

Respiratory Therapy Program Estimated Additional Costs

The costs listed below are estimates. Please be aware these are subject to change.

Items/Services	Estimated Costs
Scrubs (2 sets) & Lab Coat (1) (Fall 2009)	\$110
Clinic Shoes (white tennis shoes or nurses shoes, leather with closed heel and toe) (Fall 2009)	\$60
Medical Malpractice Insurance (Each Fall)	Approximately \$27.50/year
ARCS Dues (Each Fall)	\$40/year
Stethoscope, scissors, HEPA mask, calculator, goggles (Spring 2010)	\$65
Textbooks**	\$1000/program
Pinning Ceremony (Spring 2010)	Dependent on Students' Planning and Fund Raising

These estimates do not include tuition and fees, which are set by the state. Please factor in the cost of tuition and fees when planning your finances.

- Travel expenses to and from clinical sites. Gas and parking can run \$25 - 30/week or higher.
- Scrubs will be purchased as a class during the Fall 2009 semester. Clinical rotations begin in Spring semester.
- Tuition, fees, and malpractice insurance (approximately \$27.50) must be paid in full at registration Fall 2009. Please be prepared to pay these fees on the specified date.
- Hepatitis B vaccine is needed to attend clinicals. This series can be taken at the health department for a cost of around \$130.00.
- There is a physical required prior to acceptance. This cost varies so shop for a good price or see your physician.

** Most Respiratory textbooks are purchased the 1st semester of the program, and will cost approx. \$500 - \$600. Book costs the remaining semesters will be approx. \$100/semester.