Any sites in the dark blue shaded counties should qualify for the Mental Health Loan Repayment Program. For counties which are in the light blue, no shortage area, depending upon the population served at your site you may still qualify for the repayment program.

Please reach out to BehavioralHealth@wvhepc.edu for any questions relating to approved site locations or to see if your site qualifies.

The state map is provided by the Rural Health Information Hub.

For the most up to date information regarding this map, please visit: https://www.ruralhealthinfo.org/charts/7?state=WV

Source: Ocito.HRSA.gov, April 2020.
Health Professional Shortage Areas (HPSA) in West Virginia for the Mental Health Loan Repayment Program (MHLRP)

To determine if your site is eligible for the MHLRP, it must be in one of the counties highlighted on the map above. If you are unsure if your exact agency meets the criteria you may use the HPSA Map tool set up by the Federal Department of Health & Human Services here: https://data.hrsa.gov/tools/shortage-area/hpsa-find

- Select West Virginia as the state.
- Select the specific county in WV you are looking at.

Filters to Apply

- Ensure you uncheck Primary Care and Dental Health.
  - You only want to see approved MENTAL HEALTH discipline sites.
- HPSA Status should be marked as Designated.
- You can leave all boxes checked under HPSA Designation/Population Types
- HPSA Score is not used by MHLRP
- All options under Rural Status should be checked

Click submit

**Remember if your site is not on the list and/or listed in a county as not a shortage site, you may still qualify based upon the population of citizens served at the location.**