HEERF II Reporting Page

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HEERF II – Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act

In accordance with the regulations defined by the U.S. Department of Education, below is information concerning Bay Path University’s participation in the Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund.

The following information is provided per U.S. Department of Education reporting requirements and represents our reporting for these funds.

1. Bay Path University acknowledges that it has signed and returned to the U.S. Department of Education the Certification and Agreement and has used the applicable amount of funds designated under Section 314 (a)(1) of the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act (CRRSAA) program to provide Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students.

2. Bay Path University will receive $715,583 from the Department pursuant to the institution’s Certification and Agreement for Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students under the CRRSAA program.

3. As of March 31, 2021, $0 in Emergency Financial Aid Grants have been awarded or distributed to students under the CRRSAA program.

4. Bay Path will award grant funding following the CRRSAA and guidance from the Department of Education. Unlike the CARES Act, the CRRSAA requires that institutions prioritize students with exceptional need, such as students who receive Pell Grants, and authorizes grants to students exclusively enrolled in online education.

5. The total number of students who have received an Emergency Financial Aid Grant to students under the CRRSAA program as of March 31, 2021 is 0.

6. The University will award the grant to the following groups of students, and under the following conditions:

   a) Spring 2021 enrolled undergraduate students who are in a qualifying degree program, enrolled full or part-time, began enrollment prior to March 31, 2021, have a 2020-2021 FAFSA on file with Bay Path indicating they meet the citizenship requirements, and have an Expected Family Contribution from the FAFSA of less than $5,712.
b) Students enrolled full-time will be awarded a $1,000 grant and students enrolled part-time will be awarded a grant ranging from $250 to $360. Students may not receive more than $1,000 in total HEERF II Grants.

7. Emails were sent to enrolled undergraduate and graduate students on April 16, 2021 providing details of the HEERF II grants with information of how grant funding would be provided. Instructions, answers to frequently asked questions, and eligibility requirements were included on the University website.

8. Students who had an outstanding tuition balance could request through the “HEERF II Grant Authorization Form” to have the applied to their outstanding balance. Bay Path must have the student’s consent to apply grant funds to a current outstanding tuition balance.