

BETH MEDRASH GOVOHA
REQUIRED REPORTING
CARES Act – Section 18004(a)(1)
Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students
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Amended

1. Beth Medrash Govoha hereby acknowledges that the institution signed and returned to the U.S. Department of Education the CARES 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 \$2,949,797 from the Department pursuant to the institution's Certification and Agreement [for] Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students.
3. The total amount of Emergency Financial Aid Grants distributed to eligible students under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act is \$636,830 as of 7/31/2020.
4. The estimated total number of 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 is 3,780.
5. The total number of eligible students who have received an Emergency Financial Aid Grant to students under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act is 957 students as of 7/31/2020.
6. The following are the method(s) used by the institution to determine which students receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants and how much they receive under Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act.

SPRING 2020 BUDGETS FOR CALCULATION OF CARES ACT GRANT

The following are baseline budget models for student expenses related emergency aid due to Covid19 disruption. Actual grants will be made using the institution's allocation policy.

Dependent students and independent students with no dependents or spouse:

Purchase of additional books or content material for study and research / phone / phone service / computer / other expenses: Highest grant amount 150.

Independent student with dependents including spouse: Food and Non-Food Household Items including health care products - \$1,200, assistance with housing costs –\$1,000, purchase of additional books or content material for study and research/phone/phone service/computer – 150: Highest grant amount \$2,350.

INSTITUTIONAL ALLOCATION POLICY CARES ACT HIGHER EDUCATION EMERGENCY

RELIEF 18004a (1): Only Title IV eligible students will receive support from this program as per Department of Education guidance. All Title IV Dependent students and all Independent students with no spouse or dependents will receive an Emergency Student Aid grant of 150 towards the standard budget for student cost of attendance expenses related to the Covid19 disruption. All Independent students with dependents, including spouse, will receive an Emergency Student Aid grant of 300 towards the standard budget for student cost of attendance expenses related to the Covid19 disruption. Due to the Covid19 disruption, some Independent students with dependents including spouse may experience reductions and losses in other resources and support, which would have helped cover basic living expenses - food, housing, etc. Therefore, the institution will provide HEERF 18004a(1) funds to enable students in this category to cover their food, housing, and material costs in an amount estimated to equal to the resources they might have had access to if not for the Covid19 disruption, up to a maximum of 2,350.

7. The following are the instructions, directions, or guidance provided by the institution to students concerning the Emergency Financial Aid Grants:

Students are receiving letters specifying the use of CARES grants as follows:

Cares is meant to help with cost of attendance expenses due to disruption of campus operations from Covid19 (including food, rent, books, childcare, transportation, etc.).