



Respiratory Therapy Program

WHAT DOES IT COST TO EDUCATE A RESPIRATORY THERAPY STUDENT?

List of Projected Expenses for Students Enrolling and Completing a 2-yr. Associate Degree Program

1. College Tuition/Fees: (\$46.00 per unit of credit - California Resident)

Prerequisites: English, Algebra, Chemistry, Anatomy, Med. Terminology (19 units @ \$46.00)	\$874.00
Respiratory Therapy Classes (48.5 units @ \$46.00)	\$2,231.00
Sciences Courses: Physiology, Microbiology (9 units @ \$46.00)	\$414.00
Additional general education to complete A.S. in Respiratory Therapy (18 units @ \$46.00)	\$828.00
Health Services fee	\$108.00
Student Body fees (ID, student union)	\$52.00
Campus Parking	\$210.00
TOTAL:	\$4,717.00

2. Textbooks and Required Materials: (These are approximate and change annually)

Total First Year RT Books	\$450.00
Total Second Year RT Books	\$450.00
Lab Supplies/Materials	\$50.00
Uniform/Stethoscope	\$100.00
(Estimate only includes Respiratory Therapy Program books) TOTAL:	\$1,050.00

3. Transportation Costs: Based on average of 30 mile round trip distance to classes and various hospitals throughout San Francisco and San Mateo Counties @ .20/per mile cost. Average 3 days per week x 71 weeks (5 semesters) x 20 mile round trip – approximately 4,260 miles x .20 / per mile.

TOTAL: \$852.00

4. Other Expenses:

Background Check (required for clinical entry)	\$100.00
Student Memberships in National/State Organizations (included)	\$0.00
Attendance – Professional Seminars / Conferences	\$300.00
State License /CRT Initial Application	\$500.00
RRT examination (First time applicant)	\$390.00
Graduation Expenses (Cap and Gown, pin)	\$60.00
TOTAL:	\$1,350.00

Grand Total: \$7,969.00