

Healing Hands School of Holistic Health
COVID-19 Emergency Assistance Grants to Students
From Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund (HEERF)
July 29, 2020 Report

The Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act includes a Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund (HEERF) that provides emergency funding to higher education. Healing Hands School of Holistic Health has signed and returned the Certification and Agreement form to the Department of Education. Following Section 18004(a)(1) of the CARES Act to provide Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students, Healing Hands School intends to use the funds to provide the mandated amount of at least 50% of the emergency financial aid grants to students.

- The total amount of funds that the institution has received under the HEERF student portion: \$91,899
- Of those funds, the total amount that has been distributed to students as of the date of reporting: As of July 29, 2020, \$63,487.50 has been disbursed to students. The application to request Emergency Assistance Grants is still open for students to submit.
- 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 therefore eligible to receive an emergency financial aid grant: We estimate 250 students could be eligible.
- The total number of students who have received an emergency financial aid grant: As of July 29, 2020, the total number of students who have received an Emergency Assistance Grant is 88. The application to request Emergency Assistance Grants is still open for students to submit.
- How the institution determined which students will receive emergency financial aid grants and how much funding they will receive: On June 10, 2020, current students were emailed a letter and COVID-19 Emergency Assistance Grant Application. This fund is reserved for students who are eligible to receive federal financial aid and are actively enrolled in a program at Healing Hands. Students were instructed to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) if they had not already completed one. Emergency Assistance Grant award amounts will be based on program completion progress, the FAFSA, and data from the Emergency Assistance Grant Application.
- Any instructions, directions, or guidance provided by the institution to students concerning the emergency financial aid grants: On June 10, 2020, current students were emailed a letter and COVID-19 Emergency Assistance Grant Application. On July 17, 2020, students who had submitted a COVID-19 Emergency Assistance Grant Application but had not yet completed a FAFSA were emailed a reminder to do so.