

MARYLAND STATE LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAMS (MLRP) PART V - Experience, Impact, and Retention Data Requirements

Throughout and following an MLRP participant's service obligation, the participant and their employer will be required to provide data regarding experience in the program, the impact of the participant's participation in the program, and information about their current/future practice sites and employment.

Some of this data will be collected directly from MLRP. Some will be collected by program partners, such as the 3RNet Provider Retention and Information System Management (PRISM) team. PRISM provides a standardized way for participating states/programs to gather real-time data from clinicians as they serve in state and federal (i.e. National Health Service Corps (NHSC)) loan repayment, scholarship and other incentive programs. This data gathering system routinely surveys program participants as they serve in these public programs to provide quality, consistent, real-time, convenient and ongoing data to inform the management and retention of healthcare professionals in service programs.

Expectations:

As a condition of program participation, participants and their employers are required to respond to all survey and reporting requests received for the purpose of ensuring continued compliance with program requirements and the gathering of data as noted above. Program participants will receive emailed requests for information at key points during and after service obligation. Employers will receive requests for information such as aggregate data regarding patients served by the participant and practice quality improvement/health outcomes goals, measures, and outcomes.

Data collection is vital to program success and continued resource allocation.