

DUKE UNIVERSITY  
 Doctor of Physical Therapy Program  
 Financial Fact Sheet  
 2025

The data applies to students experiencing the program between Jan. 1, 2025 – Dec. 31, 2025.

Length of Program which includes all student instruction/interaction (including classroom, laboratory, exams, and clinical education). Include the total number of weeks where either full or partial attendance is required.

Length of Program in Weeks excluding breaks:   124  

Length of Program in Weeks including breaks:   143  

**Clinical Education**

Does this program have a requirement for all students to complete at least one clinical education experience for which the students would be required to seek alternative housing or travel accommodations to attend   Yes     X   No

Note: Students are responsible for costs associated with housing, travel and food during clinical education. Programs should add any additional comments about clinical education here.

**Duke DPT partners with clinical sites across the country. Students are expected to be prepared to travel away from the local area in order to fulfill program clinical education requirements and/or participate in desired clinical experiences.**

**All costs incurred during clinical education coursework is, at all times, the student’s responsibility. Location of suitable housing and maintenance of dependable transportation is also the responsibility of the student. Potential costs include those related to:**

- **housing, travel, and other living expenses**
- **arrangements for pet care and childcare**
- **fulfillment of additional compliance requirements required by clinical site**
- **additional requirements of matching to a clinical site, including travel for an on-site interview**
- **access and utilization of emergency services**

**Student Costs**

Note: Year 1 are costs experienced by students who enrolled in the program for the first time between Jan. 1, 2025 – Dec. 31, 2025. Annual costs for subsequent years are estimates based on the program’s historical annual percentage increase of **1.6%**. Students should contact the program for further information related to costs.

	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Total
Annual Tuition Public Institution, In-state Student:	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Annual Tuition Public Institution, Out-of-state student:	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Annual Tuition Private Institution Student:	\$42,000	\$42,000	\$42,000	N/A	\$126,000
Annual institutional fees for a full-time student [Includes general institutional fees, i.e., health insurance, recreation, etc.]	\$8,772	\$6,857	\$5,921	N/A	\$21,550
Total expected cost of other program-related expenses [Includes: required texts, laboratory fees, and other program costs for the entire technical program.]	\$3,925	\$320	\$0	N/A	\$4,245
Total Cost of the Program [Includes: tuition, fees, other program costs for the entire program.]	\$54,697	\$49,177	\$47,921	N/A	\$151,795

**Note: Students are encouraged to explore the cost of living for areas where they may choose to live. One possible website: <https://livingwage.mit.edu/>**

Does the institution offer financial assistance specific to DPT students?  Yes  No

Does the program/institution offer scholarships specific to DPT students?  Yes  No

Does the program offer graduate assistantships specific to DPT students?  Yes  No

Note: Other opportunities may exist at the institution for FINANCIAL SUPPORT-please contact the program for further information.

**APTA student members are encouraged to visit the APTA Financial Solutions Center at <https://www.apta.org/your-career/financial-solutions-center>.**

#### Student Debt Summary

**(Programs with less than 10 graduates in calendar year 2025 are not required to complete this section)**

Average student debt from the DPT Program for students who graduated or will graduate between Jan. 1 – Dec. 31, 2025.

\$118,443

Average total student debt after completing the DPT Program for students who graduated or will graduate between Jan. 1 – Dec. 31, 2025.

Include all student loan debt. N/A