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RUS-25-01-DLT

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## General Information



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<b>Funding Opportunity Number:</b>	RUS-25-01-DLT	<b>Posted Date:</b>	Jan 06, 2025
<b>Funding Opportunity Title:</b>	Distance Learning and Telemedicine Grants	<b>Last Updated Date:</b>	Jan 06, 2025
<b>Opportunity Category:</b>	Discretionary	<b>Original Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 06, 2025
<b>Opportunity Category Explanation:</b>		<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 06, 2025
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant	<b>Archive Date:</b>	May 06, 2025
		<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$ 40,000,000
		<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$1,000,000
		<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$50,000

**Category of Funding Activity:** Business and Commerce  
 Community Development  
 Education  
 Employment, Labor and Training  
 Health  
 Infrastructure  
 Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA)  
 Regional Development

**Category Explanation:**

**Expected Number of Awards:** 75

**Assistance Listings:** 10.855 --  
 Distance Learning and Telemedicine  
 Loans and Grants

**Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:** Yes

## Eligibility

**Eligible Applicants:** Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education  
 Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)  
 State governments

City or township governments  
Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS,  
other than institutions of higher education  
For profit organizations other than small businesses  
Independent school districts  
County governments  
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education  
Private institutions of higher education  
Small businesses  
Special district governments

**Additional  
Information  
on  
Eligibility:**

## Additional Information

**Agency  
Name:** Rural Utilities Service

**Description:** Authorized by 7 U.S.C. 950aaa, the DLT Program provides financial assistance to enable and improve distance learning and telemedicine services in rural areas. DLT grant funds support the use of telecommunications-enabled information, audio and video equipment, and related advanced technologies by students, teachers, medical professionals, and rural residents. These grants are intended to increase rural access to education, training, and health care resources that are otherwise unavailable or limited in scope.

The regulation for the DLT Program can be found at 7 CFR part 1734. All applicants should carefully review and prepare their applications according to instructions in the FY 2025 DLT Grant Program Application Guide (Application Guide) and program resources. This Application Guide will be made available here and on the program website at

<https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/distance-learning-telemedicine-grants>. Expenses incurred in developing applications will be at the applicant's own risk.

**Link to Additional Information:**

[DLT Web Site](#)

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