

## State of Wisconsin Higher Educational Aids Board

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# Monthly Memo

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### Executive Secretary's Message

There have been a lot of questions, especially from the WAICU schools, about Veterans Tuition Remission. The project requires the three sectors, WAICU, WTCS and UWS, to share data so HEAB can accurately keep track of the total number of credits for each veteran across sectors. Additionally, the programming for this project is complicated. That said, we do anticipate that programming will be completed by the end of October. If students qualify for the program the remission will be for the entire semester, no matter the date we complete programming. Finally, continued thanks for the work you do for your students. This is a challenging time for everyone. Stay well.

Connie

### **Processing Schedule**

Notification List 20-21 Distributed Wednesday afternoons. October 7, 14, 21, and 28. November 4, 11, 18, and 25.

#### AES/TES List

October 7, 14, 21, and 28. November 4, 11, 18, and 25.

#### **Voucher Processing**

We will continue to run vouchers on Tuesdays for files uploaded by noon. Vouchers will be run on Fridays if we have requests totaling \$1,000,000 or requests from five schools. A voucher will not be run on Friday, November 27.

October 6, 13, 20, and 27. November 3, 10, 17, and 24.

Special Vouchers (for loan programs) will be processed weekly on Wednesdays.

Please check our <u>website calendar</u> for the most current processing schedule updates.

### **Grant Updates**

20-21 committed and spent as of 10/13/20

	<u>Current</u>	<u>This Time Last Year</u>
	Wisco	onsin Grant – Private, non-profit
Committed	146.30%	154.86%
Spent	39.08%	41.51%
		Wisconsin Grant - Tribal
Committed	148.06%	195.75%
Spent	15.97%	39.01%
		Wisconsin Grant – UW
Committed	123.19%	125.34%
Spent	46.40%	41.73%
		Wisconsin Grant – Technical
Committed	149.02%	174.51%
Spent	36.56%	47.45%

### **Upcoming Events**

**Scheduled HEAB board meetings:** October 30, 2020, February 12, 2021, April 23, 2021, and July 16, 2021.

#### HEAB training dates: Temporarily discontinued due to COVID-19.

If you have any questions, concerns or comments please contact Connie Hutchison at (608) 267-2206 or <u>connie.hutchison@wi.gov</u>. Thank you!