

Policy: Tuition and Fees

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APPLICATION FEE

All applicants must pay a \$50.00 fee at the time of application. This fee is payable to Utah State University and is nonrefundable even if student requests to be withdrawn from consideration. Other required fees include those paid to Liaison International for DICAS (Dietetic Internship Centralized Application System) and to D&D Digital to be included in the computer matching process.

TUITION

Orientation (NDFS 6900) is a one (1) credit course and tuition is due prior to the first day. Tuition may be paid with a check (payable to Utah State University), E-check, or debit/credit card payment.

Interns are registered for an additional 25 graduate credits over two semesters. Interns are registered for their courses based on the Master Rotation Schedule. Tuition and fees for each semester must be paid in full or tuition coverage must be arranged and in place (financial aid, personal loans, tuition payment plans) prior to the USU tuition payment deadline for that semester. Tuition not paid by the tuition payment deadline is subject to an additional late fee and balances are subject to interest charges as well.

Total tuition for interns for both semesters will be based on the USU Dietetic Internship Special Program Rate. Tuition rates for the following academic year are determined in the fall to ensure that tuition and fees are marketed accurately to prospective interns. The University reserves the right to alter any tuition or fee charges without notice.

WITHDRAWAL AND REFUND OF TUITION AND FEES

If an applicant matched with the USU DI withdraws between the official appointment day in April and Orientation, they are not charged any tuition, including the tuition for Orientation Week.

If an intern withdraws during or after Orientation (NDFS 6900) but before starting rotations or coursework in the internship, they will not receive a refund of the Orientation tuition fee. In the case that an intern does not complete their degree or receive a DPD Verification Statement but has attended Orientation will not receive a refund for NDFS 6900.

Tuition refunds are solely at the discretion of the USU Registrar's Office. If an intern decides to withdraw after starting rotations or coursework and would like to request a refund of tuition, they will be required to follow the policies and procedures of the USU Registrar's Office according to the instructions on the Registrar's Office website: <https://www.usu.edu/registrar/records/update/petition/index>.

Interns terminated for performance or conduct problems will not receive tuition refunds for courses they have started or completed.