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## **Financial Aid Appeal**

Dear Student:

Signature:

Parkland College is required by federal and state student aid regulations to monitor your academic progress toward a degree or certificate.

If you feel there were unusual circumstances that affected your academic performance, you may appeal the suspension of your financial aid eligibility. The fact that you "need" financial aid to continue your studies at Parkland is NOT an acceptable reason for the committee to approve your appeal.

To file an appeal, you must submit all of the following to our office:

- 1. This form, signed, and with all items completed,
- 2. A typed letter by you explaining the circumstance(s) that caused you not to meet the required progress standards, and what has changed that would allow you to be successful.
- 3. Documentation is optional but may be submitted if you believe it will support your appeal. Please note: The committee may request additional documentation to assist in the review process.

The Financial Aid Appeals Committee will review your appeal and either approve or deny it. The decision made about your appeal will be e-mailed to you within seven (7) days of the committee's decision.

Name(Please print name)	Parkland ID
Email	
Permanent Address	
Phone Number ( Do you receiv	e veteran benefits? Yes 🔲 No 🔲
REASON FOR AID / BENEFIT SUSPENSION (Check only one.)	
☐ I have not successfully completed the minimum 67% of the Parkland Credit	t hours I have attempted.
☐ I have not earned the required cumulative college GPA requirement.	
☐ I have not earned the required cumulative college GPA and the 67% minimum completion rate requirements.	
☐ I have the Illinois National Guard / Illinois Veterans Grant and have not earned the required cumulative college GPA requirement.	
□ I have exceeded the maximum 150% credit hour limit, which includes all Parkland and transfer credit hours as a degree/certificate-seeking student. (Submit a statement from an academic advisor listing courses required for graduation and verifying completion in one semester)	
I understand that the decision of the Financial Aid Appeals Committee is final, and I wil understand that the Office of Financial Aid or any other office on campus cannot overro	

Date: \_