

In addition to the loan monies requested above, individual hospitals must seek out an estimated \$20-\$30 million from private resources. Children's Hospital must raise, for illustration, a sum of \$13,000,000. Georgetown University Hospital must raise over \$3,500,000. The above funds are inclusive of the essential initial operation fund advance.

IV. SIMILAR PROGRAMS IN CERTAIN STATES COMPARED TO THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA ¹

[Dollars expressed in millions]

State	Hill-Harris allotment, 1967-68	State, county, or municipal matching funds	Additional State, county, or municipal funds allotted, 1967-68	State, county, or municipal loans or bonds authorized, 1967-68
California.....	\$29.2	\$21.8	(1)	(1)
Georgia.....	11.1	19.8	\$8.2	(1)
Indiana.....	12.8	29.7	(1)	(1)
Maryland.....	6.8	10.8	2.9	\$50.0
Minnesota.....	10.1	3.6	(1)	3.6
New Mexico.....	3.5	2.7	(1)	(1)
New York.....	30.8	8.2	(1)	500.0
North Carolina.....	19.5	10.2	12.7	² 12.7
Ohio.....	25.2	(1)	(1)	(1)
Total, 1967-68.....	149.0	\$106.8	\$23.8	\$553.6
District of Columbia.....	.8	0	0	0

¹ County, municipal amounts not available.

² Not applicable.

³ Funds provided by bond issues or tax levies at local level.

Source: Information provided by appropriate State agency, June 1968.

CONCLUSION

Because it is a federal district, D.C. hospitals would receive through loans and grants from the federal government the funds normally provided by the States for health care facilities within their constituencies.

V. STATUS OF LEGISLATION

HR 6526—Companion Bill to S 1228 Passed by the Senate. The sponsors of HR 6526 find no objections to the amendments adopted by the Senate. Since the introduction of the legislation, because of a critical re-evaluation of the institutional financial abilities in terms of the current loan market and in order to make language fit current national programming, the following amendments are proposed.

1. Proposed Loan Authority Section. See Attachment A for working detail.

2. Proposed amendments: Add for clarity, line 2, page 2, "for medical centers" and the words. On line 3, page 2, add, "and medical" prior to the word "center". On line 13, page 2, add "and Title VII" in accordance with national program changes.

ATTACHMENT A.—LOANS FOR CERTAIN HOSPITAL AND HEALTH FACILITY CONSTRUCTION

Section —(a) In order to alleviate hardship on any recipient of a grant under section () of this title, to assure the immediate planning and construction to meet demonstrated community needs, to meet Congressional directives to control the costs of health care services,