



Troubled Times Tool Kit



Federal Stimulus Package Web Sites:

The following Web sites contain useful information to bioscience companies on programs available through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act. (ARRA)

NIH Research and AHRQ Comparative Effectiveness Research: The ARRA provides \$11.1 billion for medical research, including \$1.1 billion to examine the effectiveness of existing approved treatments. Check <http://www.hhs.gov/recovery/index.html> for information in upcoming weeks.

National Institutes of Standards and Technology (NIST) Scientific and Technical Research Services: The ARRA provides at least \$220 million for competitive grants related to NIST research. Check <http://www.nist.gov/recovery/> for more information.

National Institutes of Standards and Technology (NIST) Construction of Research Facilities: The ARRA provides \$180 million for competitive grants for research science buildings. Check <http://www.nist.gov/recovery/> for more information.

National Science Foundation (NSF) Education Scholarships Programs: The ARRA provides \$100 million for scholarship and related-programs for STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) students. Within this amount, \$60 million is provided for the Robert Noyce Teacher Scholarship program and \$40 million for Math and Science Partnerships. Check <http://www.nsf.gov/> for more information in upcoming weeks.