

**DOWNSTATE HEALTH SCIENCES UNIVERSITY**  
**COLLEGE OF NURSING- ACCELERATED BS PROGRAM**  
**Additional Required Program Fees\***

Accepted applicants into the Accelerated BS Program must fulfill the following requirements by the date indicated.

<b>*Fee Description</b>	<b>Due Date</b>
<b>Student Liability/Malpractice Insurance (Annual Requirement)</b> Go to <a href="http://www.nso.com">http://www.nso.com</a> for purchase information [~ \$43]	August 29, 2025
<b>Royal Blue</b> Top & White Pants (Skirts) ; White Nurse's shoes & WHITE socks (not athletic style shoes) Purchase <b>uniform from a store of your choice</b> (cost varies) College of Nursing <b>patch</b> (~\$4.50 each) for <b>uniform &amp; lab coat</b> Affix to <b>Left Sleeve</b> <b>Lab Coat</b> (short) for White Coat Ceremony & Convocation <b>Bandage Scissors</b> [~ \$5.50- \$8+] <b>Pen-Light</b> [~ \$5.50] <b>Watch</b> with a second hand (for taking Vital Signs) <b>Stethoscope</b> [~ \$75 - \$150+ suggestion is to purchase the best you can afford example – Littman Cardio]	College of Nursing patch for: Uniform sleeve White Coat sleeve
<b>CPR Certification (American Heart Association's BLS for Healthcare Providers)</b> . For a list of sites offering BLS by the American Heart Association, go to <a href="http://www.americanheart.org">http://www.americanheart.org</a> and select "CPR & ECC." For Healthcare Providers[~ \$50 - \$100], A current BLS card must be on file for students to participate in clinical rotation each semester. <b>*Red Cross CPR is not accepted</b>	August 29, 2025 Note: You are required to provide a photocopy of your signed BLS card for Healthcare Providers to be cleared to start clinical.
<b>Typhon Group Clinical Tracking System</b> Data entry system to manage clinical clearances and track required clinical documents (~ \$70-\$90), go to <a href="https://www.typhongroup.net/">https://www.typhongroup.net/</a> <i>Typhon System gives students 60 days advanced notification alerts when required clinical documents will expire. Students must renew/update all required clinical documents to participate in clinical and remain on track to progress in the ABSN Program</i>	August 29, 2025 Fee is paid directly to Typhon Group <b>Students must have the required current clinical documents to participate in clinical.</b>
<b>Background Check and Drug Screening (Annual Requirement)</b> <a href="https://portal.castlebranch.com/UK74/package-selection">https://portal.castlebranch.com/UK74/package-selection</a> Click - "Please Select" Select <b>Drug screen code:</b> Select Downstate- <b>Select YG72dt – Drug Test</b> [~ \$47.99] <b>Background code:</b> Select Health Prof/Nursing/Pub Health [~ \$141.99] <b>Select: SU41bg – Background check</b>	August 29, 2025
<b>Assessment Technologies Institute (ATI)</b> A web-based program for tutorials, practice assessments, skills & testing. Includes additional preparation for the NCLEX exam (Live NCLEX and virtual review courses). *\$2,269.00 paid in four (4) installments of \$567.25 per semester <b>*cost subject to change. Create your account and pay directly to ATI at</b> <a href="https://www.atitesting.com">https://www.atitesting.com</a>	August 29, 2025 If you have questions, please contact ATI at <a href="https://www.atitesting.com">https://www.atitesting.com</a>
<b>Course-Specific Textbooks</b> and other Course Resources/Supplies Variable cost for EACH course every semester. (Include <b>e-Books</b> and CoursePoint+)	Textbooks/resources are to be procured in time for the first day of class each semester.
Tuition, College Fees, Activity Fees, Technology Fees, Student Health Fees, Transcript Fees, Graduation Regalia Fee <a href="https://sls.downstate.edu/bursar/tuition_fees.html">https://sls.downstate.edu/bursar/tuition_fees.html</a>	Please see the university website to review these costs/fees and due dates.

**\*Please note: Fees/costs are estimates and subject to change.**

I have read and understand and accept the **Additional Required Program Fees & Equipment for the Accelerated BS Program**. Please return the signed and dated Required Program Fees & Equipment Form with your acceptance letter. Thank you.

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_