

## **OTA PROGRAM EXPENSES, Knoxville Campus**

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**TUITION:** The South College tuition and fees schedule is detailed in the academic catalog. Prospective OTA students complete required pre-requisite courses in quarters 1-2.

Quarter 1	\$7325 (10-20 Credit Hours)
Quarter 2	\$7325 (10-20 Credit Hours)
Quarter 3	\$7325 (10-20 Credit Hours)
Quarter 4	\$7325 (10-20 Credit Hours)
Quarter 5	\$7325 (10-20 Credit Hours)
Quarter 6	\$7325 (10-20 Credit Hours)
Quarter 7	\$7325 (10-20 Credit Hours)
Quarter 8	\$7325 (10-20 Credit Hours)
<b>Total Cost for OTA Tuition</b>	<b>\$58,600</b>

### **Costs of Additional Student Expenses and Fees**

Application Fee (South College)	\$50
Transcript	1st Official No Cost/\$15 Per Additional
Technology Fee	\$695 (per quarter)
Graduation Fee	\$300
<b>Approximate Total Cost of Additional Student Fees</b>	<b>\$5910</b>

### **Estimated Costs of Additional OTA Program Expenses:**

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Item	Cost
Liability Insurance for Educational Fieldwork	Provided by South College
Health Physical (including exam, tests, immunizations)	varied cost
Medical Insurance and Health care expenses	varied cost
• Students are responsible for the cost of any medical services including emergency care while a student at South College Campus and while on fieldwork assignments as a student of the College.	
NBCOT Exam Prep	Provided by South College

Background Check/Drug Screen	\$91.50
CPR Training	Provided by South College
OTA Program Uniforms (Scrubs/Top)	\$50-100
Watch/goniometer	varied cost \$10-30
School supplies/laptop	varied cost
Textbooks (average cost per quarter once enrolled in OTA courses)	\$200-\$400
Transportation to fieldwork sites	varied cost
TNOTA Student Membership (Knoxville students)	\$20
AOTA Student Membership (Asheville students)	\$78
Application Fee/Registration Fee for licensure	\$110 (TN), \$100 (NC)
Certification Exam Fee (If certain qualifications are met, the program may pay a portion)	\$540
<b>Approximate Total Costs of Additional OTA Costs</b>	<b>\$2,769.50</b>

Students are responsible for personal health costs while a student in the OTA program. Emergency care (the level of care depends on the facility type) may be available to the student during a fieldwork experience, but the student is responsible for the cost of this personal health care.