

CARES Act

Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund (HEERF) - Emergency Financial Aid Grants

Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund (HEERF) participating institutions must post the following information on the institution's primary website in a format and location that is easily accessible to the public 30 days after the date when the institution received its allocation under 18004(a)(1) and updated every 45 days thereafter.

JFK Muhlenberg Harold B. and Dorothy A. Snyder Schools acknowledges that the institution signed and returned to the Department the Certification and Agreement and the assurance that the institution has used, or intends to use, no less than 50 percent of the funds received under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act to provide Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students.

1. The total amount of funds that have been made available to the institution from the Department pursuant to the institution's Certification and Agreement [for] Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students is \$208,927.
2. The total amount of Emergency Financial Aid Grants distributed to students under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act as of Monday, August 24, 2020: \$208,927.
3. The estimated total number of students at the institution eligible to participate in programs under Section 484 in Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965 and thus eligible to receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act is 604.
4. The total number of students who have received an Emergency Financial Aid Grant to students under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act as of Monday August 24, 2020: 175 students awarded.
5. The methods used to determine which students and how much students receive from the CARES Act funding include:
 - Students can request CARES Act funding by completing an application to provide information specific to the impact each student has suffered due to the crisis.
 - Applications are reviewed for one or more of the allowable criteria suggested in the CARES Act legislation and other items including, but not limited to:

- Expenses related to housing, food, medical, technology access and child care
- Enrolled in the Spring 2020 term as a matriculated student
- Eligible for funding under the Title IV Higher Education Act of 1985

The amount students receive under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act varies on a case-by-case basis. Each application was reviewed for one or more of the allowable criteria combined with other data available to the institution.

6. Instructions and guidance provided by the institution to students concerning the Emergency Financial Aid Grants include the application for grant funds itself and referrals from staff across campus.