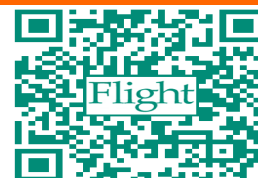


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Financial Literacy Information for Graduate/Professional Health Students of Today
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Don't Forget To Exit !!!

Congratulations!!! You are approaching one of the most exciting and momentous days of your life... Graduation Commencement! UTHSC is required to ensure that you receive Federal Exit Loan Counseling before you graduate. Exit counseling is similar to the Entrance counseling you received when you first completed your master promissory note. This learning opportunity provides information about your rights and responsibilities as a borrower, including information about various repayment plans and deferment or forbearance options that may be available to you if you are unable to make a payment.

All 2015 graduates' who have ACCEPTED Federal Student Loans, and applied the funds toward the cost of tuition, must complete this requirement by May 12, 2015. Failure to complete will result in a hold being placed on your diploma. You can complete your Federal Exit Loan Counseling via this website <https://studentloans.gov>.

Students who have **Perkins loans** may complete the Perkins Loans exit counseling online at <http://www.heartlandesci.com/> (ECSI) Educational Computer System, Inc. **Perkins loans must be repaid to UTHSC**. Each student must contact the Bursars Office at <http://www.uthsc.edu/finance/bursar/> or 901- 448-5550 to discuss repayment options.



The World Is Yours To Conquer

Last Day to Request Loans for 2014-15!!!

- ◆ **Spring 2015 - May 15, 2015**
- ◆ **Summer 2015 - May 30, 2015**

Notes: This is the date your loan application must be received. In addition, the Additional Funds Request Form must be received in person, email or fax . We suggest you submit your requests early!

2015-16 Award Letters!!!

As of **April 29, 2015**, award letters were distributed to all **M1s** for 2015-16. All other students should be processed by the end of this week.

To review and/or accept these funds, please log into **Banner Self-Service** and select Financial Aid. Then click on "Award," "Award for Aid Year," and select the appropriate aid year. From there you will be able to select the "Award" tab to view and accept your awards. If the "Award" tab is not activated, it is because the "Terms & Conditions" tab has not been accepted. Please accept "Terms & Conditions" first. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the UTHSC financial aid office 901-448-2664.

May 2015 Graduation Dates!

Pharmacy: Friday, May 15 at 2:00 p.m.
Location: [Mississippi Boulevard Christian Church](#)

Dentistry: Friday, May 22 at 1:30 p.m.
Location: [Mississippi Boulevard Christian Church](#)

Health Professions: Friday, May 29 at 9:00 a.m.
Location: [Cannon Center](#)

Graduate Health Sciences: Friday, May 29 at 11:00 a.m.
Location: [Cook Convention Center](#)

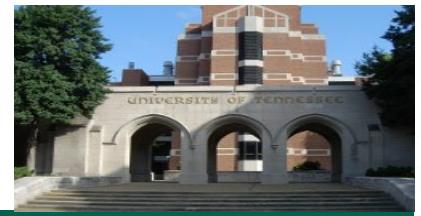
Medicine: Friday, May 29 at 1:30 p.m.
Location: [Cannon Center](#)

Nursing: Friday, May 29 at 7:00 p.m.
Location: [Cannon Center](#)

Financial Literacy Knowledge

The F.L.I.G.H.T. Monthly Newsletter suggests the following publications on Financial Literacy:

- ◆ [Income-Driven Repayment Plans](#)
- ◆ [Loan Consolidation](#)
- ◆ [Public Service Loan Forgiveness](#)
- ◆ [Repayment Estimator](#)
- ◆ [A Simple Guide for First-Time Homebuyers](#)
- ◆ [Where to start building credit](#)
- ◆ [Should Couples Keep Their Financial Assets Separate?](#)



SCHOLARSHIPS, AWARDS & FELLOWSHIPS

Thermo Scientific™ Pierce™ Scholarship Award for 2015 Fall semester - We are offering future science scholars [another opportunity](#) to win up to \$10,000 in scholarship funding for the 2015-2016 academic school year. This scholarship was created to help provide educational opportunities for future generations of scientists.

Six available awards

- Two \$10,000 scholarships
- Four \$5,000 scholarships

For complete rules or to apply, please go to thermoscientific.com/piercescholarship. All applications must be received by 11:59 p.m. CT on July 27, 2015. Scholarship winners will be announced by August 17, 2015.

Dental Trade Alliance Foundation Dental Student Scholarship -The DTA Foundation is proud to announce that nine \$5,000 dental student scholarships will be awarded in 2015. The purpose of this scholarship is to recognize dental students who have an established commitment to community service by providing \$5,000 in financial support to a third or fourth year dental student who has demonstrated:

- Academic excellence in dentistry;
- Financial need; and
- A commitment to community service.

Use the links below to learn more about the scholarship opportunity or to download the application:

[DTA Foundation Scholarship Program](#)

[2015 DTA Foundation Scholarship Eligibility Requirements](#)

[Application Part 1: Instruction & Qualification Form](#) To be completed by the Dean or Dean's designate.

[Application Part 2: Community Service & Accomplishments Form](#) To be completed by the student.

The David Satcher, MD Clerkship - A national model for the recruitment of URM medical students as potential resident candidates, the David Satcher, MD Clerkship was founded in 1991 at University Hospitals. This unique program is designed to insure that the diversity of future generations of healthcare leaders receives accurate representation and as its pledge to assure that the needs of the underserved and underrepresented ethnic communities will be met. University Hospitals Medical Center (UHMC) is the primary affiliate academic medical center of Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine. As a David Satcher Clerk, students will be assigned an Academic mentor, a Resident mentor, and as a unique feature, a Community mentor who will assist the student in learning and exploring the city of Cleveland during his/her stay. Students are assisted with securing housing as well as being provided with a stipend of \$2500.00 to assist with travel, housing and any other expenses. Applications will be considered on a rolling basis with a **final deadline of May 15th**. Students are encouraged to begin the application process as soon as possible. Learn more about the [David Satcher Clerkship Application Process](#)

Medical Education Fellowship for Medical Students - The University of Miami Miller School of Medicine is offering a one year medical education fellowship to a medical student after completion of year 2 of the traditional MD curriculum. Modeled after the Khan Academy, the Miller School has developed a program to deliver a competency-based, self-directed curriculum that utilizes online modules with short videos and self-assessment questions in addition to in class problem solving sessions leading to formative and summative assessments. This fellow must already have expertise in instructional technology resources to create short instructional videos and will work collaboratively with faculty and an instructional design specialist on this initiative. A graduate student stipend for the year will be provided along with support for travel to the Khan Academy in Mountain View, California and other medical education conferences. For more information, please contact Dr. Alex J. Mechaber, Senior Associate Dean for Undergraduate Medical Education, amechabe@med.miami.edu, 305.243.0496.

David R. Cox Prize For Rare Compassion - Essay Contest for First and Second Year Medical Students: Selected submissions will be considered for publication online or in print, and winning authors will additionally receive a certificate and up to **\$1,500 in cash prize**. Students are asked to write a reflection essay about a new relationship they've forged with a patient, family, or advocate affected by a rare or neglected disease within the last 12 months. We're happy to help introduce interested students to patient communities in their area. For such assistance, please email Carrie Ostrea, Advocacy Director, at carrieo@globalgenes.org.

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