



TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY
HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER™
EL PASO

Global Fee Document

Summary of Tuition, Fees and Other Charges
2023 – 2024 Academic Year

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Executive Summary

All tuition, rentals, rates, charges or fees of Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center El Paso are charged and collected under specific authorization of the laws of the State of Texas, including, but not limited to, the authorization in Texas Education Code, Section 54.008, section 54.504, Section 54.0513, Section 55.16 and other applicable sections.

The Board of Regents, *Regents' Rules*, Section 07.10, has delegated authority to the President of TTUHSC El Paso to establish criteria and approval procedures for exemptions and waivers of fees, rentals, rates, and charges in accordance with state laws, including but not limited to Texas Education Code, Section 54.218, Section 54.5035 and Section 54.0513.

Regents' Rules, Section 07.10, require that the administration present a global fee document for annual approval.

Rates established within this Global Fee Document are effective the fall 2023 semester and through summer 2024.

Tuition

Statutory Tuition:

Residents of Texas (all schools except medicine and dental medicine): \$50.00 per semester credit hour

Nonresident students (all schools except medicine and dental medicine): \$470.00 per semester credit hour

The President of Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center El Paso is authorized, in accordance with state statutes, to establish nonresident tuition at the rate determined by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board.

Residents of Texas:

School of Medicine: \$6,550.00 annual rate

School of Dental Medicine: \$5,400.00 annual rate

Nonresident students:

School of Medicine: \$19,650.00 annual rate

School of Dental Medicine: \$16,200.00 annual rate

Board Authorized Tuition:

Assessed on graduate and professional level programs. Rate listed below is in addition to statutory and designated tuition.

- Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences: \$30.00 per semester credit hour
- School of Nursing: \$50.00 per semester credit hour
- School of Dental Medicine: \$5,400.00 annual rate

Designated Tuition:

- Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences: \$104.00 per SCH
- School of Medicine: \$10,021.00 annual rate
- School of Nursing: \$157.00 per SCH
- School of Dental Medicine: \$18,750.00 annual rate

Designated Nonresident Supplemental Tuition:

- School of Medicine: \$1,851.00 annual rate
- School of Dental Medicine \$9,200.00 annual rate

Differential Tuition:

- School of Medicine: \$375.00 annual rate

Fees and Other Charges

Academic Department Instructional Assessment Fee

This fee provides funds for all aspects of academic department instructional expenditures and is used to support academic instructional activities.

- Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences \$50.00 per semester
- School of Medicine \$50.00 annual fee
- School of Nursing \$400.00 per semester

Application Fee

This fee provides funds to support costs associated with delivering, receiving and processing student applications for admissions. The funds generated from this fee may also be used to support recruitment, travel, admissions and support salaries associated with these processes within the schools.

- Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences \$50.00
- School of Medicine \$60.00
- School of Nursing \$75.00
- Late Application Fee \$25.00

ASDA Student Fee

This fee funds predoctoral membership into the American Student Dental Association (ASDA) which entitles dental medicine students to the privileges of ASDA and the American Dental Association.

- School of Dental Medicine \$150.00

Clinical Simulation Fee

This fee provides funds to support the delivery of simulation-based education. This includes operating expenses, maintenance and improvement of the clinical simulation center, innovative educational modalities such as virtual reality and other E-learning devices/curriculum, additions to the simulation facilities, faculty and staff, and supplementary persons required to deliver the simulation curriculum.

- School of Medicine \$1,681.00 annual fee
- School of Nursing Accelerated BSN Program \$939.00 per semester
- Graduate \$150.00 per applicable course
- School of Dental Medicine \$450.00 annual fee

Educational Technology Fee

This fee provides funds to be used for the technological tools and applications that support the delivery of the curriculum, educational program operations, computers, printers, software, related subscription services, as well as data management and visualization services. The funds generated from this fee may also be used to support salaries and travel for relevant educational program staff.

- Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences \$75.00 per semester
- School of Medicine \$250.00 annual fee
- School of Nursing
Accelerated BSN Program \$350.00 per semester

Educational Technology and Supply Fee – School of Dental Medicine

This fee provides funds to be used for the technological tools and applications that support the delivery of the curriculum, educational program operations and directly relevant educational materials, educational media, computers, CAD-CAM, radiology, printers, software, related subscription services, as well as data management and visualization services. The funds generated from this fee may also be used to support salaries for relevant educational program staff.

- School of Dental Medicine \$7,289.20 annual fee

Electronic Educational Resources Fee

This fee provides funds which cover the cost of information technology-based educational materials required by the medical school curriculum, including educational content application subscriptions, and all forms of educational media (including printed manuals or workbooks when compulsory).

- School of Medicine \$400.00 annual fee

Graduation Fee

This fee funds graduation production expenditures associated with the ceremonies, and cost of the printed diploma, diploma cover, and other services rendered for processing the graduation application.

- All schools \$75.00

I.D. Card Maintenance Fee

This fee provides funds which cover the costs associated with issuing and maintaining student identification cards.

- Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences \$6.00 per semester
- School of Medicine \$15.00 annual fee
- School of Nursing \$6.00 per semester
- School of Dental Medicine \$15.00 annual fee

Information Technology Fee

The information Technology fee is assessed to registered students to defray the costs associated with the addition of equipment in classrooms, technology support, academic licensing, development of academic applications, network infrastructure, security products, maintenance service agreements and any other support necessary to maintain technology in the schools.

- Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences \$18.50 per SCH
- School of Medicine \$444.00 annual fee
- School of Nursing \$18.50 per SCH
- School of Dental Medicine \$444.00 annual fee

International Education Fee

This fee provides funds to assist students participating in international student exchange or study abroad programs.

- Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences \$4.00 per semester
- School of Medicine \$10.00 annual fee
- School of Nursing \$4.00 per semester
- School of Dental Medicine \$10.00 annual fee

International Student Fee

This fee is only charged to non-immigrant international students and provides funds to support the additional services provided specifically to these students.

- Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences \$50.00 per semester
- School of Medicine \$100.00 annual fee
- School of Nursing \$50.00 per semester

Long Term Disability Insurance

This fee provides funds which cover the actual cost of providing long term disability insurance. The fee may increase or decrease as necessary to respond to changes in the cost of providing the insurance coverage.

- School of Medicine \$46.80 annual fee
- School of Dental Medicine \$46.80 annual fee

Learning Resources Fee

This fee provides funds used to enhance student resources in the library and curriculum support materials.

- Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences \$18.00 per SCH
- School of Medicine \$432.00 annual fee
- School of Nursing \$18.00 per SCH
- School of Dental Medicine \$432.00 annual fee

Malpractice Insurance Fee

This fee provides funds which cover the actual cost of providing malpractice insurance. The fee may increase or decrease as necessary to respond to changes in the cost of providing the insurance coverage.

- School of Medicine \$25.00 annual fee
- School of Nursing \$7.00 per semester
- School of Dental Medicine \$25.00 annual fee

Medical Services Fee

This fee provides funds for the cost of providing medical services to students enrolled at the university. This fee is charged in accordance with recommendations of the Medical Services Fee Advisory Committee.

- Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences
 - Four or more semester credit hours \$70.00 per semester
 - Summer terms (10 weeks or less) \$35.00 per semester
- School of Medicine \$175.00 annual fee
- School of Nursing
 - Four or more semester credit hours \$70.00 per semester
 - Summer terms (10 weeks or less) \$35.00 per semester
- School of Dental Medicine \$175.00 annual fee

Scientific Instruments and Specimens Fee

This fee provides funds for the preventative maintenance, replacement and general upkeep of scientific instruments, supplies and anatomical specimens used in biomedical science instruction, including expenses related to the PLFSOM willied body and anatomy programs.

- School of Medicine \$200.00 annual fee
- School of Dental Medicine \$100.00 annual fee

NBME Testing Program Support Fee

This fee provides funds for National Board of Medical Examiners services and required exams. Funds generated by this fee may also be used to support salaries for personnel providing or coordinating administrative tasks associated with the school’s NBME testing, and expenses related to faculty and staff training.

- School of Medicine \$325.00 annual fee

Placement Guarantee Fee

This fee is assessed to students upon acceptance of their offer of admission. The revenue generated from the fee is used to supplement recruiting, admissions, printing costs, non-operational costs related to student services and academic preparation support.

- Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences \$50.00
- School of Medicine \$100.00
- School of Nursing \$100.00
- School of Dental Medicine \$100.00

Record Processing Fee

This fee provides funds which cover the cost of transcript archiving, support and delivery to students. Online transcript delivery may incur a minimal charge.

- Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences \$10.00 per semester
- School of Medicine \$25.0 annual fee
- School of Nursing \$10.00 per semester
- School of Dental Medicine \$25.00 annual fee

Screening and Immunization Fee

This fee provides funds for the screening and maintenance of student immunization records and to cover the cost of providing vaccinations.

- Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences \$42.50 fall & spring semesters
- School of Medicine \$85.00 fall term
- School of Nursing \$42.50 fall & spring semesters
- School of Dental Medicine \$85.00 fall term

Student Services Fee

This fee provides funds which cover the costs of various activities, functions, programs and services which are separate and apart from the regularly scheduled academic functions of the university and directly involve or benefit students. This fee is charged in accordance with recommendations of the Student Services Fee Advisory Committee.

- Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences
 - 7 or more semester credit hours \$143.60 per semester
 - 6 or less semester credit hours \$71.80 per semester
- School of Medicine \$359.00 annual fee
- School of Nursing
 - 7 or more semester credit hours \$143.60 per semester
 - 6 or less semester credit hours \$71.80 per semester
- School of Dental Medicine \$359.00 annual fee

Student Union Fee

This fee provides funds for operating, maintaining, improving, and equipping student union facilities and programs, and/or acquiring or constructing additions to those facilities.

- Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences \$6.00 per semester
- School of Medicine \$15.00 annual fee
- School of Nursing \$6.00 per semester
- School of Dental Medicine \$15.00 annual fee

Footnotes

- The Board of Regents has previously authorized the President of TTUHSC El Paso to increase or decrease Malpractice Insurance Fees for students in each of the schools and the School of Medicine Long Term Disability Insurance Fee as necessary to respond to changes in the cost of providing the insurance coverage. The schools seek only to recoup the cost of providing the coverage.
- The Board of Regents authorizes the President of TTUHSC El Paso to approve discretionary, incidental fees.
- Waivers for Teaching Assistants, Research Assistants, Graduate Assistants, and Graduate Part-Time Instructors per Board of Regents' approval December 15, 2000. Fees included in the waiver are Academic Department Instructional Assessment Fee, Student Union Fee, Recreation Center Fee, Student Services Fee, Student Athletic Fee, and Information Technology Fee.
- On August 11, 2000, the Board of Regents approved waivers of the Medical Services fee for Texas Tech University System benefits eligible employees enrolled as students.
- The Board of Regents authorizes the waiver of fees providing the same service or facility access for students concurrently enrolled at TTU and TTUHSC El Paso. Fees included in the waiver are Recreation Center Fee, Student Athletic Fee, Student Services Fee, Medical Services Fee, and ID Card Maintenance Fee.
- The Board of Regents previously authorized the President of TTUHSC El Paso to approve the assessment of additional tuition at a rate not to exceed the maximum allowed by law, Texas Education Code, Section 54.008, per semester credit hour for students enrolled in graduate and professional program courses in the Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences and School of Nursing.