

## Bachelor of Science

### **NEW and RETURNING BS Student Information**

#### **Tuition - review** current one-trimester [Cost of Education](#)

The Cost of Education listed in your award letter is based on taking 14 credit hours for each term listed. At the start of each trimester, and before financial aid is released to your account, your registration status will be reviewed. If you are registered for fewer than 14 hours in that trimester, your budget and awarded financial aid may change. Most aid program funds are applied to your account after the first week of the term.

Tuition is charged based on the number of credits you take each trimester; the tuition rate for 2013-14 is \$324 per credit and additional university fees may be charged based on individual course or program charges. These are listed on the university web site at [www.nuhs.edu](http://www.nuhs.edu).

#### **Some students are awarded ....**

- **Federal Pell Grant** The amounts established for the 2013-14 year is between \$200 and \$5,645. This is financial aid that does not have to be repaid.
- **Illinois State Grant – Monetary Award Program (MAP)** By applying for financial aid and agreeing to share that information with the Illinois Student Assistance Commission (ISAC) you have been considered for the State of Illinois (IL) Monetary Award Program (MAP) Grant. If it was determined that you meet the eligibility criteria for the MAP grant, an award is included on the award letter. This award is an estimate made by the Financial Aid Office and is listed as "State of IL MAP Grant (Est)". **MAP grants are limited based on the date of FAFSA submission, number of applicants and funding levels appropriated by the Illinois General Assembly. Please be aware that in light of state funding constraints, reductions to estimated or actual MAP grants are possible.**

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*Eligibility for a MAP grant is tracked by the equivalent number of semester credit hours of MAP benefits paid on your behalf. This is called MAP Paid Credit Hours. Payment for each term is being made according to the equivalent number of credit hours eligible for MAP payment, with a minimum of 3 and a maximum of 15 MAP Paid Credit Hours.*

*There is a limit on the number of MAP Paid Credit Hours that can be paid while you are classified by your school as a freshman and sophomore. This limit is the equivalent of 75 MAP Paid Credit Hours. If this maximum is reached, you must attain junior status for your MAP grant eligibility to resume. The maximum number of MAP Paid Credit Hours that can be received is capped at 135.*

*If a State of IL MAP Grant (Est) is not included in your award letter, you are not eligible for the grant at National University of Health Sciences.*

#### **Your current federal educational debt ....**

Acceptance of the loans in your award offer increases your federal student debt burden. You will want to review your current educational debt level through the National Student Loan Data System ([NSLDS](#)), which monitors students' federal student aid. You may calculate estimated loan repayment [here](#), which first requires you to identify a loan repayment program, which for estimating purposes you can select the Standard Repayment (repay in level monthly payments over 10 years). If you have questions about this, please contact [Financial Aid](#).

***DISCLAIMER:*** The Financial Aid Office reserves the right to reduce or cancel awards based on funding levels, change in enrollment, reduction of costs, or other events that may affect funding level and/or student eligibility.

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