

## **SBLN Monthly Call: April 2020**

April 28, 2020



## **IMLS CARES Act Funding Overview**

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\$30 Million Infusion to Provide Emergency Relief Through State Libraries

Washington, DC—The Institute of Museum and Library Services today announced measures to award the first \$30 million of \$50 million appropriated to the agency in the CARES Act.

The \$30 million in the funding phase announced today will be distributed to all 50 states, the District of Columbia, the U.S. territories, and the Freely Associated States based on population. The agency is allocating these grants through its most significant in-place funding vehicle for all states and territories, State Library Administrative Agencies (SLAAs), who are encouraged to use all available mechanisms to reach museum and tribal partners, as well as traditionally eligible libraries.

These funds are in addition to previously announced measures to support the urgent needs of museums, libraries, their staff, and the communities they serve. On April 6, IMLS authorized new flexibilities for its nearly 1,300 open awards in response to the impact of COVID-19.

"Together, we must address this challenge in the places most affected by coronavirus," said IMLS Director Crosby Kemper. "This pandemic has highlighted the fact that people in rural and tribal communities, as well as those in high-poverty areas or remote regions lacking access to broadband, have been disproportionately affected. We must target these funds to provide job, health, economic, and other high-impact relief, and this funding round focuses on providing efficient, urgent help to citizens across the nation."

States and territories will be able to use the funds to expand digital network access, purchase internet accessible devices, and provide technical support services to citizens to address digital inclusion efforts and related technical support, using the following types of data to prioritize efforts:

- Poverty/Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP);
- · Unemployment; and
- Broadband availability.

https://www.imls.gov/news/imls-announces-new-stimulus-funding-communities-across-america





#### **State Allotment Table**

Total Distributed to States:	\$30,000,000			
	Federal Funds	State Matching		
State	from IMLS (66%) (1), (2)	Funds (34%) (3)	TENNESSEE	\$617,074.00
			TEXAS	\$2,620,024.00
ALABAMA	\$443,044.00		UTAH	\$289,686.00
ALASKA	\$66,102.00		VERMONT	\$56,384.00
ARIZONA	\$657,694.00		VIRGINIA	\$771,257.00
ARKANSAS	\$272,684.00		WASHINGTON	\$688,070.00
CALIFORNIA	\$3,570,265.00		WEST VIRGINIA	\$161,936.00
COLORADO	\$520,351.00		WISCONSIN	\$526,106.00
CONNECTICUT	\$322,154.00		WYOMING	\$52.297.00
DELAWARE	\$87,988.00	\$0.00	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	\$63,771.00
FLORIDA	\$1,940,696.00	\$0.00	PUERTO RICO	\$288,577.00
GEORGIA	\$959,374.00	\$0.00	AMERICAN SAMOA	\$4,467.00
HAWAII	\$127,936.00		NORTHERN MARIANAS	\$4,647.00
IDAHO	\$161,477.00	\$0.00	GUAM	\$15,224.00
ILLINOIS	\$1,145,007.00	\$0.00	VIRGIN ISLANDS	\$9,599.00
INDIANA	\$608,313.00	\$0.00	MARSHALL ISLANDS	\$7,040.00
IOWA	\$285,087.00	\$0.00	MICRONESIA	\$9,256.00
KANSAS	\$263,243.00	\$0.00	PALAU	\$1,959.00
KENTUCKY	\$403,692.00	\$0.00	Total	\$30,000,000.00
LOUISIANA	\$420,058.00	\$0.00	Total	450,000,000.00
MAINE	\$121,461.00	\$0.00		
MARYLAND	\$546,279.00	\$0.00		
MASSACHUSETTS	\$622,796.00	\$0.00	(1) These IMLS Federal funds (allotments) are calculated using	
MICHIGAN	\$902,397.00	\$0.00	population figures from the Bureau of the Census (BOC) published in December 2019. For these funds, there was no base amount. Population data is pulled from the BOC. Data used in the state allotment table are calculated based on the most recent Census data available at the time of the grant award notification. Therefore, the population data used in the FY2020 table is what was available on the BOC website https://www2.census.gov/programs-surveys/popest/tables/2010-	
MINNESOTA	\$509,589.00	\$0.00		
MISSISSIPPI	\$268,920.00	\$0.00		
MISSOURI	\$554,569.00	\$0.00		
MONTANA	\$96,573.00	\$0.00		
NEBRASKA	\$174,790.00	\$0.00		
NEVADA	\$278,318.00	\$0.00		
NEW HAMPSHIRE	\$122,861.00		2019/state/totals/nst-est2019-01.xlsx as	THE COMMENT OF STATE OF STATES
NEW JERSEY	\$802,581.00		Population data for American Samoa, N	orthern Marianas, Guam, Virgin
NEW MEXICO	\$189,466.00	\$0.00	Islands, Marshall Islands, Federated Sta	tes of Micronesia, and Palau is
NEW YORK	\$1,757,794.00		used from the Census International Programs International Database. https://www.census.gov/data-tools/demo/idb/informationGateway.php This table reflects what was available as of December 2019.	
NORTH CAROLINA	\$947,687.00			
NORTH DAKOTA	\$68,860.00			
OHIO	\$1,056,209.00			
OKLAHOMA	\$357.546.00		(O) LARM NA CLE COLOR IN COLOR	1. (0) Malatana
OREGON	\$381,108.00	5000000	(2) With Match waived in accordance with (3), Maintenance of Effort (MOE) distribution is omitted from this allotment formula.	
PENNSYLVANIA	\$1,156,768.00		(MOE) distribution is omitted from this al	ioument iormula.
RHODE ISLAND	\$95,722.00			
COLUMN CARCALINA	0.00,722.00	00.00	(3) Waived pursuant to P.L. 116-136.	

PDF: https://www.imls.gov/sites/default/files/caresactallotmenttablefy2020.pdf

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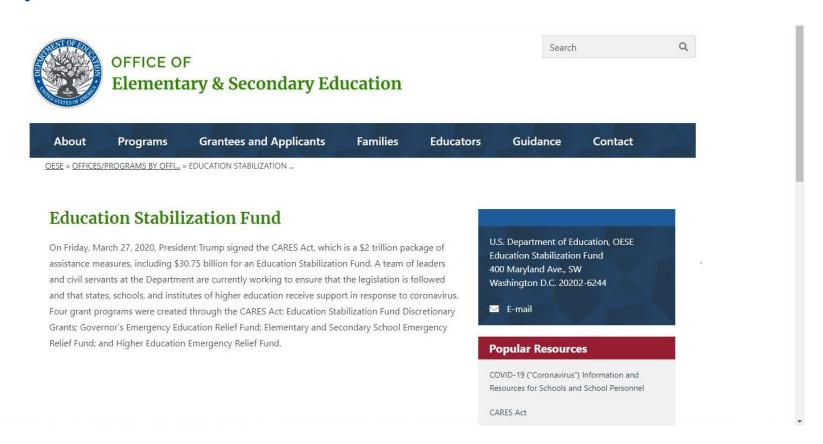
## **Department of Education CARES Funding Update**

<u>Education Stabilization Fund Information</u> website outlines the programs available: <a href="https://oese.ed.gov/offices/education-stabilization-fund/">https://oese.ed.gov/offices/education-stabilization-fund/</a>





#### Department of Education; Education Stabilization Fund



https://oese.ed.gov/offices/education-stabilization-fund/





## **CARES Act Funding Areas**

Governor's Emergency Education Relief Fund **Education Stabilization Fund Discretionary Grants** Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund Outlying-Areas

https://oese.ed.gov/offices/education-stabilization-fund/





## Governor's Emergency Education Relief Fund

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PROGRAM OFFICE EDUCATION STABILIZATION FUND

CFDA NUMBER 84.425C

PROGRAM TYPE Formula Grant

Congress set aside approximately \$3 billion of the \$30.75 billion allotted to the Education Stabilization Fund through the CARES Act for the Governor's Emergency Education Relief Fund (GEERF). The Department will award these grants to States (governor's offices) based on a formula stipulated in the legislation. (1) 60% on the basis of the State's relative population of individuals aged 5 through 24. (2) 40% on the basis of the State's relative number of children counted under section 1124(c) of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (ESEA).

If you have any questions Email: GEERF@ed.gov

# Governor's Emergency Education Relief Fund Outlying-Areas Education Stabilization Fund Discretionary Grants Governor's Emergency Education Relief Fund Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund

https://oese.ed.gov/offices/education-stabilization-fund/governors-emergency-education-relief-fund/





#### **Education Stabilization Fund Discretionary Grants**

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PROGRAM OFFICE EDUCATION STABILIZATION FUND
CFDA NUMBER 84.425B (REM) and 84.425G (RWP)

PROGRAM TYPE Discretionary Grant

Congress set aside 1% of the \$30.75 billion allotted to the Education Stabilization Fund through the CARES Act for grants to States with the highest coronavirus burden. The Department will make these grants available to States most affected by coronavirus through two separate grant competitions.

The Education Stabilization Fund-Rethink K12 Education Models Grants (ESF-REM Grants) provide support to State educational agencies (SEAs) in States with the highest coronavirus burden to address specific educational needs of students, their parents, and teachers in public and non-public elementary and secondary schools in accordance with section 18001(a)(3) of the CARES Act.

Questions for ESF-REM may go to: ESF-REM@ED.gov

The Education Stabilization Fund-Reimagining Workforce Preparation Grants (ESF-RWP Grants) provide support to help States leverage the power of entrepreneurship to create new educational opportunities and pathways that help citizens return to work, small businesses recover, and new entrepreneurs thrive. These programs also build new capacity within the state to offer short-term postsecondary programs that are responsive to the needs of individuals to more rapidly adapt and evolve to ever changing workplace and community needs. This funding opportunity is offered under section 18001(a)(3) of Division B of the CARES Act.

Information for ESF-RWP is managed by the Office of Career, Technical, and Adult Education (OCTAE) at: <a href="https://cte.ed.gov/grants/funding-opportunities">https://cte.ed.gov/grants/funding-opportunities</a>

Questions for ESF-RWP may go to: ESF-RWP@ED.gov

https://oese.ed.gov/offices/education-stabilization-fund/states-highest-coronavirus-burden/



#### Education Stabilization Fund Discretionary Grants

Outlying-Areas

Education Stabilization Fund Discretionary

Governor's Emergency Education Relief

Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund

#### Resources

Notice Inviting Applications (REM)

Notice Inviting Applications (RWP)

Coronavirus Burden Table (REM)





#### Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund

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#### Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund

PROGRAM OFFICE EDUCATION STABILIZATION FUND

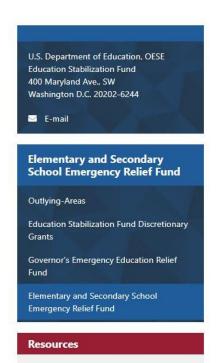
CFDA NUMBER 84.425D
PROGRAM TYPE Formula Grant

Congress set aside approximately \$13.2 billion of the \$30.75 billion allotted to the Education Stabilization Fund through the CARES Act for the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund (ESSER Fund). The Department will award these grants to State educational agencies (SEAs) for the purpose of providing local educational agencies (LEAs), including charter schools that are LEAs, with emergency relief funds to address the impact that COVID-19 has had, and continues to have, on elementary and secondary schools across the Nation.

ESSER Fund awards to SEAs are in the same proportion as each State received funds under Part A of Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, as amended, in fiscal year 2019.

If you have any questions Email: ESSERF@ED.gov

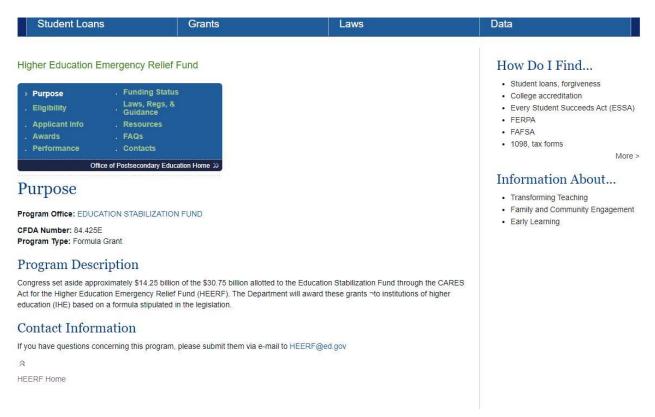
https://oese.ed.gov/offices/education-stabilization-fund/elementary-secondary-school-emergency-relief-fund/







## **Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund**



https://www2.ed.gov/programs/heerf/index.html





## **Federal Updates**

- NTIA
  - NTIA Recently updated the Federal funding search section of the BroadbandUSA website with FY20 programs and funding levels by agency.
    - Link: <a href="https://broadbandusa.ntia.doc.gov/new-fund-search">https://broadbandusa.ntia.doc.gov/new-fund-search</a>
- USDA
  - USDA will began receiving applications for the Digital Learning and Telemedicine grant funds earlier this month. USDA, also, recently released its COVID-19.
    - Link: <a href="https://www.rd.usda.gov/sites/default/files/USDA\_COVID-19\_Fed\_Rural\_Resource\_Guide.pdf">https://www.rd.usda.gov/sites/default/files/USDA\_COVID-19\_Fed\_Rural\_Resource\_Guide.pdf</a>
  - More information on what USDA is doing to support communities affected by COVID-19 can be found on the Department's website.
    - Link: <a href="https://www.usda.gov/coronavirus">https://www.usda.gov/coronavirus</a>





## **Federal Updates Continued**

- FCC
  - The FCC has had over 700 companies and associations sign onto its Keep Americans Connected Pledge.
    - https://www.fcc.gov/keep-americans-connected
  - The FCC, also, recently announced that it established its \$200 million COVID-19 Telehealth Program. The Commission began receiving applications for that program on April 13<sup>th</sup> and will continue to accept and review applications on a rolling basis. More information can be found on the FCC's COVID-19 page.
    - https://www.fcc.gov/coronavirus
  - Items of note include:
    - Several deadlines for the Lifeline Program have been extended.
    - Released the <u>2020 Broadband Deployment Report</u> on April 24, 2020: New FCC Report Shows Digital Divide Continuing to Close





## **Final Updates**

- Digital Inclusion Leaders Network (DILN) Call Thursday, April 30, 2020 from 2-3 pm. Email Katherine or Emy Tseng (<a href="mailto:etseng@ntia.gov">etseng@ntia.gov</a>) if interested.
- BBUSA webinar: <u>Using Smart Technologies to Drive Regional</u> <u>Transformation</u> on Wednesday, May 20, 2020 2:00-3:00 pm ET

