

Name of "Rural" Designation	Makes you Eligible for:
1. Census Bureau	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Clinics located outside of "Urbanized Areas" are geographically eligible for Rural Health Clinic designation
2. Office of Management and Budget	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Used to categorize hospitals as either rural or urban for purposes of Medicare reimbursement
3. RUCA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Grants issued by FORHP (Federal Office of Rural Health Policy): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Rural Health Outreach ■ Network Development ■ Rural Automated External Defibrillator Grant Program
4. Oregon Office of Rural Health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Oregon provider tax credit qualification ■ Rural areas only are included in Unmet Healthcare Need determination ■ Critical Access Hospital qualification ■ Medical Malpractice Re-Insurance Program qualification