TO: Directors of Financial Aid and Grant Reporting Officials  
Public and Private/Independent Institutions of Higher Education  

FROM: DeChà Reid  
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DATE: August 12, 2019  

RE: 2019-20 (FY 2020) Program Guidelines - Work-study Student Mentorship Program (WSMP)  

The 2019-20 program guidelines for the Work-study Student Mentorship Program (WSMP) are enclosed and available on the Student Financial Aid Programs (SFAP) webpage under Program Resources for the applicable program.  

This year, the guidelines include additional information banners and alert boxes that provide examples to assist administrators with common questions or program-specific scenarios. Hyperlinks to the Texas Education Code (TEC) and Texas Administrative Code (TAC) are also included. Using these links helps institutions follow required statutes and rules when administering state financial aid programs.  

The changes made in this year's guidelines will be reviewed on August 13, 2019, at 2:00 p.m. during the monthly Financial Aid Services (FAS) webcast. Information on how to join the webcast can be found on the SFAP webpage under Stay Connected.  

Contact Financial Aid Services at (844) 792-2640 or CONTACT US (select “Financial Aid Question” under Contact Reason) with any questions.  

Enclosed: 2019-20 WSMP Program Guidelines