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Financial Literacy Information for Graduate/Professional Health Students of Today  
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May 2017

## IRS DRT - Unavailable!

On May 3, 2017, Federal Student Aid announced the following:

- The Internal Revenue Service (IRS) Data Retrieval Tool (DRT) will be available to use on the 2018–19 FAFSA® form on fafsa.gov when the form launches on Oct. 1, 2017.
- The IRS DRT will not return for either the 2016–17 or 2017–18 FAFSA forms.

The income information needed to complete the FAFSA form or to apply for an IDR plan can be found on a previously filed tax return. **(Remember: Both the 2016–17 and 2017–18 FAFSA forms require your 2015 tax data.)** If you don't have a copy of your tax return, you may be able to access the tax software used to prepare the return or contact your tax preparer to obtain a copy. You also may visit [irs.gov/transcript](http://irs.gov/transcript) to view and download a summary (called a “transcript”) of your tax return or to request that a tax transcript be sent to you by mail.

Got your tax return or transcript in hand, and not sure what goes where on the FAFSA® form? The information provided at this link will help you [fill out the FAFSA® form without access to the IRS DRT](#). For more information on or for help with completing the FAFSA, visit [StudentAid.gov/fafsa](http://StudentAid.gov/fafsa) or call 1-800-4FED-AID (1-800-433-3243).

## WEBINAR

Student Loan Best Practices for 2017 Medical Graduates  
[RSVP for one of the following sessions here](#)

- Thursday, May 25th at 8pm EST  
[Public Service Loan Forgiveness - What You Need to Know](#)
- June 16, 2017  
[Using the MedLoans Organizer and Calculator to Determine Your Repayment Options](#)
- July 14, 2017

Graduates, if you have not completed [Federal or Perkins Loan Exit Counseling](#), a **HOLD** has been placed on your student account. Please complete asap **before** graduation! See links below...

[Federal Loan Exit Counseling](#)  
[Perkins Loan Exit Counseling](#)

## The One Stop Shop

The One Stop Shop is [your first stop - and possibly your only stop](#) - for frequently asked questions or problems you may have regarding [financial aid, registration, admissions, student life, or student accounts](#).

[Transcript requests are processed at the One Stop Shop.](#) Transcripts can be ordered by current students, alumni, and former students of the University.

Transcript requests are generally processed and mailed within 3-5 business days (5-7 during peak times).

- **Mail** – Transcripts are mailed using standard delivery through the U.S. Postal Service. You may opt for express shipping at your own cost. Students must provide a FedEx account # with the recipient's name and address to the Registrar's Office.
- **Pickup** – Transcripts can be held for pick up at the Registrar's Office. Students must provide a photo ID before the transcript is released.

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## SCHOLARSHIPS, AWARDS & FELLOWSHIPS

**UTHSC SPORTATON Scholarship** - The Scholarship is designed to help students and to make things a little bit easier for the students, whose cost of attending college or graduating school is very high. UTHSC run this scholarship program each year. For more information: <https://www.sportaton.com/scholarship>

Award: \$1000

**Application Deadline: March 31, 2018**

**Pharmacy Express Scripts Scholars Program** - The Express Scripts Foundation recognizes that students interested in dual degrees may have increased financial need, and supports the efforts of academic pharmacy to educate students with diverse interests. The Express Scripts Scholars Program (the Program) provides four (4) \$10,000 scholarships to enrolled dual degree students. The awarded students are given \$2,500 per semester for 4 consecutive semesters, totaling \$10,000 over 2 years. If you do not have 4 semesters remaining in your program, then you will be awarded \$2,500 per semester that you have remaining (e.g. 2 remaining semesters = \$2500 + \$2500 totaling \$5000). Additional consideration will be given to low socio-economic status\* students as well as students who are underrepresented minorities. Fill out the [Online Application](#) with the required information and upload the application forms as PDFs. For more information: [Express Scripts Application Deadline - The application deadline is May 15, 2017 at 5:00 p.m. EDT](#)

### **The 2017 Dental Student Scholarship application is now open!**

In 2017 the DTA Foundation will select 27 dental students to receive a \$5,000 scholarship to be applied towards tuition and fees. Each U.S. dental school dean may nominate one student from their school. All applications from each dental school must be submitted by the dean's office. **(Applications sent individually by the applicant are not considered.)**

Applicants must be in the class of 2018 or class of 2019 at a dental school accredited by the Commission on Dental Accreditation, with demonstrated financial need, have a commitment to community service and be in good academic standing with their university.

Scholarship Eligibility and Application Documents:

[2017 DTA Foundation Scholarship Eligibility Requirements](#)

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

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

**The deadline to submit an application for the 2017 scholarship program is May 17, 2017.**

**Location:**

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**Hours:**

Monday - Friday  
8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.