

1. On April 21, 2020, Harris-Stowe State University 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.
2. The institution has received \$1,256,790 from the Department pursuant to the institution's Certification and Agreement for Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students.
3. As of 07/20/2020 we have disbursed \$925,000 in Emergency CARES Act funds to HSSU students.
4. We have an estimated 1464 students that were enrolled and had a FAFSA on file in 19-20.
3. The total amount of Emergency Financial Aid Grants distributed to students under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act as of as of 07/20/2020 is \$925,000.
4. The estimated total number of students at the institution who are or could be eligible to participate in the Federal student financial aid programs under Section 484 of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended, and thus are eligible to receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act is 1464 student enrolled in spring 2020 with a FAFSA on file.
5. 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 07/20/2020 we have awarded 925 students.
6. The method(s) used by the institution to determine which students receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants and how much they would receive under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act. Each student is asked to complete an application for Emergency Cares Act Funding through our student portal.

Once submitted this student eligibility is checked in the Office of Financial Assistance and if eligible the student is awarded \$1000. These funds are then disbursed to the account through the Bursars Office and a check is cut and mailed or if direct deposit is set up the funds are sent to the student's bank on file.

7. Any instructions, directions, or guidance provided by the institution to students concerning the Emergency Financial Aid Grants. The application provided to students has the following instructions "The CARES Act has provided emergency funds to students for expenses related to the COVID-19 global pandemic.

In order to receive emergency aid:

- Must be currently enrolled at Harris-Stowe for the spring 2020 semester
- Completed the 19-20 FAFSA to be Title IV eligible
- Have experienced financial hardship due to disruptions caused by the current public health crisis.
- Have an EFC on your 19-20 FAFSA of 12,000 or less
- Must be meeting Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) for the Spring 2020 semester

Students are required to complete this one-time application to request funds and can receive up to \$1000 in emergency funds.