

**CARES Act Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund for Emergency Grants
to Students**
Quarterly Report for Quarter ending March 31, 2022

CARES (HEERF I)

1. The Community College of Allegheny County acknowledges that the institution 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 under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act to provide Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students.
2. The Community College of Allegheny County has received \$3,993,740 from the Department of Education pursuant to the institution's Certification and Agreement for **Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students. This amount represents 50% of the total amount allocated.**
3. As of March 31, 2022 CCAC had disbursed **\$3,259,500 to 6,519** unduplicated students in the form of \$500 CARES Grants. (Awarded FY20)
4. As of March 31, 2022, CCAC had **also** awarded and disbursed **\$734,740** in SEOG CARES (SEOGC) Emergency Grants to **332** students who had filed a Special Condition due to COVID-19. (Awarded FY20 & FY21)
5. **As of March 31, 2022 a total of 6851 awards were made to 6,519 unduplicated students. 215 students received both the \$500 CARES Grant and an emergency SEOG Grant. Note: 118 unclaimed refunds were recycled back into the pool and spent as Emergency FA Grants (SEOGC to students)**
6. The estimated number of unduplicated students at the 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 (HEERF I) as of March 31, 2022 is 6,519.
7. As of March 31, 2022 the total number of students who received Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act (HEERF I) was 6,519.
8. CCAC CARES Grants in the amount of \$500 each have been awarded to 6,519 students who completed 2019-2020 Free Application for Federal Student Aid and met all eligibility requirements under Section 484 in Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965. The total dollar amount awarded as of March 31, 2022 is \$3,259,500.

9. Eligible students were notified of their eligibility for the emergency grant via email communication from the Financial Aid Office. Additionally, information regarding availability and how to apply was posted in various social media platforms and the Pittsburgh Tribune Newspaper.
10. Funds remaining after the distribution of the \$500 CCAC CARES Grants were used for Covid-19 Emergency Grant Funding per the guidelines below and have resulted in \$734,240 in awards to 332 students for the 2019-20 and 2020-21 academic years.

In order to provide students with Covid-19 emergency grant assistance as part of the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act, students must **first** follow the steps below:

- **Submit the 2020-2021 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)** online at www.fafsa.gov or through the myStudentAid mobile app.
- **List CCAC to receive the FAFSA information.** Our school code is 003231-00.
- **Submit any additional documents that are requested.** If you are selected for verification or need any additional documentation, requirements will be listed on your To Do list in the FA Self Service student portal.
- **Student must submit the Special Condition form and any supporting documentation to: Any CCAC Campus Financial Aid Office.**
- **Applications will be reviewed by the FA Special Condition Committee**

Awards will be based on the 2020-21 EFC's.

EFC

	Independent	Dependent
0-3000	\$3000	\$1500
3001-6000	\$2500	\$1250
6001-9000	\$2000	\$1000
9001 and above	\$1500	\$750

***Amounts subject to change depending on specific situation and submitted documentation.**

CARES (HEERF I) Summary

- 6851 Total CARES and Emergency SEOG CARES Awards.
- 6519 students each received \$500 CARES Awards.
- 333 students received Emergency SEOG CARES Awards in varying amounts.
- CCAC awarded funds from CARES and SEOG CARES to 6636 Unduplicated Students. (6851 Total Awards)

- 333 students received both the CARES and Emergency SEOG awards (6851-6518=333)
- As of March 31, 2022
 - Spent \$3,259,500 for student grants FY20
 - Spent \$268,490 for emergency student grants (SEOG-C) – FY20
 - Spent \$463,250.00 for emergency student grants (SEOG-C) – FY21
 - Total spent = \$3,991,240
 - Rolled over into HEERF II- \$2500

CRRSSA (HEERF II)

- As of March 31, 2022 CCAC awarded \$5,211,350 in CRRSSA Funds to 10,126 Students.
 - \$3,993,740 was from the Student portion of the CRRSSA Allocation.
 - \$1,217,610 was awarded to students from the Institutional portion of the CRRSSA allocation.

ARPA (HEERF III)

- As of March 31, 2022 CCAC awarded \$2,102,000 in American Rescue Plan Act Funds (ARPA) to 5,229 Students for the 2020-2021 Summer Semester (21SU).
- As of March 31, 2022 CCAC made 17,491 ARPA awards amounting to \$10,190,782 for the 2021-2022 academic year to 12,832 unduplicated students.
- **Fall Semester (21FA)**
 - \$6,278,682 awarded to \$11,266 students for 21FA
 - Represents awarding to students with and without balances
 - Each student’s written permission to apply ARPA funds to their outstanding balance is on file with the Bursar’s Office.
 - \$3,993,740 – Student Portion
 - \$2,283,642 – From the Institutional Portion
- **Spring Semester (22SP)**
 - \$3,912,100 to 6225 students for the 2021-2022 Spring Semester (22SP)
 - This represents phase 1 awarding to students with \$0 Balance.
 - Phase 2 awarding amounts will be reflected in the report for the Quarter ending 6/30/22. (Students with an outstanding balance for 22SP)