### Pay your loan now or later

Three repayment options let you make in-school payments or defer until after school. You select what best fits your financial and professional goals.

#### **Deferred repayment option**

No scheduled loan payments while you're in school and in grace (six months after leaving school).<sup>3</sup>



#### Fixed repayment option

Pay a fixed amount every month you're in school and in grace, and you can save on the total loan cost when compared to our deferred repayment option.<sup>3</sup>

In school	In grace	After school
Monthly fixed payment		Principal and interest

#### Interest repayment option

Pay interest every month you're in school and in grace. Your interest rate and your total loan cost will be lower than with our deferred repayment option.<sup>3</sup>

In school	In grace	After school
Monthly interest payment		Principal and interest

# Learn about paying for health professions graduate school

Studying for your degree is an investment in your future. Get tools and strategies to make a plan to pay for it:

- Find health professions scholarships, grants, and fellowships
- Learn about financial aid for graduate students
- Understand student loans
- Manage your debt

Get the graduate resources and information you need at **salliemae.com/healthinfo** 

This information is for graduate students attending participating degree-granting schools. Applications are subject to a requested minimum loan amount of \$1,000. Current credit and other eligibility criteria apply.

- ¹ Loan amount cannot exceed the cost of attendance less financial aid received as certified by the school. Sallie Mae reserves the right to approve a lower loan amount than the school-certified amount. Miscellaneous personal expenses (such as a laptop) may be included in the cost of attendance for students enrolled at least half time.
- <sup>2</sup> Although we do not charge a penalty or fee if you prepay your loan, any prepayment will be applied as outlined in your promissory note—first to Unpaid Fees and costs, then to Unpaid Interest, and then to Current Principal.
- <sup>3</sup> Interest is charged throughout the life of the loan—beginning with disbursement, during school, through any grace/separation period, and ending when the loan is paid in full. With the Fixed and Deferred Repayment Options, the interest rate is higher than with the Interest Repayment Option and Unpaid Interest is added to the loan's Current Principal at the end of the grace/separation period. Payments may be required during the grace/separation period depending on the repayment option selected. Variable rates may increase over the life of the loan.
- <sup>4</sup>You must apply for a new loan each school year. This approval percentage is based on students with a Sallie Mae graduate school loan in the 2018 19 school year who were approved when they returned in 2019 20. It does not include the denied applications of students who were ultimately approved in 2019 20.
- <sup>5</sup> To apply for this deferment, customers and an official from the internship, clerkship, fellowship, or residency program must complete and submit a deferment form to us for consideration. If approved, the loan will revert back to the same repayment option that applied during the in-school period for up to 12 months. Customers can apply for and receive a maximum of four 12-month deferment periods. Interest is charged during the deferment period and Unpaid Interest may be added to the Current Principal at the end of each deferment period, which will increase the Total Loan Cost.
- <sup>6</sup> Available for loans used to pay qualified higher education expenses at a degree-granting institution. The Graduated Repayment Period (GRP) allows interest-only payments for 12 billing periods after principal and interest repayment begins. At the time of the GRP request, the loan cannot be past due. Customers can request the GRP during the six billing periods before and the 12 billing periods immediately after the loan first enters principal and interest repayment. The GRP does not extend the loan term but does increase the Total Loan Cost. Monthly payments after the GRP will be higher than they would have been without it.
- <sup>7</sup> Borrower or cosigner must enroll in auto debit through Sallie Mae to receive a 0.25 percentage point interest rate reduction benefit. This benefit applies only during active repayment for as long as the Current Amount Due or Designated Amount is successfully withdrawn from the authorized bank account each month and may be suspended during periods of forbearance or deferment, if available for the loan.
- <sup>8</sup> Based on a comparison of approval rates for undergraduate and graduate borrowers of Sallie Mae student loans available during a rolling 12-month period from October 1, 2018 through September 30, 2019.
- Only the borrower may apply for cosigner release. Borrowers who meet the age of majority in their state may apply for cosigner release by providing proof of graduation (or completion of certification program), income, and U.S. citizenship or permanent residency (if your status has changed since you applied). In the last 12 months, the borrower must be current on all Sallie Mae-serviced loans (including no hardship forbearances or modified repayment programs) and have paid ahead or made 12 on-time principal and interest payments on each loan requested for release. When the cosigner release application is processed, the borrower must demonstrate the ability to assume full responsibility of the loan(s) individually and pass a credit review that demonstrates a satisfactory credit history including but not limited to no: bankruptcy, foreclosure, student loan(s) in default, or 90-day delinquencies in the last 24 months. Requirements are subject to change. Shortest qualification period based on a June 30, 2020 review of national private loan programs offered by publicly-traded competitors.
- <sup>10</sup> Borrowers and cosigners with an available FICO® Score and a Sallie Mae loan with a current balance greater than \$0, may receive their score quarterly after the first disbursement of their loan. The FICO® Score provided to you is the FICO® Score 8 based on Transbinion data, and is the same score that Sallie Mae uses, along with other information, to manage your account. FICO® Scores and associated educational contains a provided solely for your own non-commercial personal review, use and benefit. This benefit may change or end in the future. FICO® is a registered trademark of the Fair Isaac Corporation in the United States and other countries.
- <sup>11</sup> Explore federal loans and compare to ensure you understand the terms and features. Private student loans that have variable rates can go up over the life of the loan. Federal student loans are required by law to provide a range of flexible repayment options, including, but not limited to, income-based repayment and income-contingent repayment plans and loan forgiveness and deferment benefits, which other student loans are not required to provide. Federal loans generally have origination fees, but are available to students regardless of income.
- <sup>12</sup> Federal student loan information was gathered on August 25, 2020 from studentaid.gov.
- No more than 365 days can pass from the loan period end date to the first disbursement of the loan. At the time of request, the student must be enrolled, intending to enroll, or have graduated. The student must have been enrolled during the prior enrollment period for which the loan is requested and must not have withdrawn with no intention of re-enrolling, as verified by the school. Prior enrollment period must also be in a graduate field of study that is eligible for the loan.

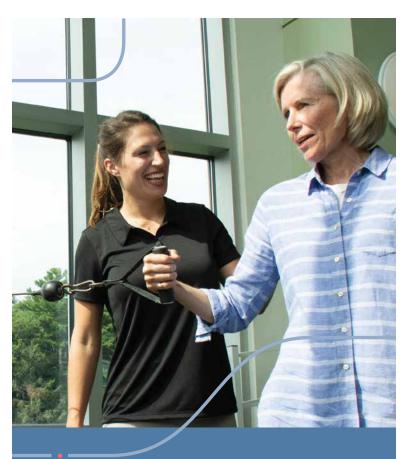
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# Sallie Mae<sup>®</sup> Graduate School Loan for Health Professions



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For degree-granting institutions

## Sallie Mae® Graduate School Loan for Health Professions

Getting a health professions graduate degree can be a lot of work. To help make paying for it easier, our loan is designed to help you cover 100% of your school-certified costs<sup>1</sup>, and offers repayment flexibility after you earn your degree.

Use this loan to pay for your health professions graduate school studies—when scholarships, grants, and federal student loans aren't enough.

### Cover your health professions graduate school expenses

- Apply once and get up to 100% of schoolcertified costs, like tuition, fees, books, housing, meals, travel, and technology for the entire school year—and no aggregate loan limit<sup>1</sup>
- No origination fee or prepayment penalty<sup>2</sup>
- In-school or deferred payment options—pay it back now or later<sup>3</sup>
- Competitive variable or fixed interest rates available
- Get the money you need year after year with our Multi-Year Advantage—returning graduate students have a 94% approval rate with a cosigner.<sup>4</sup>

#### Get repayment flexibility as you build your career

- 6-month grace period;<sup>3</sup> interest capitalizes (unpaid interest is added to your loan's principal amount) at the end of the grace period
- Up to 48 months of internship or licensure deferment<sup>5</sup>
- 12 monthly interest-only payments as you enter repayment with the Graduated Repayment Period (for eligible students)<sup>6</sup>

#### Lower your total loan cost

- 0.25 percentage-point interest rate reduction when you enroll in and make monthly payments through automatic debit<sup>7</sup>
- 0.50 percentage-point interest rate reduction when you choose the interest repayment option versus the deferred repayment option<sup>3</sup>

#### Defer payments during internships and licensure

A deferment can help you postpone or reduce your payments during your internship or licensure. It's available in increments of 12 months, up to a total of 48 months.<sup>5</sup>

#### Get repayment flexibility

Manage your budget after school with our Graduated Repayment Period. Qualified students can choose to make 12 monthly interest-only payments as they enter repayment.<sup>6</sup>

### Consider a cosigner

Graduate students are nearly four times more likely than undergrads to be approved on their own, but finding a parent, partner, or other creditworthy individual to cosign your loan may increase your chances of getting a loan approved. Plus, we offer the industry's shortest cosigner release qualification period—you can apply to release your cosigner from the loan after you graduate, make 12 on-time principal and interest payments, and meet certain credit requirements.<sup>9</sup>

#### Apply as an international student

If you're a non-U.S. citizen student who resides in and attends school in the U.S., you're eligible with a creditworthy cosigner (who must be a U.S. citizen or U.S. permanent resident) and must provide an unexpired government-issued photo ID to verify identity.

#### Track your credit health

You and your cosigner will have free access to quarterly FICO® Scores online.¹º You'll also see the key factor(s) affecting your score and educational content to help you understand why keeping tabs on your credit is important.

# Compare the Sallie Mae Graduate School Loan for Health Professions to the Federal Direct Graduate PLUS Loan

We encourage you to apply and compare the rates on the Sallie Mae Graduate School Loan for Health Professions to the rate offered on the Federal Direct Graduate PLUS Loan—choose the one that's right for you. If you are highly creditworthy, you may get a lower rate with our Graduate School Loan for Health Professions than with the Federal Direct Graduate PLUS Loan.<sup>11</sup>

	Sallie Mae Graduate School Loan for Health Professions	Federal Direct Graduate PLUS Loan <sup>12</sup>
Origination fee	No	4.228% for loans first disbursed on or after October 1, 2020 and before October 1, 2021
Repayment options	Two in-school choices or defer until after school <sup>3</sup>	Check studentaid.gov for available repayment options.
Enrollment status	Full-time, half-time, less than half-time	Must be at least half-time
Grace period	6 months <sup>3</sup>	6 months
Interest capitalization at the end of the grace period	Unpaid interest capitalizes at the end of the 6-month grace period. <sup>3</sup>	Unpaid interest capitalizes when repayment begins at the end of the 6-month grace period.
Benefits	<ul> <li>0.25 percentage-point interest rate reduction for enrolling in and making monthly payments through auto debit<sup>7</sup></li> <li>Quarterly FICO® Credit Score for free<sup>10</sup></li> </ul>	0.25 percentage-point interest rate reduction for automatic debit enrollment
Internship or licensure deferment	Deferment is available in up to 12-month increments; limited to a total of 48 months. <sup>5</sup>	A forbearance may be available if the student meets certain eligibility requirements. See studentaid.gov for more information.
Available to cover prior loan periods	Up to 100% of school-certified costs incurred within the past 365 days <sup>1, 13</sup>	No
Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) required	No (unless it's the school's policy)	Yes, in addition to the FAFSA, some states/colleges require additional forms or applications for aid.
Death and disability loan forgiveness	Yes, if a student dies or becomes permanently and totally disabled, the current balance of the loan will be waived.	Yes, if the primary borrower dies or becomes permanently and totally disabled, the loan will be waived if certain conditions are met.

### **Borrow responsibly**

We encourage students and families to start with savings, grants, scholarships, and federal student loans to pay for college. Students and families should evaluate all anticipated monthly loan payments, and how much the student expects to earn in the future, before considering a private student loan.



View rates and apply today at **salliemae.com/health** or call 866-352-3222