

CRRSA HEERF Report-Ending June 30, 2021

OSU fully expended all funds as of June 30, 2021. The numbers below are the final required reporting and cover all HEERF fund expenditures for 314(a)(1) Student Portion funds.

- On December 27, 2020, the President signed the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA) (P.L. 116-260). The CRRSAA requires that an institution receiving funding under section 314(a)(1) provide the “same amount” in financial aid grants to students from the new CRRSAA funds that it was required or which it would have been required to provide under its original CARES Act Student Aid Portion award.
- OSU received \$8,383,295 from the Department of Education pursuant to the Certification and Agreement [for] Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students.
- OSU distributed \$8,383,295 in Financial Aid Grants to students under Section 314(a)(1) of the CRRSA Act.
- There are an estimated 17,000 students at OSU 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 314(a)(1) of the CRRSA Act.
- 8,111 OSU students received an Emergency Financial Aid Grant under Section 314(a)(1) of the CRRSA Act.
- OSU gave \$1,000 grants to students via block grants or an application process.
 - Block grants were given to all Pell eligible students
 - Non-Pell eligible students were asked to complete an online application verifying that they had been financially impacted by COVID-19.
 - A campus-wide email was sent to all students, faculty, and staff on April 15, 2021, notifying them of the availability of the emergency grants and giving instructions to log into the student portal and complete the application.
 - Student’s overall financial need as determined by the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) was taken into consideration.