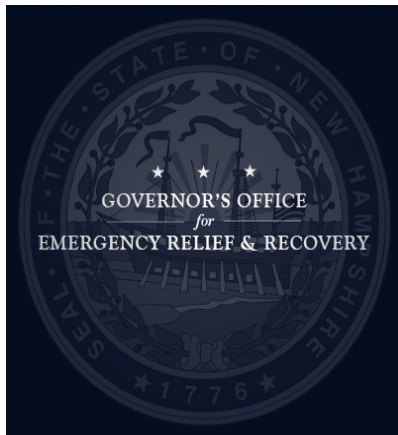


Governor's Office for Emergency Relief & Recovery
New Hampshire Community College Tuition Assistance Program Overview



Governor Chris Sununu has authorized the expenditure of \$6 million from the CARES Act Coronavirus Relief Fund (“flex funds”) for the CCSNH Tuition Assistance Program, which will allow CCSNH to provide assistance to New Hampshire students who have faced COVID-19 related economic impacts.

Grants are available to students that need assistance to meet tuition and fees at New Hampshire’s community colleges for the fall semester. In order to be eligible, students must be a New Hampshire resident and show a financial impact related to COVID-19, such as a reduction in household income or increased expenses. Funding will be available for both current and incoming students. The Community College System of NH (CCSNH) is creating a simple form that current and prospective students can use to demonstrate eligibility. The form will be accessible at www.ccsnh.edu/Fall and on the individual community college websites. CCSNH expects to have the tuition assistance application form available the week of July 20.

Students at NH community colleges enroll in associate degree and certificate programs as well as short-term certification programs and courses designed to upskill graduates for professional advancement. Tuition assistance is available for credit and non-credit offerings.

A listing of programs can be found at <https://www.ccsnh.edu/admissions/academic-programs-at-a-glance/>. Non-credit programs are listed on each college’s website.

While CCSNH finalizes the tuition assistance application, students/prospective students can:

1. Complete a FAFSA if they have not done so already.
2. Prepare documentation that demonstrates financial hardship due to COVID, such as a reduction in income or an increase in household expenses. (Additional guidance will be forthcoming.)
3. If not already registered, explore programs and courses on the college websites, accessible from <https://www.ccsnh.edu/>

For more information visit <https://www.ccsnh.edu/goferr/>