

TUITION AND FEES

Tuition and Fees for Behavioral Health Sciences Programs

Tuition and fees are subject to change and become effective on the date enacted. The Texas Legislature does not set the specific amount for any particular student fee. Student fees are authorized by state statute; the specific fee amounts and the determination to increase fees are made by the university administration and The University of Texas System Board of Regents.

Tuition and Fees for 2026-2027 Academic Year

All tuition and fees charged are authorized by statute and by regent approval. Resident and non-resident tuition and fee information is available on the Bursar's Office website (<https://www.uth.edu/bursars/student-resources/tuition-fees/school-of-behavioral-health-sciences>). The 2026-2027, resident tuition is \$350 per semester credit hour; non-resident tuition is \$1,256 per semester credit hour.

All UTHealth Houston required fees can be found on the Bursar's Office website under Required Fees (<https://www.uth.edu/bursars/student-resources/tuition-fees/required-fees-all-schools>). SBHS-specific required fees are listed here (<https://www.uth.edu/bursars/student-resources/tuition-fees/school-of-behavioral-health-sciences>).

A resident doctoral student who has a total of 100 or more semester credit hours of doctoral work at an institution of higher education is required to pay nonresident doctoral tuition rates. For more information contact the Office of the Registrar (<https://www.uth.edu/registrar/current-students/registration/sch-limit.htm>).

SBHS School Specific Fees:

- **Computer Resource Fee** - \$75/semester, assessed to all enrolled students at SBHS.
- **Technology Fee** - \$150/semester, assessed to all enrolled students at SBHS.
- **Student Orientation Fee** - \$100 one-time fee, assessed to students at matriculation into degree program.
- **Clinical Placement Fee** - \$235/semester, assessed to students enrolled in the following degree programs; MSW Clinical Social Work, MS Clinical Psychology, PhD Clinical Psychology, and PsyD Clinical Psychology.

Student Services Fee

The Student Services Fee is assessed to all students enrolled at UTHealth Houston on a semester credit hour basis by semester. The fee offsets student service components at UTHealth Houston that include the Recreation Center, Student Health, Shuttle, and Student Governance. The breakdown of this fee can be found on the Bursar's website here (<https://www.uth.edu/bursars/student-resources/student-service-fees/>).

Student Health Insurance Program

The Board of Regents of The University of Texas System mandates health insurance for all students enrolled in the UT System health components. As such, each UTHealth Houston student who cannot provide evidence of coverage under another approved plan will be enrolled in the Student Health Insurance Plan (SHIP) with Academic Health Plans and assessed a health insurance fee. For more information regarding Student Health Insurance you can go to the Registrar's

website here (<https://www.uth.edu/registrar/current-students/student-information/health-insurance.htm>) and Auxiliary Enterprises Student Insurance website here (<https://www.uth.edu/auxiliary-enterprises/insurance/>).