Berkshire Community College Physical Therapists Assistant Program

Financial Fact Sheet 2025

The data applies to students experiencing the program between Jan. 1, 2025 – Dec. 31, 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: 68 Length of Program in Weeks including breaks: 88

Clinical Education

Does this program have a requirement for all students to complete at least one clinical education experience for which the students would be required to seek alternative housing or travel accommodations to attend: _Yes _X No Note: Students are responsible for costs associated with housing, travel and food during clinical education. Programs should add any additional comments about clinical education here.

Students are expected to drive up to 1 ½ hours by car to at least one clinical site.

Student Costs

Note: Year 1 are costs experienced by students who enrolled in the program for the first time between Jan. 1, 2025 – Dec. 31, 2025. Annual costs for subsequent years are estimates based on the program's historical annual percentage increase of 0%. 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:	858	858	1716
Annual Tuition Public Institution, In-district or In-state.	0	0	0
Student eligible for free community college			
Annual Tuition Public Institution, In-district	1,287	1,287	2,574
New England and New York residents			
Annual Tuition Public Institution, Out-of-district or Out-of-state student :	8,580	8,580	17,160
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.]*	11,620	11,620	23,240
Total expected cost of other program- related expenses [Includes: required texts, laboratory fees, and other program costs for the entire technical program.]*	1,873.50	1,873.50	3,747
Total Cost of the Program [Includes: tuition, fees, other program costs for the entire	In-state	In-state	In-state
technical program.	14,351	14,351	28,702
	Free CC*	Free CC*	Free CC*
	6,252	6,252	12,504
	NE/NY	NE/NY	NE/NY
	14,780.50	14,780.50	29,561
	Out-of-state	Out-of-state	Out-of-state
	22,073.50	22,073.50	44,147

^{*}Some institutional fees and expenses may be covered under MassReconnect and MassEducate.

All above cost include a health insurance cost of \$4,379/year. This cost may be waived with documented proof of health insurance.

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

Does the institution offer financial assistance specific to PTA students? Yes X No
Does the program/institution offer scholarships specific to PTA students? X Yes No
Does the program offer federal work-study positions specific to PTA students?YesX No
Note: Other opportunities may exist at the institution for FINANCIAL SUPPORT. Please contact the program for further
information.

APTA student members are encouraged to visit the APTA Financial Solutions Center at:

https://www.apta.org/your-career/financial-solutions-center