

Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act, 2020 (“CARES Act”)
Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA)
American Rescue Plan Act, 2021 (ARP)
Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund (HEERF) Financial Aid Grants to Students
Cumulative Report as of June 30, 2021
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This document provides the necessary information to comply with Section 18004(e) of the CARES Act; CRRSAA and ARP (a)(1) and (a)(4) programs.

1. Cleveland University-Kansas City signed and returned to the Department of Education (DoE) the Certification and Agreement and has used the applicable amount of funds designated under the CRRSAA and ARP (a)(1) and (a)(4) programs to provide Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students.
2. The total amount of funds that CUKC has received from the Department pursuant to the institution’s Certification and Agreement for Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students under the CRRSAA and ARP (a)(1) and (a)(4) programs is \$1,187,860, which includes \$541,784 for financial aid grants to students and \$646,076 for institutional use in responding to the coronavirus emergency.
3. The total amount of Emergency Financial Aid Grants distributed to students under the CRRSAA and ARP (a)(1) and (a)(4) programs as of the date of submission is \$733,450, including in order to increase the amount of relief distributed to students, \$191,666 of the funds allocated to CUKC for institutional use.
4. The estimated total number of students at the institution eligible to receive Emergency Financial Aid Grant to Students under CRRSAA and ARP (a)(1) and (a)(4), was 514 for the HEERF I distribution, 519 for the HEERF II distribution and 509 for the HEERF III distribution.
5. The total number of students who have received an Emergency Financial Aid Grant to Students under CRRSAA and ARP (a)(1) and (a)(4), was 514 for the HEERF I distribution, 519 for the HEERF II distribution and 509 for the HEERF III distribution.
6. The method(s) used by the institution to determine which students receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants and how much they would receive under the CRRSAA and ARP (a)(1) and (a)(4) programs.

CARES Act, HEERF I - To receive the distribution of CARES Act, HEERF I Student Portion, students were required to be enrolled on March 13, 2020 and on May 25, 2020. These dates reflect when the University switched to remote teaching, and the census date for the Summer 2020 term, respectively.

Following the Secretary’s guidance to recognize student need, widely distribute the aid, and to get the aid into the student’s hands as quickly as possible, the the University elected to determine need based on a student’s eligibility for Pell grants and allocate a greater amount per-student to those Pell-eligible students. For the HEERF I Student portion, each Pell-eligible student received \$275. Each non-Pell eligible student received \$223.80.

Recognizing all CUKC students needed additional assistance, the University elected to distribute the Institutional Portion of HEERF I to students. To receive the distribution of the Institutional Portion of HEERF I funds allocated to CUKC, students were required to be enrolled on August 14, 2020, a date reflecting enrollment through the University's Summer 2020 term.

Following the Secretary's guidance as above, each Pell-eligible student received \$255. Each non-Pell eligible student received \$207.79.

CRRSAA, HEERF II - To be eligible for the distribution of HEERF II Emergency Financial Aid Grants, a student needed to be enrolled on January 8, 2021 and through April 20, 2021; dates reflecting the census date for the Spring 2021 term through the date of distribution of HEERF II funds. In addition, eligibility required signing a CRRSAA affidavit agreeing to use the Emergency Financial Aid Grant for "expenses related to the disruption of campus operations due to coronavirus".

Following the Secretary's guidance and University's allocation method as above, Pell-eligible student received \$700. Each non-Pell eligible student received \$351.

ARP, HEERF III - To be eligible for the distribution of HEERF III Emergency Financial Aid Grants, a student needed to be enrolled on May 14, 2021 and through June 25, 2021; dates reflecting the census date for the Summer 2021 term through the date of distribution of HEERF III funds. In addition, eligibility required signing an ARP affidavit agreeing to use the Emergency Financial Aid Grant for "expenses related to the disruption of campus operations due to coronavirus".

Following the Secretary's guidance and University's allocation method as above, Pell-eligible student received \$1,141. Each non-Pell eligible student received \$609.

7. Any instructions, directions, or guidance provided by the institution to students concerning the Emergency Financial Aid Grants.

Distribution of all Emergency Financial Aid Grants funds to students was automatic (no application was required). Funds were transferred to student's bank accounts via ACH (or by other instructions of individual students).

For the distribution of HEERF I grants (both Student and Institutional Portions), students were instructed that Student Emergency Financial Aid Grants were to be used to cover "expenses related to the disruption of campus operations due to coronavirus".

In order to receive distribution of HEERF II and III grants, students were required to sign an affidavit agreeing to use the Emergency Financial Aid Grant for "expenses related to the disruption of campus operations due to coronavirus" as stated in the CRRSAA and ARP acts.

Notices announcing the distribution of HEERF I funds were sent by email to all students in advance of the distribution date. For HEERF II and III distributions, notices, the permitted grant use affidavit, and multiple reminders were sent to students by email. In addition, campus electronic signage and text were used to make students aware of the Emergency Financial Aid Grants.

