Second Degree Nursing

Financial Aid Information
Fall – Spring – Summer Semesters
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Contact Information

Hours: Monday – Friday 8:30 am – 4:30 pm
Phone: 412/396-6607
Fax: 412/396-5284
Email: faoffice@duq.edu
www.duq.edu/admissions-and-aid
Applying for Financial Aid

- Obtain your Federal Student Aid ID (FSAID)
- Complete the FAFSA for 2017-2018 at: https://fafsa.ed.gov
- Apply before May 1
- Federal school code 003258
- Be mindful of enrollment and dependency questions
Apply for your FSA ID

Students (and parents) will need their own Federal Student Aid ID.
FSA ID

You will be required to create your own username and password
FAFSA.Ed.Gov

Do NOT use the www.fafsa.com site
1. Will you have your first bachelor's before July 1? (YES)

2. What will your grade level be? (5th year)

3. What degree will you be working on? (2nd bachelor's)
Determining your Financial Aid Dependency Status

- Independent- you answered **YES** to any of the questions in STEP 3 (#46-58). You **do not** need parental info on the FAFSA

- Dependent- you answered **NO** to all of the questions in STEP 3 (#46-58). You **must** answer all questions relating to parental info on the FAFSA
Loan Details
For Independent Students

• Stafford Loans won’t exceed $12,500 – Not everyone’s eligibility for loans will be the same. Eligibility is based on previous borrowing history.
• Aggregate Stafford Loan limits $57,500
• Federal Regulations define an Academic Year as fall-spring-summer.
• Duquesne’s regular Academic Year runs fall-spring.

• Summer will always a SEPARATE semester – if students use all of their Stafford loan eligibility for fall-spring, no Federal Stafford Loan funds will be available for summer

View Federal Loan totals at studentloans.gov
Loan Details
For Dependent Students

- Stafford Loans won’t exceed $7,500 – Not everyone’s eligibility will be the same. Eligibility is based on prior borrowing history.
- Aggregate Stafford Loan limits $31,000 – If student has reached their UG lifetime Loan Limit, there will not be any additional eligibility for fall-spring-summer.
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## Estimated Program Costs

### Independent Student Scenario – 12 month track

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**Independent students** will have the options to cover the balance due via self-payments or through Private Education Loans. NOTE: A credit-worthy cosigner may be required by the lender. All students should work to secure financing prior to the start of the program.

$12,500 Loan eligibility will be disbursed FALL – SPRING and will net approximately $12,366.
### Estimated Program Costs

#### Dependent Student Scenario – **12 month track**

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**Dependent students** will have the options to cover the balance due via self-payments, the Federal Parent PLUS Loan or through Private Education Loans. **NOTE:** A credit-worthy cosigner may be required by the lender. All students should work to secure financing prior to the start of the program.

$7,500 Loan eligibility will be disbursed FALL – SPRING and will net approximately $7,420.
How to Finance Your Balance

Suggestions……..

• Look for potential outside scholarships on the web, local community foundations, nursing and/or health professions-related websites


• Private Health Professions Education Loan – (Independent students will likely need a credit-worthy cosigner). APPLY EARLY to assure your approval of these types of loans.

• Federal Direct Parent PLUS Loan – (Dependent students)
Required Loan Documents

Federal Loan Application & Entrance Loan Counseling

• Create your Federal Student Aid ID at https://fsaid.gov if you have not done so already

• Go to https://studentloans.gov to complete your:
  Master Promissory Note and Entrance Loan Counseling

• Refer to DU Undergraduate Financial Aid Instructions, Terms, and Conditions 2018-2019 for additional requirements

• Call the Financial Aid Office with questions
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