

COVID-19 OUSF Emergency Response Results

The Emergency Bandwidth response process that was established to facilitate the availability of adequate broadband services for hospitals, schools, and libraries during this historically challenging time has now come to a close.

As a result of this process, over 100 Hospitals, Schools, and Libraries successfully requested and received increases in bandwidth during the emergency period, from March 2020 to June 2022.

Beneficiary Type	Total Beneficiaries	Average Bandwidth Increase
Public Schools	53	1.2 Gbps
Public Libraries	1	150 Mbps
Healthcare	54	570 Mbps
Totals	108	900 Mbps

Changes to bandwidths for eligible entities after June 2022 will continue to be available under the normal request procedure.

"I would like to thank each of the parties that worked together in response to the COVID-19 emergency and related public safety issues, by quickly increasing Internet bandwidth to necessary levels."

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