

## **HUNTINGDON COUNTY**

## Career and Technology Center

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## **CARES ACT Funding Notice**

The Huntingdon County Career and Technology Center applied for and was awarded federal funding under the Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students - Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act.

Below is information, certification, and assurances from HCCTC on how CARES funding was awarded, distributed, and utilized:

- 1. HCCTC applied for and was awarded both emergency funding for students (Stimulus grant funding)
- 2. HCCTC certifies that a minimum of 50% of initial round CARES funds will be utilized as direct payments to its students as direct stimulus funding to assist students with COVID-19 impacts.

The amount of funding directed to HCCTC Practical Nursing students is \$22,792.00.

- 3. The second half of initial higher education CARES funding is planned for being utilized for institutional expenses and offset income to mitigate negative impacts from COVID-19. Funds have been utilized to purchase and implement distance education platforms.
- 4. CARES student stimulus funding was directed to only Title IV eligible students.
- 5. A total of Eighteen (18) students are receiving CARES stimulus funding.
- 6. Methodology for receiving CARES student stimulus funding included:
- Recipients had to active students currently enrolled the Practical Nursing Program when the school campus closed and switched to distance education on March 13th, 2020.
- 7. Guidance was provided to student CARES recipients as to the source, purpose, and nature of the federal higher education CARES funding. This guidance was provided in a letter of purpose signed by Laura Hicks, Adult Education Coordinator. The cover letter was attached to the student stimulus grant check.