# **University Student Financial Assistance**

### 2023-2024 Estimated Cost of Attendance and Financial Aid

## School of Pharmacy - MCST

Applicants needing federal and institutional financial assistance to help with the cost of attending a school or program at UMB must complete the **Free Application for Federal Aid** (FAFSA). Please note:

- ➤ USFA strongly encourages completing the FAFSA at <a href="https://fafsa.ed.gov">https://fafsa.ed.gov</a> no later than March 1<sup>st</sup> for priority consideration
- > The 2023-2024 FAFSA covers the 2023-2024 Academic Year (Summer 2023, Fall 2023 and Spring 2024)
- > Students must complete a FAFSA for every academic year they wish to receive assistance.

### **Estimated Cost of Attendance**

The Cost of Attendance (COA) is the maximum amount of financial assistance available to a student in one academic year. The COA is determined using each student's enrollment and residency classification (Resident or Non-Resident).

Budget Item	MCST Resident	MCST Non-Resident
Tuition	\$8,148	\$10,044
Mandatory Fees	\$871	\$871
Books	\$1,200	\$1,200
Living Expenses*	\$26,550	\$26,550
Loan Fees	\$778	\$860
Transportation	\$2,000	\$2,000
Total	\$39,547	\$41,525

<sup>\*</sup>Living expenses are based on off-campus housing which includes University Suites at Fayette Square.

Applicants are awarded 100% of the Cost of Attendance with assistance from federal and institutional resources.

#### Sample Financial Aid Award

Award Type	Source	Amount
Federal Direct Stafford Loan Unsubsidized	Federal	\$ 20,500
Federal Direct Graduate PLUS	Federal	Cost of Attendance minus all other aid

For additional questions regarding the financial aid process, please email University Student Financial Assistance – aidtalk@umaryland.edu