

**281—25.22 (260I) Eligible costs.** Costs of a certificate program eligible for coverage by gap tuition assistance shall include but are not limited to the following:

1. Tuition.
2. Direct training costs.
3. Required books and equipment.
4. Fees, including but not limited to fees for industry testing services and background checks.
5. Costs of providing direct staff support services, including but not limited to marketing, outreach, application, interview, and assessment processes. Eligible costs for this purpose shall be limited to 20 percent of any allocation of moneys to the two smallest community colleges, 10 percent of any allocation of moneys to the two largest community colleges, and 15 percent of any allocation of moneys to the remaining 11 community colleges. Community college size shall be determined based on the most recent three-year rolling average full-time equivalent enrollment.

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