Community College of Rhode Island Physical Therapists Assistant Program Financial Fact Sheet

2024

The data applies to students experiencing the program in academic year 2024 – 2025. (All cohorts enrolled from Fall 2024 – August 2025)

Length of Program which includes all student instruction/interaction (including classroom, laboratory, exams, and clinical education). Include the total number of weeks where either full or partial attendance is required.

Length of Program in Weeks excluding breaks: 72

Length of Program in Weeks including breaks: 110

Clinical Education

Does this program have a requirement for all students to complete at least one clinical education experience for which the students need to seek alternative housing or travel accommodations to attend? **No**

Note: Students are responsible for costs associated with housing, travel, and food during clinical education.

Student Costs

Note: These are costs experienced by students in the Fall 2024 – August 2025 academic year. **Annual costs are estimates and subject to increases. Students should contact the program for further information related to costs**

	Year 1	Year 2	Total
Annual Tuition Public Institution, In-district, or In-state Student:	\$6999	\$6848	\$13847
Annual Tuition Public Institution, Out-of-district, or Out-of-state student:	\$16999	\$21761	\$38760
Annual Tuition Private Institution Student:			
Annual institutional fees for a full-time student in the technical phase of the program[Includes general institutional fees, i.e., health insurance, recreation, etc.]	\$585	\$510	\$1095
Total expected cost of other program- related expenses [Includes: required texts, laboratory fees, and other program costs for the entire technical program.]	\$1599	\$1458	\$3057
Total Cost of the Program [Includes: tuition, fees, other program costs for the entire technical program	\$9183	\$8816	\$17999

Note: We encourage students to explore the cost of living for areas where they may choose to live. One possible website: https://livingwage.mit.edu/

The institution offers financial assistance specific to PTA students. YES

The program/institution offers scholarships specific to PTA students. YES

The program offers federal work-study positions specific to PTA students. YES

Note: Other opportunities may exist at the institution for FINANCIAL SUPPORT-please contact the program for further information.

We encourage APTA student members to visit the APTA Financial Solutions Center at https://www.apta.org/your-career/financial-management/financial-solutions-center.

Student Debt Summary

Average student debt from the PTA Program technical phase for students who graduated in calendar year 2024. \$3050

Average student debt after completing the PTA program for students who graduated in calendar year 2024. Includes federal student post-secondary loan debt. Include any private loan debt if available. \$5429