

Life Chiropractic College West

Tuition and Fees Policy

Domestic Students and General Policy

For first-term Life Chiropractic College West students, tuition is due by the end of the second week of the quarter. Subsequently, tuition is due and payable prior to the beginning of each quarter. Payment dates are well in advance for each quarter. Tuition not paid by these due dates is considered late and a late fee will be assessed. **A domestic student is ineligible to attend class if payment of tuition and late fees are not made by the fifth day of class each quarter.**

Students who are interns qualified to adjust patients must have paid all tuition owing for the quarter in order to be registered as a student and eligible to adjust patients under the College's Professional Liability policy. Interns who remain in arrears will be blocked from interning in the Health Center. Personal checks, cash, and financial aid are accepted in payment of obligations due to the College.

A \$25 collection fee is assessed for any check returned unpaid by the bank. Such checks must be made good within 5 business days after notification, or the student will be suspended from the College. College policy prohibits payment of tuition by credit card. During the current academic year, tuition is \$8,880 (subject to change) per quarter for full time students (12 or more credits). For students with 11 credits or less, tuition is \$740 per credit. Other fees (all subject to change) include the application fee, \$45; matriculation fee, \$200 (applicable towards first-quarter tuition); late registration fee, \$10 to \$200; graduation fee, \$150; re-make examination fee, \$40; and the late tuition payment fee, \$30-\$200.

International Students

International students are billed at the domestic rate of tuition. By paying tuition by the posted due dates and having a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or better and being a Full Time student they qualify for a 20% deduction in tuition charges. GPA is not determined for the following quarter at the time tuition is due thus an agreement is signed in the Business Office at the time of payment. The agreement states in part the following:

On the tuition due date I can deduct 20% from my tuition charges with the agreement that if I do not meet the GPA requirements I will return during the first week of the new quarter and pay the remaining balance of my tuition.

If I fail to make my tuition payments on time, or if my check fails to clear the bank and is returned I understand that I lose the 20% credit. I will also accumulate late fees until the check is made negotiable. Failure to comply will result in having my registration cancelled.

Tuition payments can be made by cash, personal checks drawn on U.S. dollars, cashier's checks drawn on U.S. dollars or wire transfers into college bank account. You can get the transfer information from the Bursar.

Information on the estimated cost of required books and supplies appears in the sample student budget, available at the Cost of Program page on the College's website.