Emergency Assistance for Non-Public Schools (EANS) Program Update #21

Greetings Wisconsin EANS Program Participants and Interested Parties,

CRRSA EANS deadline for purchase order invoices

As mentioned in the last 2 program updates, we have established **July 1, 2023** (11:59 PM) as the last date to submit invoices for payment on a CRRSA future reimbursement. Any future reimbursement not invoiced for payment by this date will be canceled and liquidated. With CRRSA EANS ending on September 30, 2023 we need to be able to start closing out that program's expenditures during the summer of 2023. Having all future reimbursement invoices paid or liquidated by this date will facilitate that process.

Additional details about closing out the CRRSA EANS program will come in future program update emails.

Please contact CESA 6 EANS staff if you have concerns or questions. <u>EANS@cesa6.org</u>

ARP EANS statewide pool

As you know, DPI has established a statewide pool of ARP EANS funds like the pool used for CRRSA EANS in 2022. Schools in the ARP EANS program had until May 5, 2023 to use or encumber their allocated ARP funds for direct service. Any funds not encumbered or used by May 5, 2023 will be pooled into the state-level fund source to support ARP-eligible schools with continued eligible need due to COVID-19.

We can report that participating ARP EANS schools submitted a substantial number of new claims in the weeks leading up to May 5. As such, the statewide pool of available funds will be similar in size to the CRRSA EANS pool. The actual final available pool of funds is still being determined by CESA 6 as they work through the final allocation requests received by May 5.

The new ARP EANS pooled-funds request process will begin at 8 AM on Monday, June 5, 2023. An online application will be available at that time on the CESA 6 EANS website: https://eans.cesa6.org Those claims will be reviewed and approved based upon the extent of need in the school and availability of state-level pooled funds on a first-come, first-served basis.

We and CESA 6 staff are looking forward to a successful ARP EANS pool process that will most likely result in all ARP EANS funds being committed. Any questions on the pool process can be directed to CESA 6.

Best wishes on a positive end to the 22-23 school year!

Sincerely,

DPI EANS staff