

## UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

## PROGRAM MEMORANDUM

**DATE:** February 19, 2025

**TO:** Educational Institutions receiving covid-relief funds

**FROM:** Acting Secretary of Education

RE: Change in covid-relief funding disbursement process

As Acting Secretary of Education, pursuant to, among other authorities, 20 U.S.C. § 1226a-1, 34 C.F.R. § 75.234, 2 C.F.R. part 200, I hereby determine that it is in the best interests of the Department of Education, for the sake of oversight and efficiency, to shift all future payments related to the CARES Act, CRRSA Act, and ARP Act to the department's standard reimbursement payment structure.

Denise Carter

Acting Secretary of Education U.S. Department of Education