

Meharry Medical College "Estimated" Budgets for Financial Aid- Physician Assistant 2025-26 Academic Year

The following budget embodies what the Office of Financial Aid deems as reasonable costs associated with attending Meharry Medical College's School of Graduate Studies. We anticipate that most students will live within the budget amounts set forth. However, those with extenuating circumstances will be considered on a case-by-case basis for a possible cost of attendance increase. Documentation must be submitted and approved before a budget increase.

COA Components	Monthly	First Semester 6 months Year 1	First Year 10 months Year 2	Second Year 10 months Year 3
Direct costs - paid to the College				
Tuition		\$22,107	\$44,214	\$40,422
Fees		\$5,508	\$14,314	\$10,868
Indirect costs - Living expenses				
Books & Supplies		\$500	\$1,000	\$1,000
Housing (incl. rent (~\$1,800), utilities, home telephone, water)	\$1,975	\$11,850	\$19,750	\$19,750
Food (Monthly food allowance)	\$475	\$2,850	\$4,750	\$4,750
Transportation (incl. gas, car maintenance, car insurance, license and registration)	\$507	\$3,042	\$5,070	\$5,070
Personal (incl. clothing, food away from home, dry cleaning, entertainment, cell phone, cable and Internet usage)	\$300	\$1,800	\$3,000	\$3,000
Miscellaneous*		\$2,924	\$9,250	\$9,800
2025-26 COA TOTALS	\$3,257	\$50,581	\$101,348	\$94,660
* Includes	\$1,000	Medical and dental incidentals not covered by health insurance		
	\$3,250	Loan fees for 12 mo program		
	\$1,924	Loan fees for 7 mo program		
	\$5,000	Rotation/Clerkship additional costs, included in 2nd and 3rd year		
	\$550	NCCPA Certification - 3rd year		
Dependent child care costs may be added, up to \$9,846, per child. Documentation must be presented on the child care facility letterhead, documenting date of enrollment, dependent's name, parent's name, the cost to attend and document must be signed by the child care facility's personnel.				
PLEASE NOTE: credit cards and automobile payments are NOT, and will not be, included in your cost of attendance. In addition, expenses for spouses or other family members, (including family health insurance premiums) other than child care expenses, may NOT be included.				
Tuition and the health insurance fee will be split evenly between both fall and spring semesters.				
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