

**283—14.1(261) Definitions.**

*“Eligible rural community”* means a medically underserved rural Iowa community which agrees to match state funds on at least a dollar-for-dollar basis for the loan repayment of a health care professional who practices in the community.

*“Health care professional”* means an individual who holds a practitioner’s license issued by an agency or board under the Iowa department of public health and is employed as a physician, physician assistant, podiatrist, or physical therapist.

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