



EASTERN IOWA COMMUNITY COLLEGES

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1. An acknowledgement that the institution signed and returned to the Department the Certification and Agreement and the assurance that the institution 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.

On April 10, 2020, Eastern Iowa Community Colleges submitted a Funding Certification and Agreement to access the Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students under the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act.

In that certification, EICC assured to use no less than fifty percent of the funds received to provide 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, housing, course materials, technology, health care, and child care). Funds first became available to draw on May 2, 2020.

2. The total amount of funds that the institution will receive or 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.

Eastern Iowa Community Colleges received \$6,039,987 from the Department of Education.

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 (*i.e.*, as of the initial report and every calendar quarter thereafter).

As of October 10, 2021, \$938,825 has been distributed.

4. The estimated total number of students at the institution that are eligible to receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students under the CRRSAA and ARP (a)(1) and (a)(4) programs.

It is estimated that 5,200 students enrolled could be eligible for Emergency Financial Aid Grants, following Federal guidance.

5. The total number of students who have received an Emergency Financial Aid Grant to students under the CRRSAA and ARP (a)(1) and (a)(4) programs.

As of October 10, 5,116 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 the CRRSAA and ARP (a)(1) and (a)(4) programs.

The following criteria determined disbursement and levels for enrolled students:

- Prioritized documented financial need based on the FAFSA
 - Cost related to enrollment status
7. Any instructions, directions, or guidance provided by the institution to students concerning the Emergency Financial Aid Grants.

Eligible students received an email and text message explaining the CARES funds and process of disbursement. An application was not required. EICC posted further information on its website.

[CARES Act](#)

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