

CAPITAL ASSESSMENT | GEORGIA FQHCs

Community Health Center Capital Fund (Capital Fund), in partnership with the Georgia Association of Primary Health Care Association, recently completed a capital assessment survey for health centers in the state of Georgia. The survey was conducted in February 2020 to determine the number and scope of upcoming regional capital projects, average cost, service areas to be expanded, and health centers' top technical assistance needs and priorities. The following is a summary of the results.

SURVEY RESULTS

22 responses received

25 discrete capital projects expected over next 18 months

\$1.2M average project budget

PROJECT IMPACT

Georgia survey respondents identified targeting the following expansion areas for their upcoming capital projects:

76%
will expand
Mental Health
Services

88%
will expand
Medical
Services

64%
will expand
Substance Abuse
Treatment

Respondents expect to broaden their scope of services and enhance their capacity to treat health issues in their communities by:



Increasing
number of
visits and
patients
served



Expanding
access to care,
especially
for at-risk
populations



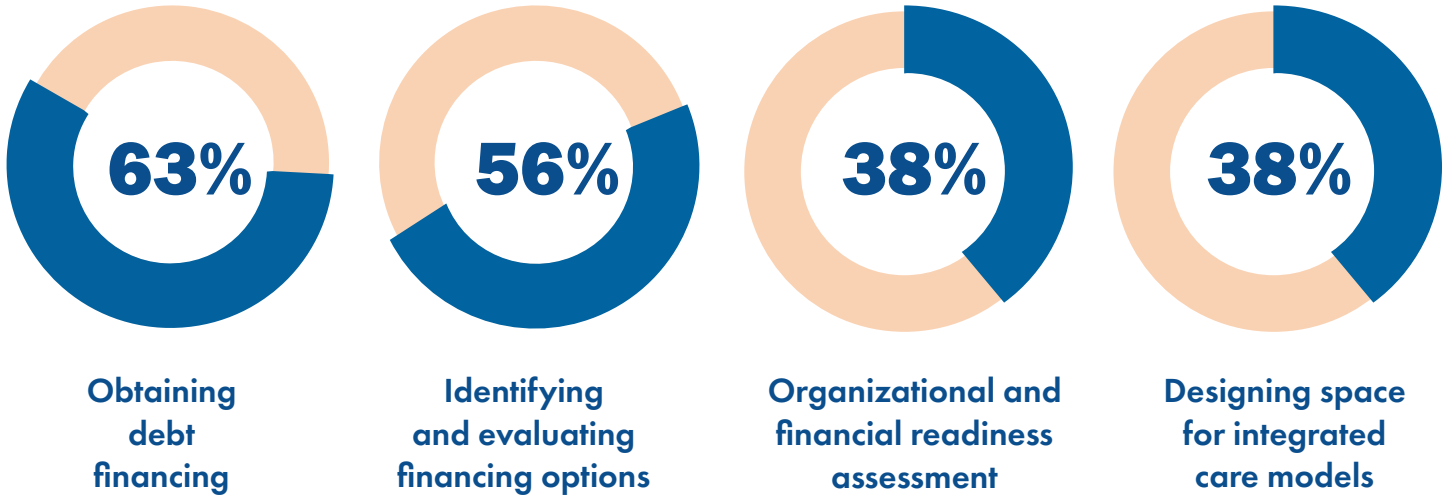
Creating
jobs



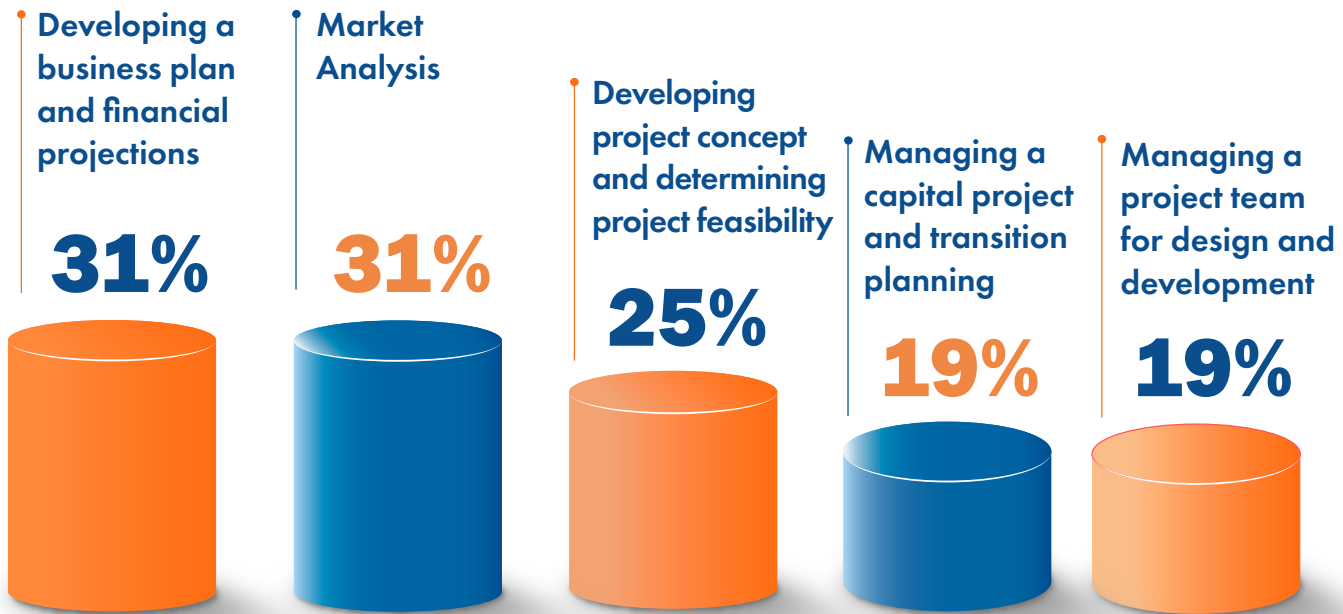
Modernizing
facilities with
updated
equipment/
technology

TECHINICAL ASSISTANCE

Out of 22 respondents, 16 reported needing technical assistance to advance project planning. Of those seeking technical assistance, the following were listed as top priorities:



Additional technical assistance areas identified by at least three health centers each were:



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