The University of Michigan Medical School Financial Aid Office is here to help you navigate the best options for funding your education. Let’s start with a few basics:

**What is Financial Aid?**

Financial aid is scholarships, grants, and loans that assist students in meeting their college expenses.

Two common classifications of student financial aid are:

1. **GIFT ASSISTANCE**
   Scholarships and grants that do not have to be repaid. We award Admissions scholarships through alumni gifts to help students decrease their overall educational debt. Every admitted student is considered for an Admissions scholarship; no application is needed.

2. **SELF-HELP**
   Loans, which must be repaid, though in most cases not until the student has finished medical school.

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**More than 55% of students received gift aid**

(Scholarships and/or grants) in 2020-21 totaling more than $14 million

- **36%** students received need-based grants
  - AVERAGE GRANT (AS HIGH AS $20,000)
  - $13,017

- **45%** students received scholarships
  - AVERAGE SCHOLARSHIP (AS HIGH AS $73,650)
  - $32,773
8 Financial Aid Facts

1. Our tuition is competitively priced with other leading institutions.

2. We actively seek philanthropic support for scholarships, a top priority.

3. We are a national leader in grant and scholarship disbursement.

4. Every admitted student is considered for Admissions scholarships.

5. We work one-on-one with students to develop a sound financial aid plan.

6. More than half of our students receive a scholarship or grant, ranging from hundreds of dollars to full tuition.


8. We prepare personalized financial aid estimates for admitted students upon request.

$140,173 AVERAGE DEBT LOAD FOR CLASS OF 2020 UPON GRADUATION (FOR THOSE WHO BORROWED WHILE IN MEDICAL SCHOOL)

MORE THAN $40,000 BELOW THE AVERAGE

Medical school debt only. Source: AAMC FASR 2019-2020

Estimated M1 Student Expenses

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Costs vary depending on academic year. Annual increases are expected.

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