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## SSARP EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE APPLICATION

January 31, 2022, the Department announced \$198 million in new awards under the Supplemental Support under the American Rescue Plan. SSARP is authorized by the American Rescue Plan (ARP), Public Law 117-2, signed into law on March 11, 2021, providing \$39.6 billion in support to institutions of higher education to serve students and ensure learning continues during the COVID-19 pandemic.

ARP funds are in addition to funds authorized by the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA), Public Law 116-260 and the Coronavirus Aid, Recovery, and Economic Security (CARES) Act, Public Law 116-136.

Through the SSARP, limited grant funds assist public and private nonprofit institutions that have the greatest unmet need related to the coronavirus, as determined by the secretary after allocating available funds under HEERF III, including institutions with large populations of graduate students who otherwise did not receive a HEERF allocation under the American Rescue Plan Act, 2021. Funds may be used for any component of a student's Cost of Attendance or for emergency costs that arise due to coronavirus such as tuition, food, housing, health care (including mental health care) or childcare. **Institutions are required to prioritize grants to students with exceptional financial need, as determined by the Department of Education.**

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name

First Name

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Local Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Alternative Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

You are submitting this form to request emergency assistance due to special circumstances cause by the COVID 19 pandemic. Please review and indicate below which special circumstance applies to you.

### SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES FOR CONSIDERATION

The requested funds are for the following:

Amount requested:

- |  |          |
|--|----------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tuition*                        | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Housing and moving expenses     | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Technology /Course Materials    | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation                  | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Childcare                       | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Healthcare and medical expenses | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please explain)          | \$ _____ |

Total Requested: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Please briefly explain the emergency cost that have arisen due to coronavirus you would like considered. Include a brief description of your circumstances and your primary need as a result of COVID-19.**

**Supporting Documentation**

Eligibility for funding is determined by the discretion of the Director of Financial Aid. As such, you will be required to provide documentation for certain expenses for approval of funds. Supporting documentation (receipts) is needed for the expenses listed above. Examples of documentation to support your claim include: rental/lease agreement, invoices, receipts or mileage calculations. If you cannot provide documentation for a category, please attach a separate document explaining why. We will only consider requests for categories that are supported by documentation or an explanation. Based on my signature, I understand that the funds received may be taxable income according to the U.S. Department of the Treasury/IRS on reporting requirements.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Consent to apply grant to students outstanding account balance (optional)**

I hereby affirmatively consent to allow NUNM to apply this grant directly to my institutional account to cover tuition costs owed to the school.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**ADMINISTRATION USE ONLY**

Emergency Assistance  Approved  Denied.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for denial \_\_\_\_\_