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**Title:** Evans: \$82 Million in Federal Funding Going to 16 Philly Higher-Ed Institutions

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PHILADELPHIA (April 17, 2020) – Congressman Dwight Evans (PA-03) today announced more than \$82 million in federal funding will go to 16 higher-education institutions in the 3rd Congressional District, with at least \$41 million of that dedicated to emergency financial aid grants for students.

“Federal funding is continuing to come to the district as a result of the CARES Act, which I voted for on March 27. And I’m continuing to work to make sure that help gets to the individuals and families, small businesses and health-care providers who need it as quickly as possible,” Evans said.

The recipients are:

<b>School</b>	<b>Total Allocation</b>	<b>Minimum Allocation to be Awarded for Emergency Financial Aid Grants to Students</b>
Chestnut Hill College	\$1,574,651	\$787,326
Community College of Philadelphia	\$16,102,431	\$8,051,216
Curtis Institute of Music	\$86,460	\$43,230
Drexel University	\$13,179,268	\$6,589,634
JNA Institute of Culinary Arts	\$118,411	\$59,206
La Salle University	\$4,277,300	\$2,138,650
Moore College of Art and Design	\$441,674	\$220,837
Peirce College	\$611,389	\$305,695
Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts	\$222,164	\$111,082
Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine	\$863,192	\$431,596
Roxborough Memorial Hospital	\$167,758	\$83,879
Saint Joseph's University	\$2,796,324	\$1,398,162
Temple University	\$28,740,378	\$14,370,189
University of Pennsylvania	\$9,907,683	\$4,953,842
University of the Arts (The)	\$1,825,665	\$912,833
University of the Sciences in Philadelphia	\$1,475,914	\$737,957
TOTAL	\$82,390,662	\$41,195,334

In addition, Empire Beauty Schools in Pennsylvania will receive more than \$8.6 million through the program, of which at least \$4.3 million will be dedicated to emergency grants to students.

The funding is being provided through the CARES Act Higher Education Emergency Relief (HEER) Fund. Evans said Pennsylvania will also receive \$104.4 million through the CARES Act Governor's Emergency Education Relief (GEER) Fund. That funding is a flexible emergency grant designed to enable governors to decide how best to meet the needs of students; schools, including charter schools and non-public schools; post-secondary institutions and other education-related organizations.

Evans represents Pennsylvania's 3rd Congressional District, which includes Northwest and West Philadelphia and parts of North, South, Southwest and Center City Philadelphia.