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**CALIFORNIA AWARDS MORE THAN \$2.6 MILLION TO STRENGTHEN HEALTHCARE
 WORKFORCE TRAINING PROGRAMS**

Continuing California's commitment to increasing the numbers of primary care physicians in the state, the Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development (OSHPD) announced awards of more than \$2.6 million to 26 family practice residency training programs. The awards are administered through OSHPD's Song-Brown Program.

"Investing in these programs is one of the many ways California is working to address the inequity of primary care physicians statewide," said OSHPD Acting Director Stephanie Clendenin.

Family practice programs receiving awards:

White Memorial Medical Center	\$206,460.00
Natividad Medical Center	\$154,845.00
Santa Rosa Family Medicine	\$154,845.00
Scripps Mercy Hospital, Chula Vista	\$154,845.00
UCSF – Fresno	\$154,845.00
UCSF – San Francisco General Hospital	\$154,845.00
USC – California Hospital	\$154,845.00
Valley Family Medicine Residency of Modesto	\$154,845.00
Ventura County Medical Center	\$154,845.00
Contra Costa County Health Services	\$103,230.00
Harbor – UCLA Medical Center	\$103,230.00
Kaiser Permanente – San Diego	\$103,230.00
Riverside County Regional Medical Center	\$103,230.00
San Joaquin General Hospital	\$103,230.00
UC, Davis	\$103,230.00
UCSD Combined Family Medicine-Psychiatry	\$103,230.00
Downey Regional Medical Center	\$51,615.00
Glendale Adventist Medical Center	\$51,615.00
Kaiser Permanente – Los Angeles	\$51,615.00
Kaiser Permanente – Orange	\$51,615.00
Loma Linda University	\$51,615.00
Long Beach Memorial	\$51,615.00
Mercy Medical Center, Merced	\$51,615.00
Presbyterian Intercommunity Hospital	\$51,615.00
UC, Irvine	\$51,615.00
UC, Los Angeles	\$51,615.00

The Song-Brown Program was established by the Health Care Workforce Training Act to increase the number of family practice physicians, family nurse practitioners, physician

assistants, and registered nurses trained in the state to provide needed medical services to Californians. The Song Brown program is funded by the California Health Data Planning Fund. Funds are generated through an annual assessment to health facilities based on a percentage of their gross operating expenses.

For more information about the Song-Brown Program, please contact the program at (916) 326-3752, or visit http://www.oshpd.ca.gov/HWDD/Song_Brown_Prog.html.