

The loan options available to finance your medical education can be confusing. Throughout your years of medical school at AUA, the Office of Student Financial Services will work closely with you to ensure that you have the necessary information to make informed financial aid decisions.

All Eligible **US Citizens** and **Permanent Residents** attending AUACOM who wish to receive financial aid can apply for federal student aid by submitting a [Free Application for Federal Student Aid \(FAFSA\)[®]](#). If you wish to apply, we have provided the requirements below. Please do not delay, complete your application today!

STEP1 – The Basics

- Create or retrieve your FSA ID at <https://fsaid.ed.gov> and write it down.

STEP 2 – Gather your tax information

- Retrieve your 2019-2020 Tax Returns
- For best results use the IRS Data Retrieval Tool (**IRS DRT**) to auto-populate tax information on the FAFSA

STEP 3 – Complete the FAFSA

- Visit <https://studentaid.ed.gov/sa/fafsa>
- Complete your **2021-2022** FAFSA
- AUA's Federal School Code – **042401**

STEP 4 - Complete the Loan Applications

- Visit studentloans.gov
- Complete Entrance Counseling
- Complete Loan Acknowledgement
- Complete Loan Agreement for a Unsubsidized Loan (MPN)
- Apply for the Direct Graduate Plus Loan
- Complete Loan Agreement for the Graduate Plus Loan (MPN)
- **School Code/Branch: 042401**
- **Loan period: 02/2021 – 12/2022 – New and (GHT) Students Semester 1**