Request Change to Cost of Attendance 2016-2017
Academic Year

Office Use Only
COAADJ

Student Name____________________________________ UIN __________________________

You have notified this department you have special circumstances which your current set estimated cost of
attendance does not cover your basic educational expenses. To determine if adjustments can be made to your set
estimated cost of attendance, please complete the appropriate sections below and return this form with the
applicable documentation. Submission of documentation does not guarantee a cost of attendance adjustment
will be warranted and processed or that additional aid can be awarded.

- We are unable to make changes to your cost of attendance and revise aid for a term that has already ended.
- This form can only be used to change the cost of attendance and is not used to change data listed on the
  Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).

Check Appropriate Reason for Request

____ A. Computer Purchase
Required document (s) for all requests: The receipt of the computer you have purchased or a dated
printout of the computer you are planning to purchase.
  o Computer purchase is a one-time adjustment for your academic career. If your program
    requires a computer with specific minimum requirements to participate in the program and
    the computer purchased with the previous adjustment is no longer viable (ie: stolen or
    broken), an additional adjustment may be made. You MUST provide documentation showing
    the computer from the previous adjustment is no longer viable (ie: police report, estimate to
    repair computer etc.)
  o Adjustment can only be made for a “reasonable” amount. A “reasonable” amount is typically
    up to $1000. A higher amount may be considered for certain required coursework with
    supporting documentation.

____ B. Unexpected Medical/Dental Expenses for student- Narrative Required
Elective medical procedures will not be considered.
  • Copy of all applicable bills
    o Medical/Dental adjustment to increase your cost of attendance can only be done in certain
      situations where extenuating circumstances prevent you, the student, from paying those
      bills. A meeting with a financial aid advisor may be necessary to ascertain if you are eligible
      for this adjustment.

____ C. Room and Board (only under extenuating circumstances will this be increased as this is already
    included in the Cost of Attendance). Narrative required with documentation.
  • Copies of 3 months bills such as utility, gas, water, etc.
  • Copy of lease agreement

____ D. Dependent care/Child care expenses-Narrative required
  • Copies of receipt(s)/contract indicating monthly payment amount.

____ E. Other: (Description) Narrative required, please attach:

____________________________________________________________________________________
____________________________________________________________________________________
____________________________________________________________________________________

Student Signature ____________________________________ Date ______________