

Sent to all potentially eligible students for Summer term on 7/28/2020.

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Hi Student (MHCC ID#: 123456):

You have been identified as a student who may be eligible for emergency grant funds available through the CARES Act Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund (HEERF). MHCC already issued an automatic disbursement of CARES Act funding to eligible students in Spring term of this year (see www.mhcc.edu/0518-2020/), but we are now inviting additional students who may qualify to apply for the remaining funds!

ELIGIBILITY for this portion of the CARES Act emergency grant is limited to students who meet at least the following criteria:

- Have completed a [2020-21 FAFSA](#) (please complete this *before* applying for the CARES funding)
- Are enrolled in Summer 2020 term for at least 1 credit in an aid-eligible degree
- Have NOT already received a disbursement of CARES Act grant funds in Spring 2020
- Can provide a summary of unexpected costs you have had related to the disruption of campus operations due to COVID-19 (receipts or bills will not be required)

APPLY online in the [MyMHCC student portal](#) between July 2 and July 19, 2020. The application can be found on the Financial Aid page as 'CARES Act Emergency Grant Application'. It will only be available during this two-week period.

FUNDS WILL BE AWARDED to eligible students beginning August 3, 2020. Award amounts may vary by student and are not guaranteed. Students who qualify for funds will receive an email notification with more details about the funding at the time it is awarded. Those whose application is not accepted will also be notified by email.

We know that not all students will be eligible for these funds, but there may still be financial support available to you. If you are in need and believe you do not qualify for CARES Act funds, we urge you to fill out the [Student Support Services Request Form](#) on our website or contact the [Student Success Program](#) at successprogram@mhcc.edu.

Stay safe, and keep striving to be your dream!

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