lewisburg WV	\$325
Lincoln Emergency Medical Services, Inc.	Purchases and maintains three Advanced Life Support ambulances.	Lincoln County WV	\$767
Boone Memorial Hospital, Inc.	Establishes the Boone Memorial Health and Wellness Center in a space formerly filled by Magic Mart in Danville, WV.	Madison WV	\$5,432
Shepherd University	Establishes a year-long professional development program, "The Write Way Forward: WV Students Succeed," for K-12 teachers in the state as part of the Shepherd University National Writing Project (NWP) site.	Martinsburg WV	\$658
Shepherd University	Provide for early enrollment of new college degree seekers and offer summer programming to returning students.	Martinsburg WV	\$1,926
The West Virginia Chamber Foundation Corporation	Provides job training and career preparation for high school students preparing for graduation.	McDowell and Logan Counties WV	\$200
Christian Help Inc. of Mingo County	Establishes and operates a food pantry in Mingo County.	Mingo County WV	\$151
Hardy County Committee on Aging	Provide a healthcare and wellness pilot program for selected seniors in Hardy County.	Moorefield WV	\$4,000
Morgantown Police Department	Acquires and renovates a new training facility for the Morgantown Police Department.	Morgantown WV	\$2,077
Mon Health Preston Memorial Hospital	Expands the Mon Health Preston Memorial Hospital Physician Center.	Morgantown WV	\$6,413
West Virginia Network	Upgrade data center and network equipment to provide high-speed connectivity between Morgantown and Charleston and to all K-12 schools across the state.	Morgantown WV	\$2,213
West Virginia University	Allow WVU Libraries to upgrade technology in library classrooms that are used for WVU classes but also for campus and community programming.	Morgantown WV	\$500
West Virginia University	To create a CyberRange, which is a specialized software and hardware facility dedicated to cybersecurity education, training sessions, and research experiments. The hardware equipment and software purchased with the grant funds will allow WVU to build a cutting-edge CyberRange facility that will support education and training centered on development of hands-on skills relevant for industry and government sector, and conducting practically relevant cybersecurity research. The CREATE CyberRange will allow different users to study cyber vulnerabilities, anomaly detection, cyber defense in information technology (IT)/ operational technology (OT) systems and critical infrastructure, host cybersecurity competitions and educational/ training activities. The CyberRange will also support multiple data-driven and AI/MLdriven tools for anomaly detection in real-time by performing data analytics using data from the data storage layer. NoC will have managing, login authentication, GUI access to the testbed, and remote access management.	Morgantown WV	\$1,000

West Virginia University Hospitals, Inc.	Construction of a new research facility.	Morgantown WV	\$9,550
West Virginia University Hospitals, Inc.	Construction of medical laboratory space within the former Viatrix facility.	Morgantown WV	\$15,061
West Virginia University Hospitals, Inc.	Construction on one level of WVU Medicine Children's Hospital.	Morgantown WV	\$12,784
West Virginia University	Purchases two research instruments to support vision-related research.	Morgantown WV	\$1,160
West Virginia University at Parkersburg	Expands workforce and economic development programs.	Parkersburg WV	\$596
Tucker County Family Resource Network	Reviews potential construction of a rehabilitation home for mothers and infants.	Parsons WV	\$25
Alderson Broaddus University	Replaces health simulator equipment at Alderson Broaddus University to train nursing and physician assistant students.	Philippi WV	\$500
Southern Highlands Community Mental Health Center	Constructs a medical clinic within an existing building to serve approximately 500 individuals per year with medical care and information that will help reduce the opioid crisis in Wyoming County, West Virginia.	Princeton WV	\$1,012
West Virginia CASA Association Inc	Expands programming focused on technical assistance to families on child abuse and expand the CASA program to Raleigh, Hampshire, and Taylor counties.	Raleigh, Hampshire, and Taylor Counties WV	\$534
Community Care of West Virginia	Construct a four-story rural healthcare workforce training and development building.	Rock Cave WV	\$1,250
Stubblefield Institute	Establish a non-partisan policy incubator.	Shepherdstown WV	\$100
Shepherd University	Develop a Career Resource Center for students and alumni seeking jobs and internships in West Virginia and nationwide.	Shepherdstown WV	\$63
Shepherd University	Expand Automated External Defibrillators (AEDs) available across Shepherd's campus by updating software and increasing the number of AEDs positioned around the campus.	Shepherdstown WV	\$100
Shepherd University	Purchase equipment for an updated Chemistry Department and laboratory space.	Shepherdstown WV	\$610
Shepherd University	Technological and physical updates to teaching, learning, and gathering spaces, such as classrooms, labs, auditoriums, and theatres at Shepherd University.	Shepherdstown WV	\$3,075
Shepherd University	Construction of new athletics buildings, training facilities and renovations to existing athletic buildings and fields.	Shepherdstown WV	\$5,000
Shepherd University	Develop a special education curriculum for students with Elementary and Secondary Education majors.	Shepherdstown WV	\$20
Roane General Hospital	Replaces the Rural Health Clinic in Walton, which is the only healthcare provider in the area.	Spencer WV	\$300

Hospital Development Co dba Roane General Hospital	The goal of this project will be to relocate the existing walk-in clinic (urgent care) to a safer and more operationally effective space for patients and to create additional space that will allow various specialists to see patients in our rural community. Throughout the COVID pandemic, the Hospital attempted to retrofit existing space to meet infection control guidelines. In the future, this space would be our "infectious disease" location and would allow the evaluation of contagious patients in the clinic without co-mingling with our other primary and specialty care populations. Additionally, the renovation would create space where other specialty providers could use a portion of the facility to provide additional care in our community without travel to larger tertiary facilities that are approximately one hour away. The work performed with this project will include a roof replacement at the existing facility, HVAC upgrades for more effective air flow and infection control, interior reconfiguration and cosmetic upgrades and the addition of x-ray imaging equipment to allow for diagnostic testing at the site.	Spencer WV	\$750
Hospital Development Co dba Roane General Hospital	Roane General Hospital requests funding to assist with construction at the main facility in Spencer, WV, specifically on the inpatient floor of the facility where they care for admitted patients. This project would allow the Hospital to support immediate patient care for infectious diseases and to additionally help prepare for a future pandemic by upgrading the HVAC mechanical systems to improve the air exchange on that floor which will lead to better infection control and mitigate the spread of airborne disease.	Spencer WV	\$500
West Virginia Bureau of Senior Services	Establishes a home modification application process within the existing Aging and Disability Resource Center (ADRC).	Statewide WV	\$500
West Liberty University	Builds and installs new interior and exterior building signage on multiple campuses across West Liberty University.	West Liberty WV	\$195
West Liberty University	Create a Healthcare Professional Training Center, which would contain a Healthcare Professional Laboratory Suite, Cooperative Learning Spaces, and faculty offices. The center would support the education of undergraduate and graduate students seeking healthcare-oriented degrees.	West Liberty WV	\$4,233
Lewis County Senior Citizens Center, Inc	Excavation and preparation of a parking service for seniors and individuals with disabilities at the Lewis County Senior Citizens Center.	Weston WV	\$8
Wheeling Ironworkers Local 549	Purchases new equipment and materials for apprentice training for the Wheeling Local Ironworkers Apprenticeship Program.	Wheeling WV	\$1,000
Catholic Charities West Virginia, Inc.	Establishes a program to support patients with complex needs after discharge from a healthcare facility.	Wheeling WV	\$233
Augusta Levy Learning Center	Establish a program to Board Certified Behavior Analysts (BCBA), including student loan repayment.	Wheeling WV	\$624
Wirt County Health Services Association	Purchase a mobile clinic to be used for primary care, behavioral health and dental care in Wirt and Jackson counties.	Wirt and Jackson Counties WV	\$200