

**School of Allied Health Professions  
Loma Linda University Imaging Informatics, Cert  
Estimated Cost of Attendance  
2016-2017 School Year  
Beginning Summer Quarter 2016**

*Program-Related Expenses*

The table below is a budget cost sheet according to current tuition and fees for the School of Allied Health Professions at Loma Linda University. Costs for all expenses below are in accordance with current financial aid estimates for the 2016- 2017 school year.

**Please note that all expenses including tuition and fees are subject to change.**

**The Imaging Informatics, Certificate program does NOT qualify for financial aid on its own.**

<b>Imaging Informatics, Cert.</b>	
<b>Estimated Tuition &amp; Fees</b>	
<i>Expense</i>	<i>Certificate (24 units)</i>
Tuition	\$12,582
University Fees	\$0.00
<b>TOTAL TUITION &amp; FEES**</b>	<b>\$12,582**</b>
<b>Miscellaneous Expenses</b>	
<i>Expense</i>	<i>Certificate</i>
Textbooks (estimate)	\$1,000
Technology Fees	\$50.00
Supplies and Equipment	\$1,000
Housing (Room & Board)	Not available for online programs
Personal Expenses	Varies
Transportation	Minimal for Online
Background Check	\$50
<b>Total Misc. Expenses</b>	<b>2,100</b>
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$14,682</b>

**Notes:**

- Tuition for the 2016-2017 school year is \$466.00/unit. For students in the Imaging Informatics, Cert. program, tuition is calculated resulting in the costs above.
- \*\*The Informatics program does not qualify for aid as a certificate. However, the average student uses the program as an area of emphasis in their Radiation Sciences, BS degree. See the Radiation Sciences, BS program page for additional information.
- University fees for the 2016-2017 school year are (\$768 /quarter) include misc. on-campus fees. Completely online students (non-clinical emphasis) will NOT be charged an enrollment fee.
- The technology fee covers an online PACS lab in the program.
- Supplies and equipment include: Traditional school supplies. The estimate reflects an average cost for all items.

- A personal desktop or laptop computer (or access to) with wireless capability and a broadband connection are required, and all students must have software compatible with the newest version of Microsoft Office. Additional recommended items such as a personal printer are not included in the estimate. Copy cards can be obtained to use on campus.
- A cellular device or personal digital assistant (PDA) or tablet is not required for the program but most students use them throughout various aspects of the program. Costs associated with their usage are not included in the above and are the student's financial responsibility. Students must be reachable by their programs through student email.
- For students to obtain financial aid to cover computer expenses, a form must be filed with the Financial Aid office. Please contact the Financial Aid office for more details.
- Personal living expenses are not included.
- The dress code for clinical based coursework may require students to wear scrubs or business casual clothing during both the preclinical and clinical years. Students often add these expenses to their personal budget before arriving on campus.
- Transportation costs to and from campus and to clinical sites, and relocation or moving costs are not included and are the student's responsibility.
- Fees associated with background checks or finger-printing is not covered by financial aid and are the student's responsibility.
- Membership dues for national and local professional organizations are not included in the estimate. Student membership in each is optional.
- For financial aid purposes, the school year runs from summer through spring. Thus, each student will apply for financial aid each school year they are in attendance of the program.
- International students are subject to additional fees that will be applied to their tuition.
- **All expenses, including tuition and fees, are subject to change.**

#### *Expenses after Graduation*

Students can expect a number of expenses that will need to be budgeted for immediately upon graduation in order to become certified and obtain licensure. Those graduates who desire to become involved in the profession through participation in the national and state professional associations will also need to budget for membership with these organizations.

Current costs associated with each of the above are listed below:

- Professional Fees upon Graduation
  - Certification examination varies by certification (see SIIM.org or PARCA - pacsadmin.org)
- Professional Fees after Graduation
  - Continuing medical education (CME) credits – variable
- Professional Association Fees (optional)
  - Varies by association (see asrt.org)

*Financial Aid: The Informatics Cert program does NOT qualify for aid on its own.*

The majority of students apply for loans to finance their education at our university. For more information, see our Financial Aid page or contact our department ([radsci@llu.edu](mailto:radsci@llu.edu))