

## **Mount Aloysius College**

**Grant PR/AWARD NUMBER P425E202154**

### **Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund (HEERF) Student Aid Report ending 6/30/2021**

**The Certification and Agreement for the CRRSAA funds requires that each institution applying for HEERF funds provide a detailed accounting of the use and expenditure of the funds.**

- 1. An acknowledgement that the institution signed and returned to the Department 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 HEERF to provide Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students.**

Mount Aloysius College reviewed, signed, and returned the U.S. Department of Education's Certification and Agreement for Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students. In keeping with the terms of the certification, Mount Aloysius College will use no less than 50 percent of the funds received under CRRSAA to provide Emergency Financial Aid Grants directly to students.

- 2. The total amount of funds that the institution will receive or has received from the Department pursuant to the institution's Certification and Agreement for Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students under CRRSAA programs.**

Mount Aloysius College will receive a total of \$816,504.00 to be provided directly to students impacted by campus disruptions due to the Covid -19 crisis.

- 3. The total amount of Emergency Financial Aid Grants distributed to students under CRRSAA as of the date of submission.**

Of these funds, \$816,504.00 has been distributed/awarded to students as of 6/30/2021.

**4. The estimated total number of students at the institution that are eligible to receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students under CRRSAA.**

The estimated total number of Mount Aloysius College students eligible to receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students under CRRSAA is 956.

**5. The total number of students who have received an Emergency Financial Aid Grant to students under CRRSAA.**

There were 956 students who qualified and received Emergency Financial Aid Grants under CRRSAA.

**6. The method(s) used by the institution to determine which students receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants and how much they would receive under CRRSAA.**

The U.S. Department of Education and CRRSAA have provided higher education institutions with discretion on how to award the emergency assistance to students. The Secretary of Education encouraged institutions to prioritize funding for those students with the greatest need, while also distributing grants as widely as possible for maximum impact.

The grant award was based on student status (full time vs part time) and financial need based on the amount of the student's Spring 2020 Pell award, if any. Depending on their status (FT vs PT) and their Pell award, each student received a minimum of \$200 and maximum of \$739.

**7. Any instructions, directions, or guidance provided by the institution to students concerning the Emergency Financial Aid Grants.**

As noted above, the emergency financial aid grants for students are being provided to students whose lives have been disrupted, many of whom are facing financial challenges and struggling to make ends. Guidance from the Department of Education indicates that these funds are being provided to students "to cover expenses related to the disruption of campus operations due to coronavirus (including eligible expenses under a student's cost of attendance, such as food, housing, course materials, technology, health care, and child care)." Any instructions, directions, or guidance provided by Mount Aloysius to students concerning an emergency financial aid grant was supplied via email and letter.