

ESTIMATED PTA PROGRAM COSTS (as of June 2024)

** The tuition rate for PTA courses is the same as for all other Heartland courses. **

** All tuition, fees, and cost estimates are subject to change without notice **

	Cost
Tuition & Fees: full PTA program (including prerequisites) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> \$168.00 / credit hour (In-District tuition) \$336.00 / credit hour (Out of District) \$420.00 / credit hour (Out-of-state / Out-of-country) \$ 17.00 (tech / life) / credit hour (college fees) \$825.00 course fees (for PTA course only) 	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>In - District</u> \$14,162.00 (168x72+17x72+825)</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Out of District</u> \$26,258.00 (336x72+17x72+825)</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Out-of-state</u> <u>Out-of-country</u> \$32,306.00 (420x72+17x72+825)</p>
Pre-entrance Criminal Background Check & Pre-entrance Drug Screening (Students pay ViewPoint Screening) (Performed prior to acceptance)	\$110.00
Pre-entrance Physical / Immunizations / Lab work (Performed prior to acceptance) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> There are a variety of immunizations required by our clinical partners. A list of immunizations will be distributed after acceptance into the program. 	\$500 – 1500.00
Books / Electronic Case Platforms (includes estimate for program prerequisites & program)	\$1,500- 2,500.00
Name Tag / Uniform / Shoes	\$300.00 / yr.
CPR Certification	\$60-70.00 / yr.
Personal Health Insurance (student's responsibility) (average annual cost for individual)	\$7,800.00/ yr.
Travel to Clinical Sites (based on current fuel prices) (average per week) (travel is within 90-mile radius of Normal, Illinois) (16 total weeks)	\$60 – 100.00/wk.
Graduation Pin	\$50.00

- TOTAL ESTIMATED COSTS: IN-DISTRICT = \$26,592 OUT-DISTRICIT = \$38,688 OUT STATE/COUNTRY = \$44,736**
- Student debt varies. Current statistics reveal less than 12% of students accepted to the PTA program had prior debt. Debt incurred after acceptance varies and is based on information in table and other student specific financial needs.
- Total number of weeks (excluding breaks) of student instruction/interaction (including classroom, laboratory, exams and clinical education.) = **80 weeks**

FEES FOR EMPLOYMENT:

National Physical Therapy Examination (required to become licensed in any state) (based on State of Illinois estimated costs)	\$ 107.00
Online application fee for Continental Testing Services	\$ 485.00
FSBPT registration	\$ 92.00
Prometric Testing Site Fee	
State of Illinois PTA License Fee (this will vary in other states)	\$125.00