

Estimated Expenses for 2017-18 Master's Degree Biomedical Sciences		
Budget Components	Monthly Allowance	9 months
Tuition*	\$1000 per cr hr x 30 hrs	\$30,000
Living Allowance	\$1,157/mo	\$10,413
	\$969 books + \$300	
Books, Supplies, Equipment **	Supp/Equip	\$1,269
Laptop/Software**		\$3,000
Personal Expenses	\$228/mo	\$2,052
Transportation, including Parking	\$263/mo	\$2,367
TOTAL		\$49,101
Health Insurance ***	added upon request	

<sup>\*</sup> Tuition includes student fees. Rates subject to annual review and change by the Western Michigan University Homer Stryker M.D. School of Medicine board of directors.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Master's in Biomedical Sciences Degree students receive \$0 computer allowance and reduced books/supplies allowance upon matriculation into year 1 of the MD program.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Requests to add the cost of health insurance premiums (for the student only) will be considered on a case-by-case basis for students who submit an Appeal for Individual Budget Increase Form with proof of payment. Students are required to carry health insurance throughout their degree program that provides coverage for preventive, diagnostic, therapeutic, and mental health services. Students may satisfy the health insurance requirement using the government healthcare exchange, Medicaid insurance, or private health insurance under a parent plan, spouse/partner plan, or separate individual/family health insurance plan.