

Topical Heading

Higher and Continuing Education

Program Title

Howard University

CFDA # (or ED #)

84.915

Administering Office

Office of Postsecondary Education (OPE)

Who May Apply (specifically)

By law, funds are appropriated specifically for Howard University.

Current Competitions

None. FY 2008 funds support one noncompetitive award.

Type of Assistance (specifically)

This is a direct appropriation.

Appropriations

Fiscal Year 2006 \$237,392,100

Fiscal Year 2007 \$237,392,100

Fiscal Year 2008 \$233,244,762

Fiscal Year 2008 Awards Information

Note: The Department is not bound by any estimates in this notice.

Number of New Awards Anticipated: 1

Note: \$204,298,446 is provided for the university and \$28,946,316 for the hospital.

Legislative Citation

20 U.S.C. 121 *et seq.*

Program Description

Howard University was established in 1867 as a federally chartered, private, nonprofit education institution. As a comprehensive, research-oriented, predominantly African-American university, its mission is to provide a high-quality educational experience at a reasonable cost. The annual appropriation for Howard University provides partial support for construction, development, improvement, endowment, and maintenance of the university and the Howard University Hospital. Howard University has discretion in allocating funds for its academic, research, and endowment programs, and for its construction activities.

Types of Projects

Funding supports three areas:

- Academic Programs—academic programs, research, and construction for the university, including a wide range of administrative, library, computer, and technology resources for the university;
- Endowment Program—matching support to Howard University's endowment, which assists the university in increasing its financial strength and independence by stimulating private contributions; and
- Howard University Hospital—a major acute and ambulatory care center as well as a teaching and training hospital for Washington, D.C.

Education Level (by category)

Postsecondary

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