



TUITION & FEES - UNDERGRADUATE

Application fee	\$50	2018 – 2019 Student Fee	
		Fee, Per Semester, Full-Time	\$575
Tuition Deposit	\$200	Fee, Per Credit, Part-Time	\$50
<i>New students only; applied towards tuition. Federal Student Aid cannot be applied to the tuition deposit. Deposit is nonrefundable, unless the student no longer meets admission eligibility.</i>		<i>See Nursing Program Expenses.</i>	
2018 Summer Semester			
\$1,000 per credit			
2018 – 2019 Undergraduate Tuition		Graduation fee (Seniors Only)	\$175
Tuition, Per Year, Full-Time (12-18 Credits)	\$28,600	<i>This fee applies to all students who have formally applied for graduation, whether they participate in the graduation ceremony or not, to cover diplomas, diploma covers, degree audits, cap & gown, nursing pin, and other ceremony costs.</i>	
Tuition, Per Semester, Full-Time (12-18 Credits)	\$14,300		
Tuition, Per Credit (1-11 Credits & 19+ Credits)	\$1,160		
Course Audits			
50% discount, per credit			

Columbia College of Nursing reserves the right to make revisions in costs without advance notice. Tuition and fees reflect charges in effect at the time of publication for the 2018-2019 academic year.

Undergraduate Nursing Program Expenses

Nursing Student Fees

Nursing is a practice discipline and students enrolled in the Nursing Program will be assessed a nursing student fee, based upon the number of credits the student is enrolled in each semester. Fee amounts are listed above. The Nursing Student Fee includes:

- Cost of HESI (Health Education Systems, Inc.) testing and case studies
- NCLEX-RN Review Course
- Clinical Simulation Center simulators and model supplies
- Physical exam, with blood work and immunizations, as required
- Nursing Central software (downloadable to mobile device or accessible through the web)
- CPR (taken through Columbia College of Nursing)
- Library and Computer Lab resources
- Clinical experience, with low faculty-student ratios, in a wide variety of settings
- Course syllabi & handouts
- Free parking

Additional Expenses for Nursing Program

- Clinical Course Expenses: \$125-\$175 (estimated). These costs may include a basic uniform, uniform patch, watch with a second hand, white nurses' shoes (or all white athletic shoes), bandage scissors and stethoscope.
- Nursing Pin: \$40-\$150 (cost varies depending on order). This is not required and is only applicable to Senior graduates.
- NCLEX-RN Exam Registration fee: \$200
- State Board Application: \$68
- Work permit for grads working in Wisconsin: \$10
- UWorld testing: \$160 (estimated). Only applicable to Senior graduates.

** This is not a comprehensive list, but rather, it serves as an overview of some uses and fees in the Columbia College of Nursing Program. The Nursing Student Fee was established in order to prevent multiple billings, depending upon resources utilized.*

Payment Options

Columbia College of Nursing offers two payment options:

Payment in full by the statement due date.

Statements are mailed the first week of August for the fall semester and the first week of January for the spring semester. Late payments are assessed a 1.5% late fee per month (based on balance due) and will have a hold on grades, credits, transcripts, diploma and will not receive a statement of graduation until account is paid in full. A student may not register for a subsequent semester until all past-due charges are paid.

- Summer 2018 Semester due: *varies by course start date(s)*
- Fall 2018 Semester due: August 27, 2018
- Spring 2019 Semester due: January 14, 2019

Payment plan (Fall & Spring semesters ONLY).

Due in four (4) monthly installments. A one-time set-up fee of \$50 is required. Late payments are assessed a 1.5% late fee per month (based on balance due) and will have a hold on grades, credits, transcripts, diploma and will not receive a statement of graduation until account is current or paid in full. A student may not register for a subsequent semester until all past-due charges are paid.

- Fall 2018 Payments due: August 27, September 27, October 27, and November 27, 2018
- Spring 2019 Payments due: January 14, February 14, March 14, and April 14, 2019

Accepted forms of payment:

- Cash is accepted in person.
- Checks are accepted in person or by mail; returned checks are subject to a \$50 fee.
- MasterCard, Visa, American Express and Discover is accepted in person, by mail or phone.

* An account agreement must be signed by all students. This document only needs to be signed and submitted once and will be valid for any charges incurred at Columbia College of Nursing.

Refunds

Fall & Spring Semester Sessions

All course withdrawals must be done through the Associate Dean of Academic Affairs office. Students will receive refunds for tuition according to the below schedule, based on the date of official withdrawal. The tuition deposit of \$200 for new students is non-refundable, unless the student no longer meets eligibility requirements.

Week 1	100%
Week 2	75%
Week 3	50%
Week 4	25%
Thereafter	No Refund

Summer Session

A student requesting withdrawal from the summer session is obligated to pay according to the below schedule, based on the percentage of class hours elapsed, at the time of authorized withdrawal.

0%	100%
25%	50%
More than 25%	No refund

NOTE: In cases where a student has received Federal Student Aid, Columbia College of Nursing may be required to follow the federal refund calculation. In addition, a student receiving aid may be required to return that aid to the provider.