

To: Schools and Lenders Participating in Health Professions and Nursing Programs Administered by the Division of Student Assistance (DSA)

Subject: Technical Assistance Workshops

HEAL School Policy Memorandum #33

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On October 13, 1992 the President signed Public Law 102-408, the Health Professions Education Extension Amendments of 1992. The new law reflects the first comprehensive revision of the programs administered by DSA in a number of years.

We will be participating in a number of workshops over the next few months to discuss programmatic issues and to identify/respond to your concerns. Workshops scheduled to date include:

January 19, 1993, 8:30am - 12 noon. Omni Charleston Hotel, 130 Market Street, Charleston, SC, (803) 722-4900. HEAL only.

February 8, 1993, 9am - 5pm University of Illinois- Chicago Campus, Inn at University Village, corners of Ashland and Harrison, Chicago, IL. Rooms are available at the Inn, (312) 243-7200. HEAL--am session: campus based programs-- pm session.

February 22, 1993, 1pm - 5pm Washington Marriott, 1221 22nd St, N.W., Washington, D.C. (202) 775-0800. HEAL only.

We appreciate the facilities in Charleston and Washington being made available by the American Association of Medical Colleges. The Chicago workshop is being sponsored by the Coalition of Higher Education Assistance Organizations (COHEAO). We appreciate COHEAO's willingness to sponsor this workshop. You will receive a separate mailing containing more detail on the Chicago session.

In addition, DSA staff will make a presentation addressing both HEAL and campus based programs February 22, 1993, 3:30pm - 4:45pm, at the Sheraton Civic Center Hotel in Birmingham, Alabama. This session is a part of the Southern Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators' yearly meeting.

Participants will be responsible for all costs associated with participation. Participants will also be responsible for making hotel reservations.

If you are going to join any of the sessions, please let us know. It will also be helpful if you will identify concerns/issues that should be addressed. Complete the attached form and return it to us at your earliest convenience.

Best wishes for the holidays and for a healthy and successful New Year.