

Independence Community College has been working diligently during these unprecedented times to assist its students in overcoming the obstacles and challenges presented by the disruption of campus operations due to the Coronavirus. To further our goal, ICC has accepted Higher Education Emergency Relief Funds (HEERF) as follows:

HEERF I/CARES (*Coronavirus Aid, Relief & Economic Security Act*): \$746,807, of which \$373,404 is allocated to direct student grant aid*; plus Strengthening Institution Program funding of \$36,392.

HEERF II/CRRSAA (*Coronavirus Response & Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act*): \$1,432.021, of which \$373,404 is allocated to direct student grant aid*; plus Strengthening Institution Program funding of \$59,412.

HEERF III/ARP (*American Rescue Plan*): \$2,446,068, of which \$1,251,585 is allocated to direct student grant aid*; plus Strengthening Institution Program funding of \$105,456.

During the third quarter of 2021 (7/01/2021 to 9/30/2021), ICC issued direct student grant aid as follows:

125 students during the Summer 2021 Second Session. ICC estimates 170 students were eligible during the term.

603 students during the Fall 2021 Full & First Session terms. ICC estimates 724 students were eligible during the term.

Students were awarded based on the Awarding Policy for HEERF III for Summer 2021 and Fall 2021 terms. The full policies are <u>available online</u> at www.indycc.edu/cares-act and www.indycc.edu/financial-aid/cares.

Actively enrolled students are not required to apply for direct student aid. All eligible students are evaluated and issued awards based on the relevant awarding policy.

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*ICC has signed and return to the U.S. Department of Education a Certificate and Agreement assuring the Department that ICC has used, or intends to use, no less than the required amount of funds received to provide HEERF grants to students.