Tuition and Bill Payment Information

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Students will incur a late payment fee in the event of failure to pay a balance on their student account by its due date. A late payment fee of 5% or $10.00, whichever is higher, will be assessed on the total past due amount once per Fall and once per Spring term. An additional 1.5% fee may be charged monthly thereafter on the past due account balance.

Students who fail to pay the indebtedness during the semester in which delinquency occurs will be ineligible to register for subsequent semesters and not be permitted other university privileges including obtaining official transcripts until the debt and the penalty fees are cleared.

In the event a student with a delinquent account becomes registered for a future semester, the account must be settled in full prior to the onset of the future semester, to avoid cancellation of registration for that upcoming term.

The state has established, under legislative mandate, a Central Collections Unit (CCU) within the Department of Budget and Fiscal Planning. The university is required by state law to refer all delinquent accounts to the State Collections Unit. Please note that Maryland law allows the Central Collections Unit to intercept state income tax refunds for individuals with delinquent accounts, and that CCU is authorized to notify a National Credit Bureau of the delinquency at the time the account is referred to it for collection.

Central Collections Unit costs incurred in collecting delinquent accounts will be charged to the student. The minimum collection fee is 17% plus attorney and/or court costs.

No degrees, diplomas, certificates, or transcripts of records will be issued to students who have not made satisfactory settlement of their accounts.

All accounts due from students, faculty, staff, non-students, etc., are included within these guidelines.

Note: Additional Information on Student Financial Obligations, Disclosure of Information, Delinquent Accounts, and Special Fees, can be found in the ‘Policy Statements’ section at the beginning of this catalog.

Payment of Fees

Online
VISA, MasterCard, American Express, and Discover credit cards; VISA and MasterCard debit cards; and ACH (electronic checking or savings account) payments are accepted. There is no fee for ACH payments. There is a 2.75% processing fee charged by the university third party payment processor for credit and debit card payments. Online payments can be made by visiting billpay.umd.edu (https://billpay.umd.edu/).

In Person or Mailed
All checks, money orders, or postal notes should be made payable to ‘University of Maryland’. The student’s University ID number must be written on the front.