

ESTIMATED* Cost sheet for the Nursing Program
Based on Alabama resident tuition and fees effective
Fall 2020

Semester 1 (*Costs may change without prior notice)		
Tuition – Nursing courses (7 credit hrs x \$162/hr**.)	\$1,134.00	<i>NUR 112 required **Tuition rate increases in fall</i>
Tuition – academics (7 credit hrs x \$162/hr.)	\$1,134.00	<i>BIO 201 and MTH 100 unless previously completed</i>
Nursing Textbooks	\$285.00	<i>Nursing Textbooks</i>
Books – 1st semester academics	\$800.00	<i>Cost for new textbooks. Will vary if student has completed academics prior to admission</i>
Software Applications	\$240.00	<i>Software is required. (uCentral, EHR Tutor)</i>
Nurse Pack Kit (contains lab supplies)	\$90.00	<i>Required</i>
Uniforms (2), ID Badge, Stethoscope, Scissors, Watch with second hand, shoes	\$200.00	<i>Costs will vary depending on selection</i>
CPR Certification	\$52.50	<i>Cost if taken at SUSCC</i>
Criminal background check	\$39.50	<i>Required through Clinical Backgrounds regardless of previous criminal background checks performed</i>
Malpractice Insurance	\$12.00	<i>Due at time of 1st nursing course registration</i>
Drug Screening fee	\$33.00	<i>Due at time of 1st nursing course registration</i>
E-Value and ACEMAPP annual fee	\$310.00	<i>Due at time of 1st nursing course registration</i>
Comprehensive test fee	\$550.00	<i>Due at time of 1st nursing course registration</i>
Health insurance	\$524.00	<i>Current annual cost if not otherwise insured. Personal health Insurance accepted. Must provide proof of current insurance.</i>
Health Requirements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Physical and immunizations <i>(not given at SU)</i> ▪ Immunizations: Tetanus, MMR x2, varicella, flu ▪ PPD skin test- required annually while in program ▪ Hepatitis Injections (series of 3) ▪ Annual Physical Exam 	Varies (approximately \$500)	<i>Required after acceptance but before registration for nursing courses. Costs will vary depending upon personal health insurance coverages.</i>
Total estimated cost 1st semester	\$5,404.00	<i>Does not include cost for health requirements and travel costs to clinical. Clinical location(s) may be up to 70 miles radius of Opelika Campus.</i>
Semester 2		
Tuition – Nursing courses (8 credit hrs x \$162/hr.)	\$1,296.00	<i>NUR 113 required</i>
Tuition – Academic courses (10 credit hrs x \$162/hr.)	\$1,620.00	<i>BIO 202, PSY210, and ENG 101 unless previously completed</i>
Books – Academics	\$400.00	<i>Cost for new ENG 101 and PS210 book. BIO 202 uses same book as BIO</i>
Malpractice Insurance	\$12.00	<i>Due at course registration</i>
Exam Soft	\$150.00	<i>Due at course registration</i>
Total estimated cost 2 nd semester	\$3,478.00	<i>Does not include cost of travel</i>

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Semester 3		
Tuition – Nursing courses (10 credit hrs x \$162/hr.)	\$1,620.00	<i>NUR 114/115 required</i>
Tuition – Academic courses (3 credit hrs x \$162/hr.)	\$486.00	<i>SPH 107 or 106 unless previously completed</i>
Books – Academics	\$120.00	<i>Cost of new books</i>
Malpractice Insurance	\$12.00	<i>Due at course registration</i>
Update Health Requirements (Annual physical exam, Tb, health insurance)	\$75.00	<i>Annual updates required.</i>
Total estimated cost 3 rd semester	\$2,313.00	<i>Not including cost of annual health requirement updates (Tb skin test, physical, etc) or travel</i>
Semester 4		
Tuition – Nursing courses (7 credit hrs x \$162/hr.)	\$1,134.00	<i>NUR 211 required</i>
Tuition – Academic courses (4 credit hrs x \$162/hr.)	\$648.00	<i>BIO 220 unless previously completed</i>
Software Applications	\$65.00	<i>EHR Tutor</i>
Books – Academics	\$300.00	<i>Cost for new books</i>
Health insurance	\$524.00	<i>Current annual coverage</i>
E-Value and ACEMAPP fee	\$50.00	<i>Due at course registration</i>
Malpractice Insurance	\$12.00	<i>Due at course registration</i>
Total estimated cost 4 th semester	\$2,733.00	<i>Not including cost of annual health requirement updates (Tb skin test, physical, etc) or travel</i>
Semester 5		
Tuition – Nursing courses (7 credit hrs x \$162/hr.)	\$1,134.00	<i>NUR 221 required</i>
Tuition – Academic courses (3 credit hrs x \$162/hr.)	\$486.00	<i>Humanities elective unless previously completed</i>
Books – Academics	\$250.00	<i>Book cost varies by choice of elective</i>
Malpractice Insurance	\$12.00	<i>Due at course registration</i>
Total estimated cost 5 th semester	\$1,882.00	<i>Not including travel</i>
TOTAL OF ABOVE	\$15,810.00	
The following fees are required near the end of the final semester.		
NCLEX-RN Examination Fee	\$200.00	<i>Required for licensure testing. All students are required to pay NCLEX-RN fee (\$200). Each state then charges a fee for licensure in that state. For those wanting a temporary permit in Alabama (to begin working earlier), the cost is optional. Georgia does not offer a temporary permit.</i>
Licensure Examination Fee Alabama(\$85.00)	\$85.00	
Georgia (\$40.00)		
Temporary Alabama Permit	\$50.00	
The following fees are optional near the end of the final semester.		
Diploma Fee	\$25.00	<i>Required only if a diploma is requested</i>
Cap and Gown Fee	\$56.00	<i>Required only if participating in graduation ceremony</i>
GRAND TOTAL	\$16,226.00	<i>Does not include cost for health requirements and travel costs to class or clinical.</i>

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