



**Step 5 – Cost of Attendance,
Tuition & Fees**

Practical Nursing Program for 2023

COST OF ATTENDANCE		
	Tuition*	\$17,898
The following are school fees of \$900**		
	Administrative Fee**	\$400
	Lab Fee**	\$250
	NLN Test Fee**	\$150
	Background Screening**	\$100
	Subtotal of Fees	\$900
	Tuition and Fees Total:	\$18,798
The following estimated expenses are paid directly to the vendor, not to Rockland BOCES:		
	Physical (estimated if uninsured)	\$375
	E-Textbooks	\$418
	Uniform & Lab Coat	\$100
	Watch, Stethoscope & Supplies	\$90
	NCLEX-PN State License Exam	\$178
	NCLEX Review Course (optional)	\$350
	Subtotal Books & Supplies	\$1,511
	Grand total of Cost of Attendance	\$20,309

*Effective Jan. 2023

METHODS OF PAYMENT:

MasterCard, VISA, and money orders are allowable forms of payment. Cash or personal checks are not accepted.

INSTALLMENT PLAN:

Tuition balance may be paid in two installments. First half of the tuition is expected on Sept 29th and the second half is due on Jan 31st. Student must sign a payment agreement to initiate the payment plan.

FINANCIAL AID:

Eligible applicants may apply for Federal Student Aid, NYS Higher Education Services Corp. (HESC), 1199 Service Employees International Union (SEIU), CSEA, ACCES-VR or the U.S. Veteran Affairs for tuition assistance.

Eligibility Requirements for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA for Federal PELL Grant & Loans):

- Have a high school transcript or state-approved high school equivalency credential or an evaluated foreign diploma stating secondary education is equivalent to U.S. high school education
- Must be U.S. citizen or eligible non-citizen
- Enrolled in the practical nursing program
- Registered with Selective Services (for male students only)
- Have no defaulted federal education loans
- Only undergraduates are eligible for Pell Grants

PRIVATE LENDER

Sallie Mae Career Training Smart Option <https://www.salliemae.com/student-loans/career-training-smart-option-student-loan/>
Student must complete a self-certification form for private education loans required under Section 128(e)(3) of the Truth in Lending Act with the Financial Aid Office.

SCHOLARSHIPS, GRANTS, EDUCATIONAL AID

1199 New York City SEIU Education Benefits <https://www.1199seiubenefits.org/city/>

1199 Upstate New York SEIU Education Benefits <https://www.1199seiubenefits.org/upstate/>

ACCES VR NYSED <http://www.acces.nysed.gov/vr/40500-college-and-university-training-services-policy>

All Nursing Schools: <https://www.allnursingschools.com/financial-aid/nursing-scholarships/>

FastWeb: <https://www.fastweb.com/>

Horatio Alger Association Scholarship <https://scholars.horatioalger.org/scholarships/>

NYS CSEA and Partnerships Tuition Benefits <https://www.nyscseapartnership.org/tuition-benefits>

NYS Higher Education Services Corporation (HESC) <https://www.hesc.ny.gov/pay-for-college/financial-aid/types-of-financial-aid.html#horizontalTab2>

Veterans Education and Training Benefits <https://www.va.gov/education/>

****Refund Policy for Students Who Withdraw on or Before the First Day of Class:**

If fees are collected in advance of the start date of class and student decides to drop this course before the first day of class, Rockland BOCES will return the lab, NLN (National League of Nursing) test, and background screening fees. A student's early withdrawal must be submitted in writing to the Practical Nursing Office no later than the first day of class.

Tuition refunds, when due, will be made upon written request from the student. All fees associated with the lab, NLN test, and background screening are refundable if withdrawals are received prior to the start date of class and submitted to the Financial Aid Counselor. The administrative fee will not be refunded.

The Federal Student Aid Title IV Refund Policy and Procedures will be followed as mandated by Federal Law. Contact the Practical Nursing Office at 845-627-4830 for further details of the refund policy of Federal Student Aid and R2T4 calculation.

Refund Policy:

The amount of tuition refund is prorated based on the amount of class time completed and are processed within 45 days of the last day of attendance. Once a student completes 60% of the hours in any given pay period there are no refunds given.

<u>% Completion of Enrollment Period</u>	<u>% Refund of Paid Tuition</u>
0%	100%
10% or less	75%
11% or less than 60%	20%
60% and over	0%

Refunds for Class Cancellation by Rockland BOCES

If tuition and fees are collected in advance of the start date of the Practical Nursing Program, and Rockland BOCES cancels the class, 100% of the tuition and fees collected in advance will be refunded. The refund shall be made within 45 days of the planned start date.