

Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund II Reporting

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The federal government recently authorized the Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund II (HEERF II) as a part of the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act (CRRSAA). As a result of the HEERF II funding, Alderson Broaddus University received \$563,337 to be distributed in emergency grants to students. These grants are in addition to the more than \$563,000 in HEERF emergency grants authorized by the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act which were distributed last spring.

AB accepted applications for these funds through Monday, March 8, 2021. The estimated number of eligible students were 636. The applications were reviewed and grants were issued to students based on the information provided on the applications, and according to guidance from the federal government. Distribution of the funds began March 11, 2021. The grants varied in amount and ranged from \$250 to \$1895, depending on the level of need reflected with the application. All eligible students were granted for a total of 636.

In order to be eligible to receive a HEERF II grant, AB students must have met the following criteria:

- Be a United States citizen or eligible non-citizen
- Complete a FAFSA for the current 2020-21 academic year
- Have a valid Social Security number
- If male, must be registered for U.S. Selective Service
- Have a high school diploma, GED, or completion of high school in an approved homeschool setting
- Not be in default on a federal student loan
- Be currently for the 2021 Spring semester as an undergraduate or graduate, degree-seeking student (Non-degree seeking enrollment will not qualify)

Eligible students may use HEERF II emergency grants for expenses related to any component of the **student's cost of attendance** or for **emergency** costs that arise due to coronavirus; such as tuition, technology, course materials, food, housing, health care (including mental health care), or child care.

Alderson Broaddus University received an Institutional Portion of the Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund II in the amount of \$1,189,935 in order to defray expenses associated with coronavirus, carry out student support activities, or make additional financial aid grants to students. AB postponed drawing the Institutional Portion until after all funds made available through the Student Portion had been disbursed to students. Funds awarded under the Institutional Portion were drawn between Thursday, March 25 and Friday, April 9, 2021.