



Federal aid regulations and laws require institutions to establish a Cost of Attendance (COA) for each student receiving any kind of financial aid or student support. The COA is derived from direct costs such as tuition and fees, and indirect costs such as housing, personal miscellaneous expenses, and transportation costs. Sample Budgets representing the average costs for the 2026/2027 academic year are below.

Living With Parent

	Advanced LPN to RN Academic Year 1	Advanced LPN to RN Academic Year 2	Practical Nursing Academic Year 1	Practical Nursing Academic Year 2
Tuition and Fees	\$18,960	\$9,480	\$14,916	\$7,458
Books, Course Materials, Supplies and Equipment	\$65	\$0	\$65	\$0
Food and Housing	\$5,303	\$2,652	\$5,303	\$2,652
Miscellaneous Personal Expenses	\$3,909	\$1,804	\$3,909	\$1,804
Transportation	\$1,100	\$550	\$1,100	\$550
Total Budget	\$29,337	\$14,486	\$25,293	\$12,464

Living Away from Home

	Advanced LPN to RN Academic Year 1	Advanced LPN to RN Academic Year 2	Practical Nursing Academic Year 1	Practical Nursing Academic Year 2
Tuition and Fees	\$18,960	\$9,480	\$14,916	\$7,458
Books, Course Materials, Supplies and Equipment	\$65	\$0	\$65	\$0
Food and Housing	\$7,935	\$3,968	\$7,935	\$3,968
Miscellaneous Personal Expenses	\$5,390	\$2,695	\$5,390	\$2,695
Transportation	\$1,647	\$824	\$1,647	\$824
Total Budget	\$33,997	\$16,967	\$29,953	\$14,945

*Academic Year 1 is based on an 8-month budget. Academic Year 2 is based on a 4-month budget.