Doctor of Dental Surgery, DDS

Financial Support

Financial assistance for dental students is based on need. Dental students who demonstrate need are eligible for Health Professions, Stafford, and Grad PLUS loans. Students applying for loans must submit the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), including the parental information form on MyUI in order to be considered for the Health Professions loan. Loans are repayable over an extended period of time after the course of study is completed.

Collegiate short-term and long-term loans are available through the financial aid coordinator at the College of Dentistry.

Tuition scholarships are awarded each year to qualified entering dental students. The awards provide financial support up to \$15,000 per year for as many as four years, if the student maintains an appropriate level of academic and professional performance.

Information on financial assistance for dental students is available from the university's Office of Student Financial Aid as well as the College of Dentistry Office of Student Affairs.

Expenses

The College of Dentistry maintains the Supply-Instrument Management System (SIMS), which provides students with instruments and supplies necessary throughout their dental training. The SIMS usage fee for the DDS is payable in installments over the four-year program.

A fee for expendable laboratory supplies is charged each of the first two years. A \$100 breakage fee also must be deposited; the deposit is refundable upon graduation or termination of enrollment.