

Drug Conviction while Receiving Federal Student Aid

Your eligibility (for grants, loans, or work-study) may be suspended if you received a drug conviction while receiving federal student aid. If your eligibility for federal student aid has been suspended due to a drug conviction, you can regain eligibility early by successfully completing an approved drug rehabilitation program or by passing two unannounced drug tests administered by an approved drug rehabilitation program. If you regain eligibility during the award year, notify the Service Central financial aid office immediately so you can get any aid you're eligible for. If you are convicted of a drug-related offense after you submit the FAFSA form, you might lose eligibility for federal student aid, and you might be liable for returning any financial aid you received during a period of ineligibility.

Although every effort is made to keep the financial aid award consistent from year to year, the factors listed above may alter a student's financial aid award significantly.