

## **HEERF I, II, and III Quarterly Reporting**

### **Student Portion Quarter 4 – October – December 31, 2021**

#### **The Federal Emergency Grants for Fall 2021**

Coahoma Community College signed and returned to the Department of Education the Certification & Agreement to accept allocated funds from the CRRSAA on January 17, 2021 and ARP on May 13, 2021. Both the CRRSAA and ARP established and funded the Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund II & III (HEERF II & HEERF III) to provide emergency financial aid grants. Coahoma These critical funds help eligible Coahoma Community College students cover expenses related to unanticipated travel, additional technology and course requirements, or other needs related to an emergency situation.

#### **Federal Emergency Aid Grant Reporting:**

As of May 13, 2021 Coahoma Community College has received a total of \$7,024,026 for students to fund the Federal Emergency Financial Aid Grants. The estimated total number of students potentially eligible to be considered to receive Emergency Financial Aid Grants in quarter 4 was 1,702. As of December 31, 2021, \$1,790,441 in funds was disbursed to 1,120 unduplicated students.

#### **Federal Emergency Aid Grant Criteria and Eligibility:**

Coahoma Community College made federal HEERF II & III funds available to currently enrolled degree, non-degree, online and withdrawn students that had submitted a FAFSA. Federal HEERF funds were also made available for CCC students who did not submit a FAFSA or are international. Grant awards were tiered based on the student's EFC, with pell-eligible students receiving the highest priority.

These students must have completed an online HEERF Application to be considered for an award. Students received an email with a link to the application inside their student portal. Award amounts were based on emergency costs that arise due to coronavirus or eligible expenses under a student's cost of attendance, such as food, housing, course materials, technology, health care, and childcare.