

CARES ACT REPORTING ON EMERGENCY FINANCIAL AID GRANTS TO STUDENTS

On March 27, 2020, the Federal government enacted the Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security Act (CARES Act), Pub L. No. 116-136, providing funds to institutions from the Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund (HEERF) to make Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students for expenses related to the disruption of campus operations due to coronavirus, including eligible expenses under a student's cost of attendance, such as food, course materials, technology, health care, and child care. The law requires institutions to report certain information related to the use of these funds. The following information is reported for the period, April 24, 2020 to September 30, 2020.

- I. This statement shall serve to acknowledge that our institution signed and returned to the US Department of Education the *Certification and Agreement - Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students*. We further attest that our institution has used, and/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.
- II. The total amount of funds that the institution has received from the Department pursuant to the institution's Certification and Agreement for Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Student is \$248,564.00.
- III. The total amount of Emergency Financial Aid Grants distributed to students under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act as of September 30, 2020, is \$109,200.
- IV. The estimated total number of students at our 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 182.
- V. The total number of students who have received an Emergency Financial Aid Grant to students under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act to date is 182.
- VI. National Career Institute used the following criteria to determine which students who have incurred expenses related to the disruption of classes due to COVID-19 will receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants and how much each student will receive under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act:
 - Applied/Filled-out 2019-2020 and 2020-2021 FAFSA.
 - On Active" or "LOA status.

Each student will receive an initial amount of \$600.00.

- VII. Our institution provided the follow instructions/directions/guidance to students concerning the Emergency Financial Aid Grants.

"National Career Institute emailed the following "Request for Emergency Financial Aid Grant Funds Form" to all eligible students who were required to complete and submit the completed signed form (electronic signature accepted), as proof of certification."



REQUEST FOR EMERGENCY FINANCIAL AID GRANT FUNDS
Under the CARES Act, Pub. L. No. 116-136

On March 27, 2020, the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (CARES Act) was signed into law. The CARES Act authorized the Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund which provides emergency funding for student impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. On April 9, 2020 the US Secretary of Education announced that the student funding was being made available to institutions to award and disburse to students who have incurred expenses related to the disruption of campus operations due to coronavirus, including eligible expenses under the student's Cost of Attendance, such as food, housing, course materials, technology, health care and child care. For these emergency grants to be fairly and compliantly awarded, you must provide certain information and certification to the institution.

On the top portion of the form, it is imperative that you provide the correct address where mail from the school will reach you. **This is the address to which your Grant check will be mailed.**

Also, you must remember to sign and date the form.



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Student Name:

First: _____ **Last:** _____

Address at which I am sure to receive my Grant check:

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____

Zip Code: _____

Email: _____

Have you incurred expenses related to the disruption of campus operations due to coronavirus (COVID-19), such as food, housing, course materials, technology, health care and/or childcare expenses? YES ___ NO ___

I hereby attest that the information provided above is true and correct. I understand I am requesting an Emergency Financial Aid Grant to assist me with costs that I have incurred related to the COVID-19 pandemic. I further understand that funds are limited, and National Career Institute is sharing its allocation among all eligible students.

Student Signature: _____

Date: ____/____/____

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Applicants, please do not enter information in this section.

Total Grant Amount Approved: \$ _____ Check #: _____

Signature and Title of School Representative: _____