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CU Denver/Anschutz [1]

Applications for spring 2027 open Dec. 1. The Tuition Assistance Benefit application for the spring 2027 semester opens Dec. 1, 2026.

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- Spring 2027
- Fall 2026
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Campus Steps and Deadlines

Apply to CU Denver/Anschutz before the semester begins

Degree applications

Denver Campus: Contact your school or college for complete application details and deadlines.

Anschutz Campus: Contact your school or college for complete application details and deadlines.

Non-degree applications

Denver Campus: Complete the non-degree application [2] by **Jan. 7, 2027.**

Anschutz Campus: Complete the appropriate non-degree applications for the School of Public Health [3] by **Jan. 7, 2027,** College of Nursing [4] by **Jan. 25, 2027**, or the Graduate School [5] by **Dec. 1, 2026**.

Employees/Dependents must apply as a student on the campus of the course.

Register for your courses

Employees and Dependents Register: On designated registration day

- Employees no longer have to wait until 7 days prior to the start of the semester to enroll.
- Please do not contact instructors before the first day of class to ask about waitlists or holding spaces in their courses. This may jeopardize your space in the course.
- Anschutz Campus: Check your program-specific academic calendar [6] for the start date of the specific course(s) you are requesting.
    - The student is responsible for submitting the Student Insurance Waiver if they're covered by other insurance.
- **Only courses listed on your Tuition Assistance Benefit application will be covered by the Tuition Assistance Benefit. If you need to add another course(s), please resubmit a new TAB application with the new course(s) and all other courses that you want covered listed in the previous application by the TAB application deadline.**
- **Note:** If you add, swap, withdraw, or drop a course after your tuition waiver is applied, please contact your campus Bursar's Office at facstaff.waiver@ucdenver.edu [7].

Add/Drop Deadline

Denver Campus: Feb. 3, 2027

Anschutz Campus: Feb. 5, 2027

Pay fees and non-waived tuition

Dependent Deadline: Feb. 5, 2027

Employee Deadline: Feb. 5, 2027

- You must pay any additional fees and/or non-waived tuition by the tuition due date.
- For more information, visit the campus of attendance's Bursar's Office website.
    - CU Denver Bursar's [8]
    - CU Anschutz Bursar's [9]

Colorado resident undergraduates — Apply for the College Opportunity Fund

Application Deadline: May 8, 2027

Authorization Deadline: May 15, 2027

- If you or your dependent are an undergraduate student taking undergraduate courses and are a Colorado resident, apply for the College Opportunity Fund [10] (COF).
- Please note: If these funds are available to you or your dependent and you do not use them, you will be responsible for the tuition amount that would been covered by COF.

Tuition Assistance Steps and Deadlines

Check your eligibility

You must be:

- In a regular, non-temporary benefits eligible job code [11],
- In a 20 hours per week or more appointment (a 50% or greater appointment),
- Eligible for benefits by the tuition assistance application deadline at the campus you will attend.

  Note: If your hire date is the first of the month, your eligibility begins that day. If your job began on any other day of the month, your eligibility begins on the first of the following month.

Apply for the Tuition Assistance Benefit

Application opens: Dec. 1, 2026

Application deadline — Denver Campus: 11:59 p.m. Feb. 3, 2027

Application deadline — Anschutz Campus: 11:59 p.m. Feb. 3, 2027

Use the Tuition Assistance Benefit Application for employee and dependent submissions for all campuses. Employees must submit the application on their dependent's behalf.

Access the application:

1. Log into the employee portal [12].
2. Open the **CU Resources** dropdown menu (at the top left of the page) and select **Forms**.
3. Click the **Benefits** tile, then click the **Tuition Assistance Application** tile.

Note: If your dependent is not listed on your CU health, dental or life insurance, you must submit a Dependent Eligibility Verification Form [13]. When you fill out the Tuition Assistance Benefit Application, attach and submit it with your application.

Watch for a confirmation email within 24 hours after you submit your Tuition Assistance Benefit application

You will receive an email confirmation from tuitionbenefit@cu.edu [14] that we have received your application within 24 hours. Once Employee Services determines your eligibility, you'll receive another email confirmation.

Tuition Assistance steps and approvals

- Employee Services verifies Tuition Assistance employee and dependent eligibility.
- The Registrar's Office at your campus of registration will verify your course/s eligibility, within 2-3 business days.
- You'll receive an email confirmation when your benefit is applied to your student account by the Bursar's Office.

If any courses are ineligible:

- You will have five business days from the receipt of your email notification to drop these courses.
- If you do not drop these courses, you will be responsible for paying out-of-pocket for these courses.

For any questions regarding course eligibility or to tuition waiver being applied to your bill, you can contact Facstaff.waiver@ucdenver.edu [15].

Resubmit Tuition Assistance Benefit Application for enrollment changes, if necessary

Deadline — Denver Campus: 11:59 p.m. Feb. 3, 2027

Deadline — Anschutz Campus: 11:59 p.m. Feb. 3, 2027

If the courses you originally requested have changed, resubmit the Tuition Assistance Benefit application to Employee Services with a list of new courses. Include all courses you would like to use TAB for as resubmitting a new application will cancel your previous submission from the current semester.

We cannot accept course corrections after the Tuition Assistance Benefit application deadline.

Campus Steps and Deadlines

Apply to CU Denver/Anschutz before the semester begins

Degree applications

Denver Campus: Complete the degree application [16]. Contact Admissions for application details and deadlines.

Anschutz Campus: Contact your school or college for complete application details and deadlines.

Non-degree applications

Denver Campus: Complete the non-degree application [2] by **July 31, 2026**.

Anschutz Campus: Complete the appropriate non-degree applications for the School of Public Health [3] by **Aug. 15, 2026,** College of Nursing [4] by **Aug. 16, 2026**, or the Graduate School [5] by **Aug. 1, 2026**.

> Employees/Dependents must apply as a student on the campus of the course.

Register for your courses

Employees and Dependents Register: On designated registration day

- Employees no longer have to wait until 7 days prior to the start of the semester to enroll.
- Please do not contact instructors before the first day of class to ask about waitlists or holding spaces in their courses. This may jeopardize your space in the course.
- Anschutz Campus: Check your program-specific academic calendar [6] for the start date of the specific course(s) you are requesting.
    - The student is responsible for submitting the Student Insurance Waiver if they're covered by other insurance.
- **Only courses listed on your Tuition Assistance Benefit application will be covered by the Tuition Assistance Benefit. If you need to add another course(s), please resubmit a new TAB application with the new course(s) and all other courses that you want covered listed in the previous application by the TAB application deadline.**
- **Note:** If you add, swap, withdraw, or drop a course after your tuition waiver is applied, please contact your campus Bursar's Office at facstaff.waiver@ucdenver.edu [7].

Add/Drop Deadline

Denver Campus: Sept. 2, 2026

Anschutz Campus: Sept. 11, 2026

Pay fees and non-waived tuition

Dependent Deadline: Sept. 4, 2026

Employee Deadline: Sept. 4, 2026

- You must pay any additional fees and/or non-waived tuition by the tuition due date.
- For more information, visit the CU Denver/CU Anschutz Bursar's Office website [17].

Colorado resident undergraduates - Apply for the College Opportunity Fund

Application Deadline: Dec. 5, 2026

Authorization Deadline: Dec. 12, 2026

- If you or your dependent are an undergraduate student taking undergraduate courses and are a Colorado resident, apply for the College Opportunity Fund [10] (COF).
- Please note: If these funds are available to you or your dependent and you do not use them, you will be responsible for the tuition amount that would been covered by COF.

Tuition Assistance Steps and Deadlines

Check your eligibility

You must be:

- In a regular, non-temporary benefits eligible job code [11],
- In a 20 hours per week or more appointment (a 50% or greater appointment),
- Eligible for benefits by the tuition assistance application deadline at the campus you will attend.

  Note: If your hire date is the first of the month, your eligibility begins that day. If your job began on any other day of the month, your eligibility begins on the first of the following month.

Apply for the Tuition Assistance Benefit

Application opens: Aug. 1, 2026

Application deadline - Denver Campus: 11:59 p.m. Sept. 2, 2026

Application deadline - Anschutz Campus: 11:59 p.m. Sept. 2, 2026

Use the Tuition Assistance Benefit Application for employee and dependent submissions for all campuses. Employees must submit the application on their dependent's behalf.

Access the application:

1. Log into the employee portal [12].
2. Open the **CU Resources** dropdown menu (at the top left of the page) and select **Forms**.
3. Click the **Benefits** tile, then click the **Tuition Assistance Application** tile.

Note: If your dependent is not listed on your CU health, dental or life insurance, you must submit a Dependent Eligibility Verification Form [13]. When you fill out the Tuition Assistance Benefit Application, attach and submit it with your application.

Watch for a confirmation email within 24 hours after you submit your Tuition Assistance Benefit application

You will receive an email confirmation from tuitionbenefit@cu.edu [14] that we have received your application within 24 hours. Once Employee Services determines your eligibility, you'll receive another email confirmation.

Tuition Assistance steps and approvals

- Employee Services verifies Tuition Assistance employee and dependent eligibility.
- The Registrar’s Office at your campus of registration will verify your course/s eligibility, within 2-3 business days.
- You’ll receive an email confirmation when your benefit is applied to your student account by the Bursar’s Office.

If any courses are ineligible:

- You will have five business days from the receipt of your email notification to drop these courses.
- If you do not drop these courses, you will be responsible for paying out-of-pocket for these courses.

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Resubmit Tuition Assistance Benefit Application for enrollment changes, if necessary

Fall semester deadline - Denver Campus: 11:59 p.m. Sept. 2, 2026

Fall semester deadline - Anschutz Campus: 11:59 p.m. Sept. 2, 2026

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Degree applications

Denver Campus: Complete the degree application [16]. Contact Admissions for application details and deadlines.

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Non-degree applications

Denver Campus: Complete the non-degree application [2] by **May 1, 2026.**

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Dependents and Employees Register: On designated registration day

- Please do not contact instructors before the first day of class to ask about waitlists or holding spaces in their courses. This may jeopardize your space in the course.
- Anschutz Campus: Check your program-specific academic calendar [19] for the start date

of the specific course(s) you are requesting.
    - **Eligible CU Anschutz programs/courses**
        - College of Nursing
            - Only courses held at the Anschutz Campus are eligible.
        - Colorado School of Public Health
        - Graduate School Programs/Courses
        - Pharmacy Programs (PharmD is ineligible)
            - Pharmaceutical Sciences
            - Toxicology
            - Pharmaceutical Outcomes Research
        - **Ineligible CU Anschutz programs/courses**
            - School of Medicine programs
            - School of Dental Medicine programs
            - Physical Therapy program
            - Skaggs School of Pharmacy PharmD program (traditional & non-traditional)
            - School of Medicine Physician Assistant Program (CHA/PA) program
            - Anesthesiology program
            - Additional ineligible CU Anschutz courses:
                - Courses offered through extended studies
                - All other programs not specifically listed in the above eligible section.
    - The student is responsible for submitting the Student Insurance Waiver if they're covered by other insurance.
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Dependent Deadline: June 19, 2026

Employee Deadline: June 19, 2026

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Authorization Deadline: Aug. 1, 2026

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    - Employees who receive a tuition waiver and are not eligible on the application deadline will have their tuition waiver reversed.

Apply for the Tuition Assistance Benefit

Application opens: May 1, 2026

Application deadlines:

CU Denver - June 16, 2026
CU Anschutz - June 8, 2026

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Upcoming application opening dates

- Spring 2027: Dec. 1, 2026
- Summer 2027: May 1, 2027
- Fall 2027: Aug. 1, 2027

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Employee Services

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