



maryland
health services
cost review commission

HOPE Workgroup

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Upcoming Key Dates – RSI & CTF

- RSI

- September 28, 2026 - RSI applications due to the HOPE mailbox at: hscrc.hope@maryland.gov
- October 2026 - Committee review
- November 2026 - Staff preliminary award notification
- December 2026 (tentative) - RSI recommendation to Commission
- January 2027 - Awardees formally notified and one-time seed funding into GBRs, as approved.
- July 1, 2027 - Performance measurement begins

- CTF

- October 1, 2026 - Release CTF RFA and Letter of Intent
 - *Please make sure you forward materials to the correct people within your organization once they are distributed.*
- October 23, 2026 - Letters of Intent Due
- November 20, 2026 - CTF Applications Due
- December 2026 – Committee review
- January 2027 – Awardees notified

Upcoming Key Dates – Other

- CTF Exploratory Data
 - Exploratory data sets have been released to qualified hospitals.
- Upcoming Workgroup Dates
 - September 23 – TCOC Workgroup
 - October 14 – HOPE Workgroup

Open Discussion

Send all other questions to hscrc.hope@maryland.gov

Next HOPE Workgroup Meeting:
October 14, 2026, 10-10:30AM