Tuition and Fees
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Associate of Applied Science in Diagnostic Medical Sonography
Program Start: Winter 2021

Non-Refundable Application fee: $60

Tuition per term:
FT 12+ credits: $7,900
PT 11-9 credits: $7,200
PT 8-6 credits: $6,500
PT 5 or fewer credits: $690 per attempted credit

Estimated program book cost:
Option 1: $939 (Cengage Unlimited E-books, 2-year access $240 and hard copies $699)
Option 2: $2,097 (all hard copies)

Additional out-of-pocket program costs:
Additional out-of-pocket program costs may be incurred. Additional external fees are not paid directly to Midwestern Career College (MCC). All costs are estimated, and prices are subject to change without notice or MCC's knowledge. Examples include, but are not limited to the fees to cover the cost of vaccination, drug screening, physical exam, and additional background check, among others that may be applicable. Estimates below do not include costs for travel to and from school and clinical education site, site-specific vaccination and drug screening requirements, site-specific uniform costs, or any other additional costs imposed by clinical sites, certification, and/or credentialing agencies among others. Students should also refer to the catalog and their enrollment agreement for more information on program specific and/or administrative fees.

Estimated additional fees:
Malpractice Insurance: $40
Cost of physical exam: varies
Cost of immunizations: varies
Criminal background check: $20*
CPR training: $60*
ARDMS Sonography Principles and Instrumentation (SPI):: $225*
ARDMS Registered Diagnostic Medical Sonographer (RDMS) Specialty - Abdomen (AB): $250
ARRT Sonography (S): $200*

*Criminal background check:
The cost of the first background check is covered by MCC during admission process. Depending on the timing of externship placement and clinical site's policies, students may be required to undego additional background check(s) at their own expense.

*CPR Training:
Limited CPR courses are offered free of charge by MCC for students enrolled in allied health programs. CPR course enrollment is subject to course capacity and seat availability.

*Certification Reimbursement Policy:

The Program offers reimbursement opportunity for the following certifications:

- ✓ American Registry for Diagnostic Medical Sonography (ARDMS) Sonography Principles and Instrumentation (SPI) exm
- ✓ American Registry of Radiologic Technologists (ARRT) Sonography (S) exam

MCC will reimburse the cost of the certification exams listed above once per the certification attempt. To qualify for reimbursement students must:

- Pass the program exit exam or certification preparation exam, if applicable;
- Receive written approval from the Program Director or designee before applying for the certification exam;
- Attempt the certification exam no later than 180 days from the program completion date;
- Provide a copy of the certification exam results (passing or failing) to the Program Director or designee within 14 calendar days of taking the exam or within 14 calendar days of the receipt of the certification exam results, if the results are not available immediately;
- Provide a copy of payment receipt to the Program Director or designee;
- Be in good academic, financial, and conduct standing with the college at the time of reimbursement.

If certification exam cost changes, MCC will reimburse the student up to the amount listed on this disclosure, but not higher than the actual cost of the certification exam as paid by the student. MCC will not reimburse for the certification exam costs paid by third parties. If a student has an open balance with the college, the certification exam reimbursement will be applied directly towards the student's open balance. If a student does not have an open balance with the college, a check will be mailed to the student's address on file with the college, unless other arrangements are made in advance with the Business Office. The policy may change with or without notice.