

**Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act (CRRSAA) and
American Rescue Plan Act (ARP)
STUDENT PORTION
THIRD QUARTERLY REPORT
July 1 – September 30, 2021**

In compliance with the requirements of the Federal Department of Education of the public reporting requirements for Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students under the **Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (CRRSAA)** and **American Rescue Plan Act, 2021 (ARP)** section (a)(1) and (a)(4) programs, the University of Puerto Rico at Arecibo present this report:

The UPR at Arecibo as institution of higher education that already had an award under the student and institutional portion of the Cares Act, would not need to submit additional applications to access these funds. Rather, they would automatically process the additional funds of CRRSAA and ARPA as supplements to existing grants number P425E200779.

1. The University of Puerto Rico at Arecibo received awards under CRRSAA, it does not need to apply for funding, and received their ARP grant funding through a supplemental award.
2. The allocation of funds is **\$11,195,711 under Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, (CRRSAA) 2021** and of that amount at least **\$3,842,368** will be available for Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students. Under the **American Rescue Plan Act, 2021 (ARP)** the amount is **\$19,538,227**, of which **\$9,769,114** must be assigned as the minimum amount to be awarded in emergency aid to eligible students.
3. During **July 1 to September 30, 2021** a total of **\$47,184.62** was disbursed from **CRRSAA** in grants to **37 students** and **\$5,190,400** from **ARP**. This amount was distributed to **2,980 students** enrolled during the spring semester of the 2020-2021 academic year and **2856** students enrolled during the fall semester of the 2021-2022 academic year.
4. As of September 30, 2021, the University of Puerto Rico in Arecibo has already distributed of CRRSAA a cumulative total of **\$3,740,557.87** to **3,012 eligible students** as an Emergency Financial Aid Grant under the **CRRSAA, Pub. L. 116-260 (Dec. 27, 2020)** and **ARP** funds a **\$5,190,400** have been disbursed.
5. The University of Puerto Rico in Arecibo has estimated that **3,095** eligible students will receive a grant of **\$1,241.47** under **CRRSAA** Since this is an estimate, **any undistributed funds will be allocated equally through all eligible students** on or before November 30, 2021. Under **ARPA**, UPR will award an equal amount of funds to eligible students enrolled in the spring semester of the 2021-2022 academic year for which such funds may be applicable.
6. Additional general information was available to students through the webpage <http://upra.edu/cares-act/> , the Financial Aid Office and in the following link: [CRRSAA - ARPA\FAQ-arpfaq 11MAY21.pdf](#)

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