



State by State: Higher Education Emergency Relief in 2021

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State	Colleges and Universities	Number of Students who Received Emergency Aid Grants	Total Funding for Emergency Financial Aid Grants	Average HEERF Student Emergency Financial Award Amount
Alabama	65	237,692	\$391,906,000	\$1,650
Alaska	9	11,601	\$15,546,000	\$1,340
Arizona	60	297,486	\$377,976,000	\$1,280
Arkansas	70	124,180	\$175,151,000	\$1,420
California	463	1,715,419	\$2,586,376,000	\$1,510
Colorado	65	170,653	\$258,003,000	\$1,520
Connecticut	46	190,287	\$198,190,000	\$1,050
Delaware	11	33,665	\$44,608,000	\$1,330
District of Columbia	17	45,086	\$79,822,000	\$1,780
Florida	223	673,560	\$1,223,719,000	\$1,820
Georgia	101	389,401	\$522,669,000	\$1,350
Hawaii	17	27,784	\$45,135,000	\$1,630
Idaho	24	64,950	\$75,428,000	\$1,170
Illinois	198	473,691	\$699,671,000	\$1,480
Indiana	66	258,576	\$375,977,000	\$1,460
Iowa	71	126,357	\$195,892,000	\$1,560
Kansas	64	126,360	\$181,138,000	\$1,440
Kentucky	63	176,906	\$256,125,000	\$1,450
Louisiana	81	196,479	\$294,691,000	\$1,500
Maine	32	38,828	\$68,016,000	\$1,760
Maryland	64	194,466	\$328,082,000	\$1,690
Massachusetts	117	271,375	\$426,040,000	\$1,570
Michigan	112	396,037	\$563,134,000	\$1,430
Minnesota	85	215,587	\$313,959,000	\$1,460
Mississippi	42	151,539	\$253,737,000	\$1,680
Missouri	113	237,312	\$356,103,000	\$1,510
Montana	24	48,154	\$54,699,000	\$1,140



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Nebraska	35	71,614	\$111,723,000	\$1,570
Nevada	21	80,196	\$105,193,000	\$1,320
New Hampshire	26	61,825	\$87,163,000	\$1,410
New Jersey	108	283,993	\$528,209,000	\$1,860
New Mexico	26	92,967	\$120,841,000	\$1,300
New York	363	807,510	\$1,353,457,000	\$1,680
North Carolina	134	416,463	\$626,502,000	\$1,510
North Dakota	20	37,186	\$39,640,000	\$1,070
Ohio	198	356,004	\$587,285,000	\$1,650
Oklahoma	82	160,150	\$241,140,000	\$1,510
Oregon	58	147,167	\$161,166,000	\$1,100
Pennsylvania	243	485,886	\$748,455,000	\$1,550
Puerto Rico	97	213,568	\$436,168,000	\$2,050
Rhode Island	15	55,33	\$109,190,000	\$1,980
South Carolina	62	218,331	\$283,543,000	\$1,300
South Dakota	23	37,453	\$56,627,000	\$1,520
Tennessee	120	277,709	\$56,627,000	\$1,550
Texas	259	1,026,792	\$1,586,862,000	\$1,550
Utah	37	180,561	\$209,318,000	\$1,160
Vermont	18	22,312	\$38,694,000	\$1,740
Virginia	108	306,054	\$412,213,000	\$1,350
Washington	80	147,366	\$345,073,000	\$2,350
West Virginia	52	74,783	\$93,465,000	\$1,250
Wisconsin	72	193,416	\$303,173,000	\$1,570
Wyoming	8	17,401	\$25,651,000	\$1,480

Notes: The purpose of these tables is to provide 1) total and average dollar amounts of Emergency Financial Aid Grants and 2) counts of schools and individuals aggregated by state of institutions where Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund (HEERF) grants were administered. To the extent that



individual HEERF grantees are enrolled at different locations or via distance education, these counts and amounts do not represent the location of students or schools supported by HEERF grants, but rather the central locations from which HEERF funds were disbursed.

Institutions were assigned to states based on the state designation on grant application forms.

The counts of institutions represent the counts of unique OPEIDs. In a small number of cases, multiple entities with unique grantee identifiers (DUNS numbers) were associated with the same OPEID.

The counts of students represent the unduplicated count of students enrolled in the calendar year of 2021 as reported by the institution on the 2022 HEERF APR. The student enrollment count differs from other commonly used enrollment counts such as those reported in IPEDS. For example, the counts of students presented in the tables are based on a calendar year (rather than an academic year or a fall census date) and include non-credit students (rather than only students that take courses for credit).

The counts of students who received Emergency Financial Aid Grants are based on institution-reported data for the calendar year 2021. The amount of Emergency Financial Aid Grants dispersed in the amount expended on other categories of HEERF funding also represent amounts dispersed for calendar year 2021.

Enrollment counts were de-duplicated in observations where multiple DUNS numbers with matching enrollment counts were mapped to a single OPEID.

HEERF emergency financial aid grant recipient counts were de-duplicated in observations where multiple DUNS numbers with matching enrollment and recipient counts were mapped to a single OPEID.

For one grantee that reported the same number of recipients as dollars awarded, recipient counts were suppressed for data quality with the assumption that dollar amounts were reported twice instead of recipient counts