Graduate Nursing Student Budget 2016-2017

First-Year, Full-time Enrollment Expenses in addition to Tuition and Fees

Books: $2000 (based on 12 credits per semester for two semesters)

Transportation to/from Clinical Sites: $1215
  • Students travel up to 75 miles one way 2x per week for 15 weeks (spring semester) @ .54 cents per mile

Uniform Allowance including lab coats, professional attire, name pin, and upkeep $1000

Housing: Use graduate student budgeted amount

Professional and Personal Expenses: $3500
  • E.g., Allowance for child care expenses, professional nursing conference fees, membership fees to join national nursing organizations, technology costs, and certification review course costs)

Health Requirements (annual fees)
  CPR Certification $70-100
  Health Physical $125

Health Requirements (one-time expense)
  Measles Titer 50
  Mumps Titer 50
  Rubella Titer 50
  Varicella-Zoster Titer 50
  Hepatitis B Vaccination Series 3 @ $52= 156
  Hepatitis B Titer 58 (quantitative) OR $169 (level)
  Tetanus Series 40
  Vaccine total ............... $454.00 w/quant or $565 w/level

One-time Expenses:
  PA Criminal Background Check $10
  PA Child Abuse Clearance $10
  Castlebranch Check Medical Document Manager $35
  Stethoscope $200 (per Welch Allyn)
  Diagnostic Set $500 (per Welch Allyn)
  Subscription to Typhon Software (document completion of clinical hours): $80

Annual Clinical Simulation Fees (projected): $600
  • ($300 per semester- projected- cost in fall and spring semesters)

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Graduate Nursing Student Budget 2016-2017

Second-Year, Full-time Enrollment Expenses in addition to Tuition and Fees

Books: $2000 (based on 12 credits per semester for two semesters)

Transportation to/from Clinical Sites each semester: $2430
  • Students travel up to 75 miles one way 2x per week for 30 weeks (fall and spring semester) @ .54 per mile

Uniform Allowance including lab coats, professional attire, name pin, and upkeep: $1000

Housing: (Use graduate student budgeted amount)

Professional and Personal Expenses: $3500
  • E.g., Allowance for child care expenses, professional nursing conference fees, membership fees to join national nursing organizations, technology costs, and certification review course costs

Health Requirements (annual fees)
  • CPR Certification $70-100
  • Health Physical $125

Annual Clinical Simulation Fees (projected): $600
  • ($300 per semester- projected- cost in fall and spring semesters)

Suture Kit - $45