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### **Financial Aid Disbursements**

Financial Aid Disbursements typically occur during the first week of classes for students meeting all financial aid eligibility, enrollment requirements and for students without any active holds. Please check your student account for any holds or incomplete checklist items that may be preventing your financial aid award from disbursing.

First-time borrowers complete theses documents on Studentaid.gov:

- Federal Student Loan Entrance Counseling
- Master Promissory Note (MPN) /Loan Agreement

Existing borrowers can find a copy of completed MPNs an Entrance Counseling on **Studentaid.gov**.

Financial aid awards are estimated based on anticipated full-time enrollment. Students must meet Satisfactory Academic Progress (SAP) and be enrolled at least halftime for loans to disburse.\*

After the add-drop period, financial aid eligibility will be reevaluated and adjusted to reflect semester registration, which may result in a balance owed if you modified your enrollment. Outstanding tuition balances will be reflected on your University student account. Add-drop deadlines are available on the Registrar's website.

\*For summer semester loans to disburse, students must be enrolled the entire 12-week period.

### **Summer 2024 Disbursement Dates**

MD Anderson 04/29/2024 Medical III 05/03/2024 Medical IV 05/03/2024 **GSBS** 05/15/2024 Nursina 05/15/2024 SPH 05/15/2024

05/15/2024 Dental Hygiene 05/22/2024

Post Grad Dental 06/24/2024

Medical I 07/29/2024

Medical II 07/29/2024

Dental (DDS) I-IV 08/12/2024



Allow 2 business days after the disbursement date for refunds to post to direct deposit accounts. A paper check will be mailed to the address on file in 3-5 business days if your are not enrolled in direct deposit.

> Refund questions? Contact Bursar@uth.tmc.edu

## 2024-2025 FAFSA is live!!



Apply Now at **Studentaid.gov** 

**School Codes:** 

UTHealth 013956

**UTMDACC 017249** 

## What's new?

# There is new terminology on the 2024-2025 FAFSA



- 1. **Student Aid Index (SAI)** The SAI is a new eligibility index number the financial aid office will use to determine need-based financial aid eligibility. The SAI replaces the Estimated Family Contribution (EFC) starting with the 2024-2025 academic year.
- 2. **Contributor** A contributor is anyone required to provide consent and approval for obtaining federal tax information needed to complete a student's FAFSA. This includes the student, the student's parent(s) if the student is a dependent, and the student's spouse, if applicable.
- 3. Future Act Direct Data Exchange (FA-DDX) In 2024-2025, the FADDX authorizes the IRS to provide federal tax information directly to the FAFSA application upon receiving consent from the contributor. The FA-DDX replaces the IRS Data Retrieval tool.
- 4. **FAFSA Submission Summary (FSS)** Document providing a summary of data input on the FAFSA application. The FAFSA Submission Summary replaces the Student Aid Report (SAR).
- 5. **Family Size**: Replaces the term "household size" on the FAFSA form. It captures the appropriate number of family members and dependents in the applicant's household based on the number of exemptions reported on the IRS tax return.





# Get answers to frequently asked FAFSA questions

How to create a StudentAid.gov account

https://studentaid.gov/fsa-id/create-account/launch

How to fill out the FAFSA

https://studentaid.gov/apply-for-aid/fafsa/filling-out

How to submit the FAFSA for contributors without a Social Security Number (SSN).

https://studentaid.gov/announcements-events/fafsa-support/contributor-social-security-number

How to find my 2022 tax information for the 2024-25 FAFSA

https://studentaid.gov/2425/help/find-tax-information

How to sign the FAFSA form

https://studentaid.gov/help/how-sign-fafsa

How to view your FAFSA Submission Summary

https://studentaid.gov/help/view-fafsa-submission-summary

How to review and correct your FAFSA form

https://studentaid.gov/apply-for-aid/fafsa/review-and-correct

How to check your FAFSA status

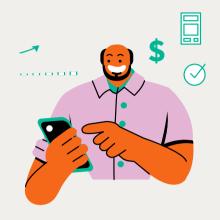
https://studentaid.gov/help/check-fafsa-status

How to access FAQ's for FAFSA

https://studentaid.gov/apply-for-aid/fafsa/filling-out/help

# Navigating MyUTH





### **Accepting a Financial Aid Offer**

- 1. Log on to myUTH Student Center
- 2. Select Financial Aid
- 3. View Financial Aid
- 4. Choose Aid Year
- 5. Click Accept/Decline Awards

Contact the Office of Student Financial Services at (713) 500-3860 or <a href="mailto:Sfaregis@uth.tmc.edu">Sfaregis@uth.tmc.edu</a> with student loan or financial aid questions.

### Installment Plan Enrollment

- 1. Log on to myUTH Student Center
- 2. Select Account Inquiry
- 3. Click on Account Services
- 4. Enroll in Installment Plan



Medical and Dental (DDS) students are encouraged to sign up for an installment plan prior to financial aid disbursing.

Contact <a href="mailto:Bursar@uth.tmc.edu">Bursar@uth.tmc.edu</a> with installment plan questions.

### **Direct Deposit**

#### Part 1

- 1. Log on to myUTH Student Center
- 2. Select Account Inquiry
- 3. Choose Account Services
- 4. Click on Bank Accounts
- 5. Add Account



#### Part 2

- 1. Log on to myUTH Student Center
- 2. Select Account Inquiry
- 3. Choose Account Servcies
- 4. Click on Direct Deposit

Follow instructions to enter your bank account information and complete enrollment. Please allow up to 48 hours for processing.

Contact <u>Bursar@uth.tmc.edu</u> with any direct deposit questions.

#### **Summer 2024 Graduates**

If you borrowed Federal Direct or Institutional loans, you are required to complete Loan Exit Counseling prior to graduation.

### **Accessing Loan Exit Counseling Instructions**



If you have questions regarding loan Exit Counseling, contact <a href="mailto:Studentloancollections@uth.tmc.edu">Studentloancollections@uth.tmc.edu</a>.







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