

The Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act (CRRSAA) Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund II (HEERF II) provides emergency funding to institutions of higher education to assist students in need during the coronavirus pandemic. The College of Eastern Idaho has signed and returned to the Department of Education, 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 from the CRRSA Act to provide Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students.

CEI has received \$ 492,847 CRRSA Act funding to distribute to students.

College of Eastern Idaho CRRSA ACT GRANT Distribution Plan

As of April 20, 2021 the following CRRSA Act Grant funds plan for distribution to the following # of students:

| Expected Family | Enrollment 2021Spring | Estimated | Award | Estimated Total | |
|--------------------|---|-----------|--------|-----------------|------------|
| Contribution (EFC) | | # Student | Amount | | |
| | | Count | | | |
| 0 | Enrolled Full Time (FT) 12 + credits | 167 | \$ 850 | \$ | 141,950.00 |
| 0 | Enrolled Three Quarter Time (QT) 9-11 credits | 77 | \$ 725 | \$ | 55,825.00 |
| 0 | Enrolled Half Time (HT) 6-8 credits | 91 | \$ 425 | \$ | 38,675.00 |
| 0 | Enrolled Less Than Half Time (LTHT) 1-5 credits | 51 | | | |
| 1-2,500 | Enrolled Full Time (FT) 12 + credits | 77 | \$ 750 | \$ | 57,750.00 |
| 1-2,500 | Enrolled Three Quarter Time (QT) 9-11 credits | 32 | \$ 625 | \$ | 20,000.00 |
| 1-2,500 | Enrolled Half Time (HT) 6-8 credits | 41 | \$ 375 | \$ | 15,375.00 |
| 1-2,500 | Enrolled Less Than Half Time (LTHT) 1-5 credits | 16 | | | |
| 2,501-5,576 | Enrolled Full Time (FT) 12 + credits | 59 | \$ 650 | \$ | 38,350.00 |
| 2,501-5,576 | Enrolled Three Quarter Time (QT) 9-11 credits | 22 | \$ 525 | \$ | 11,550.00 |
| 2,501-5,576 | Enrolled Half Time (HT) 6-8 credits | 39 | \$ 325 | \$ | 12,675.00 |
| 2,501-5,576 | Enrolled Less Than Half Time (LTHT) 1-5 credits | 12 | | | |
| 5,577-15,000 | Enrolled Full Time (FT) 12 + credits | 45 | \$ 550 | \$ | 24,750.00 |
| 5,577-15,000 | Enrolled Three Quarter Time (QT) 9-11 credits | 27 | \$400 | \$ | 10,800.00 |
| 5,577-15,000 | Enrolled Half Time (HT) 6-8 credits | 32 | \$ 275 | \$ | 8,800.00 |
| 5,577-15,000 | Enrolled Less Than Half Time (LTHT) 1-5 credits | 15 | | | |
| EFC > 15,000 | Enrolled Full Time (FT) 12 + credits | 38 | \$ 450 | \$ | 17,100.00 |
| EFC > 15,000 | Enrolled Three Quarter Time (QT) 9-11 credits | 13 | \$ 324 | \$ | 4,225.00 |
| EFC > 15,000 | Enrolled Half Time (HT) 6-8 credits | 16 | \$ 225 | \$ | 3,600.00 |
| EFC > 15,000 | Enrolled Less Than Half Time (LTHT) 1-5 credits | 6 | | | |
| Total | | 876 | | \$ | 461,425.00 |
| Estimate | | | | \$ | 31,422.00 |
| Remaining Funds | | | | | |

CEI plans to use the estimated remaining funds of the allocation of the CRRSAA HEREFF II Grant, student portion, to assist students with individual emergency requests per application. Any remaining funds will be allocated in Summer 2021, depending on remainder of funding and requests.

CRRSA Act Grant plan for distribution of Emergency Requests:

| Estimated CRRSAA Emergency Funding Grant Plan | Maximum Distribution (FT) | Maximum Distribution |
|---|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| <u>Distribution</u> | \$800 | (LTFT) \$400 |
| | Emergency Award Full | Emergency Award Less |
| | Time (FT) 12 + Credits | Than Full Time (LTFT) 6-11 |
| | | <u>Credits</u> |
| Food | \$300 | \$150 |
| Housing | \$200 | \$100 |
| Distance Based Technology | \$100 | \$50 |
| Healthcare | \$200 | \$100 |
| Childcare | \$300 | \$150 |
| Other | \$300 | \$150 |
| | | |
| Estimated Distribution for Eligible Emergency Funding | | \$31,422.00 |

| Total CRRSA ACT Grant Funding to Distribute to Students | \$ 492,847 |
|---|---------------|
| Estimated Distribution for Eligible Students Enrolled Half Time or More | \$ 461,425 |
| Estimated Emergency Funding Distribution | \$ 31,422 |

<u>Criteria for CRRSAA Awards for Spring 2021 Enrolled Students:</u>

CEI will prioritize assistance to students with the greatest financial need. Students will be identified through the 2020-2021 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Funds will be automatically offered to students who met the following criteria: Enrolled for the Spring 2021, undergraduate degree-seeking students, as of the date/time of the grant distribution. Currently enrolled in a least 6 or more credits for the Spring 2021 Semester. Eligible U.S Citizen or eligible non-citizen as determined by the 2020-2021 FAFSA. Meeting Satisfactory Academic Progress (not Unsatisfactory or meeting Maximum credits). Have an official Expected Family Contribution (EFC), thus meeting data bases matches for Selective Service, Department of Homeland Security, Social Security, Social Security Administration Citizenship, NSLDS, clear default or overpayments status.

Students Exempt from CRRSAA Grant Award and Emergency Funds:

CEI has opted to exclude students who meet the following criteria: Registered in less than 6 credits, Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA), and undocumented students or non-citizens, non-degree-seeking students, and Early College/Dual Enrollment students, students not in good academic standing.

Estimated Plan for Distribution of remaining CRRSSA Funds:

CEI will use the estimated remainder of the allocation of the CRRSAA HEREFF II Grant to assist students with emergency funds per request with an application. Any remaining funds will be allocated in summer depending on remainder of the allocation.