

General Information posted to <https://pmi.edu/pdf/covid-19/information>

Dear Pima Medical Institute Students;

Pima Medical Institute has received and will allocate funds from the Higher Education Emergency Relief Funds (HEERF) as part of the Federal Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act directly to students (CARES Grant). Students that were enrolled and active in a campus based program at Pima Medical Institute on March 13, 2020, and can attest to incurring expenses resulting from the interruption of campus operations are eligible for the CARES Grant.

Pima Medical Institute will disburse the CARES grant to eligible students. Under the CARES Act and the regulatory guidance from the Department of Education, Pima Medical Institute will consider the following subset of qualified students:

- A student must have been in an active status on March 13, 2020;
- A student must attest they are or could be eligible to participate in programs under Section 484 in Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended (HEA) [20 USC 1091(a)], may receive emergency financial aid grants;
- A student must be meeting Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) at the time of disbursement;
- A student must be currently active, on an approved Leave of Absences (LOA), or have graduated on or after March 13, 2020;
- A student must sign a Certification and Acknowledgement, indicating eligible expenses were incurred due to the interruption of campus operations due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Expenses can include but are not limited to the cost of food, housing, course materials, technology, health care, and childcare. Certifications and Acknowledgement can be accessed and electronically signed on the PMI Student Portal.

**Important Notice:** To ensure prompt distribution of the CARES Grant, please verify that the address the institution has on file is accurate. You can access information through the Student Portal and make any necessary changes to your information. If applicable, include building or apartment number to ensure prompt delivery. Please make all address changes before completing the Certification and Acknowledgement. The delivery method is based on the document on file with the Institution regarding refund/stipend returns (Check/ACH).

All eligible students will receive the CARES Grant funds while available after receiving the Certification and Attestation. CARES Grant amounts were established based on the estimated number of eligible students and the total amount of funds granted to the institution. Disbursements will be disbursed in two equal payments. The first disbursement will occur within 14 days of receipt of the Certification and Attestation, and the second disbursement will occur on or before July 31, 2020.

Pima Medical Institute is committed to full transparency in this process. Pima Medical Institute staff are ready to assist. Should you need any inquiries regarding the process, please visit <https://pmi.edu/pdf/covid19/cares-act-faqs> or submit your inquiry at <https://pmi.edu/fshelp>.

Sincerely,

Fred Freedman  
President and CEO

## **Pima Medical Institute – CARES Grant Reporting**

Information to will be updated on this website no less than 30 days from receipt of initial funds, and at a minimum of 45 days thereafter.

*Amount of HEERF Grant funds received by the institution:*

*OPE ID 02217100 = \$ 10,642,846.00*

*OPE ID 03678300 = \$ 170,117.00*

*OPE ID 04177100 = \$ 1,046,011.00*

*Estimated number of students eligible for HEERF grant at the institution:*

*OPE ID 02217100 = 6,390*

*OPE ID 03678300 = 108*

*OPE ID 04177100 = 747*

*Amount of HEERF Grant funds disbursed to students as of July 1, 2020*

*OPE ID 02217100 = \$ 2,553,400.00*

*OPE ID 03678300 = \$ 238,400.00*

*OPE ID 04177100 = \$ 48,000.00*

*Total number of students who have received the HEERF grant at the institution as of July 1, 2020:*

*OPE ID 02217100 = # 3,004*

*OPE ID 03678300 = # 298*

*OPE ID 04177100 = # 60*

### **WEB LINKS:**

General Information regarding CARES Grant and required reporting:

<https://pmi.edu/pdf/covid-19/information>

Website Q&A:

<https://pmi.edu/pdf/covid-19/cares-act-faqs>