

EmpowerU qualifies as a SEL/Mental Health program that can be fully -funded under each of these funding options:

FUNDING SOURCE	DESCRIPTION	MORE INFO
ESSER I and II from the American Rescue Plan, Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act, and Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations (CRRSA) Act	<p>Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Funds to provide relief from COVID-19. American Rescue Plan provides \$123B for K-12 Education for COVID-19 relief. Approved March 2021. American Rescue Plan Section 2001 (e) (1): Address learning loss through the implementation of evidence-based interventions...[to] respond to students' academic, social, and emotional needs and address the disproportionate impact of the coronavirus .</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Providing mental health services and supports. • Implementing evidence-based activities to meet the comprehensive needs of students. 	<p>US Dept. of Ed</p> <p>ESSER FAQ</p> <p>ESSER Fact Sheet</p>
GEER and GEER II: Governor's Emergency Education Relief from CARES and CRRSA	Governor's Emergency Education Relief (GEER) funds provide relief from COVID-19.	GEER Fact Sheet
Title Funding	<p>Funds available through ESSA (Every Student Succeeds Act) may be used to support SEL</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Title 1: Now supports school based mental health programs through expansion of funding due to COVID19 • Title IV: Funding available to provide healthy and safe environments for students. • Title VI: Funding available specifically to rural schools to support healthy and safe students. • Title VIII: Funding available to support children on Indian lands, military bases, low-rent housing, or Federal Properties 	<p>Title 1</p> <p>Title IV</p> <p>Title VI</p> <p>Title VII</p>
Project SERV (School Emergency Response to Violence)	Project SERV funds can be used to support Mental Health Services and distance learning.	Project SERV
Education Innovation and Research Program	Funding to create, develop, implement, replicate, or scale innovations to improve student achievement.	EIR Program Details
Medicaid	Medicaid reimbursement program provides funding for SEL programming.	Varies by County
Department of Defense Education Activity	DoDEA Educational Partnership grants support K-12 Military Connected Student Achievement.	DoDEA Grant Information
Additional Grants and Foundations	Additional grant opportunities are available by state and easily accessible through an online database Local charities provide funding for a variety of school programs.	<p>Federal Grants Database</p> <p>FundsNet</p> <p>Community Foundation Finder</p>



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