

FINANCIAL AID INFORMATION

OFFICE OF FINANCIAL AID

Barbara Smith, Assistant Director of Financial Aid, is dedicated to serving the needs of students enrolled in the Post-Baccalaureate Premedical Program. You may contact her directly by email at bsmith@goucher.edu, by phone at 410-337-6430, or by mail at 1021 Dulaney Valley Road, Baltimore, MD 21204-2794. She will be glad to answer any questions you may have about the financial aid process or your specific situation. You may also find information about applying for financial aid at www.goucher.edu/x15528.xml

LOANS

To help defray the costs of the program, both tuition and living expenses, you can apply for several types of loans, among them Federal Stafford loans (subsidized and unsubsidized), and alternative educational loans. Maryland residents may be eligible for Maryland state grants. Detailed information about the loan programs for which you are eligible will be sent to you once the Office of Student Financial Aid receives your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). General information about federal student loans, including a link to the online FAFSA, may be found at www.fafsa.ed.gov. Goucher's FAFSA school code is 002073.

DEADLINES

The preferred financial aid deadline for submitting the FAFSA is February 15. Awards will be mailed to applicants on April 1st if the financial aid priority deadline of February 15th has been met. Students who do not meet the priority deadline will receive an award 10-14 days after the financial aid file is complete.

DEFERMENT

If you are currently in repayment on your federal student loans, you will be able to defer payments as long as you are enrolled at least part-time (6 credits).

GRANTS

Each year, due to the generosity of the Helen Hosp Seamans bequest, we are able to provide five grants to students. These grants range from \$2,000 to \$4,000 and are awarded based on a combination of merit and need. The Post-Baccalaureate Premedical Program Admissions Committee considers all applicants for these grants.