

**American Rescue Plan Act
Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund III
June 30, 2021**

On March 11, 2021, the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA), was passed to provide additional relief to address the continued impact of Covid-19. ARPA funds provided \$39.6 billion in support to higher education institutions to serve students.

Clarion University was allocated \$4,932,944 under Section 2003(7) of the ARP Act designated for distribution to students which may be used for cost of attendance components or for emergency costs that arise due to COVID-19.

Decisions regarding the distribution of funds is ongoing and will be communicated with students via their Clarion University email once available.