

**SUMMARY OF CHANGES IN CHARACTERISTICS  
OF ELIGIBLE MAP APPLICANTS BETWEEN FY2019 AND FY2020**

**APPLICATION VOLUME BY SECTOR**

	<u>FY2020</u>	<u>FY2019</u>	
Public Universities	70,680	74,363	-5.0%
Community Colleges	54,587	57,791	-5.5%
Private Universities	132,084	143,263	-7.8%
Health and Professional	2,292	2,363	-3.0%
Proprietary	7,740	8,932	-13.3%
Total	267,383	286,712	-6.7%

Community colleges had the biggest drop in number of applications, but proprietary schools had the biggest percentage drop of applications. Total applications from FY2019 to FY2020 dropped 6.7%.

**APPLICATION BY DEPENDENCY TYPE**

	<u>FY2020</u>	<u>FY2019</u>	
Dependent Students	145,909	152,375	-4.2%
Independent Students	121,474	134,337	-9.6%
Total	267,383	286,712	-6.7%

Percentage of independent students dropped much more than dependent students which is generally the trend when the economy is doing well.

**INCOME LEVELS, IN CURRENT DOLLARS**

	<u>FY2020</u>	<u>FY2019</u>	
Parent Income	\$33,340	\$33,412	-0.2%
Dependent Student Income	\$3,274	\$3,136	4.4%
Independent Student Income	\$18,094	\$17,759	1.9%

Parent income slightly decreased while student income gained for dependents and independents.

**EFCs, IN CURRENT DOLLARS**

	<u>FY2020</u>	<u>FY2019</u>	
Mean Dependent Student EFC	\$1,474	\$1,452	1.5%
Mean Independent Student EFC	\$768	\$728	5.5%
Overall Mean EFC	\$1,153	\$1,112	3.7%

Expected family contribution increased for dependents and independents, with a much higher percentage increase for independents.

**RENEWAL APPLICATIONS**

	<u>FY2020</u>	<u>FY2019</u>	
First-Time Applicants	106,686	110,097	-3.1%
Renewal Applicants	160,697	176,615	-9.0%

Renewal applicants decreased by much more than for first-time applicants.

**ZERO EFC APPLICANTS**

	<u>FY2020</u>	<u>FY2019</u>	
Dependents With EFC=0	72,517	76,645	-5.4%
Independents With EFC=0	88,433	99,141	-10.8%

Dependents and independents with zero EFC decreased, on trend with applications overall.

**MEAN MAP ELIGIBILITY**

	<u>FY2020</u>	<u>FY2019</u>	
Mean Dependent Map Eligibility	3,824	3,524	8.5%
Mean Independent Map Eligibility	3,168	2,959	7.1%
Overall Mean Map Eligibility	3,526	3,259	8.2%

Mean map award is up overall due to the max award increasing and tuition increasing year over year.