

## Diagnostic Medical Sonography Estimated Cost Sheet

This list of expenses is for prospective students to provide an idea of the costs associated with the DMS associate degree program. All dollar amounts are estimates and exact costs may vary. Additional expenses not listed here may be required.

### Tuition & Fees

Tuition is subject to change by action of the State Board of Community Colleges. Fees are payable with tuition and are charged on a per-credit hour basis at the beginning of each semester. Current tuition rates are available at <http://www.nvcc.edu/tuition/index.html>.

General Program		Vascular Program		Echocardiography Program	
Pre-requisites	19 credits	Pre-requisites	19 credits	Pre-requisites	19 credits
Semester 1	15 credits	Semester 1	15 credits	Semester 1	15 credits
Semester 2	14 credits	Semester 2	13 credits	Semester 2	13 credits
Semester 3	12 credits	Semester 3	8 credits	Semester 3	10 credits
Semester 4	12 credits	Semester 4	12 credits	Semester 4	12 credits
<b>Total Program</b>	<b>72 credits</b>	<b>Total Program</b>	<b>67 credits</b>	<b>Total Program</b>	<b>69 credits</b>

Program Expenses	Estimated Cost
TEAS Pre-Admission Test	\$58.00
Lab Supplies	\$20.00
Uniform for Clinical Rotations	\$125.00
Textbooks	\$500.00 - \$700.00
Background Check and Drug Screen	\$135.75 first year \$71.95 second year
Online Clinical Tracker	\$150.00
BLS Healthcare Provider CPR Class	Cost varies by training site
Medical Exam(s), Flu Shot(s), TB Testing, Immunization Updates and/or Titters	Cost varies with personal insurance
Parking Fees for Clinical Sites	Cost varies by site placement
SPI Certification Exam Fee (Physics)	\$225.00 (general, echo and vascular) Exam taken at beginning of Semester 3
Specialty Certification Exam Fee (RVT or RDCS)	\$250.00 (vascular or echo) Exam taken at end of Semester 4
Specialty Certification Exam Fee (RDMS)	\$250.00 Abdomen (general only) \$250.00 Ob/Gyn (general only) Exams taken at end of Semester 4