



To: Financial Aid Office; Deans; HSTA Office
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 Subject: **Updated HSTA graduate waiver list**

After review, the Graduate Studies office and Finance Office are updating the list of programs eligible for the HSTA graduate waiver. This change will be effective starting in Fall 2025. The list of eligible programs for the 2025-26 academic year is shown below. ***With the exception of the DPT and MD programs, each program may award up to two (2) new HSTA graduate waivers for each academic year.*** If any of the programs is replaced by an equivalent program via the curricular change process, the replacement program will also be eligible for the HSTA graduate waiver.

Degree	CIP	Degree	CIP
MA, Biological Sciences	26.0101	MS, Environmental Science	51.2202
MA, Communication Studies	09.0101	MS, Exercise Science	31.0505
MA, Counseling	13.1101	MS, Forensic Science	43.0406
MA, Geography	45.0701	MS, Health Informatics	51.2706
MA, Mathematics	27.0101	MS, Information Systems	11.0401
MA, Pharmaceutical Sciences	51.2010	MS, Pharmaceutical Sciences	51.2010
MA, Psychology	42.0101	MS, Physics	40.0101
MSME, Mechanical Engineering	14.1901	MS, Safety	15.0701
MMS, Physician Assistant	51.0912	MS, Sport Administration	13.1314
MPH, Master of Public Health	51.2201	MS, Technology Management	11.1099
MS Health Care Admin	51.0701	MSE, Civil/Environmental Engr	14.0101
MS, Athletic Training Professional	51.0913	MSE, Environmental Engineering	14.0101
MS, Biological Sciences	26.0101	MSEE, Electrical/Computer Engr	14.1001
MS, Biomechanics	51.2314	MSN, Nursing	51.3805
MS, Biomedical Research	26.0102	MSW, Master of Social Work	44.0701
MS, Chemistry	40.0501	DNP, Doc of Nursing Practice	51.3818
MS, Communication Disorders	51.0204	DPT, Physical Therapy *	51.2308
MS, Computer Science	11.0101	MD, Medicine **	51.1201
MS, Cyber Forensics & Security	43.0403	PharmD, Doctor of Pharmacy ***	51.2001
MS, Cybersecurity	11.1003	PhD, Biomedical Research	26.0102
MS, Data Science	30.7001	PhD, Biomedical Sciences	26.0102
MS, Dietetics	51.3101	PsyD, Psychology	42.2801
MS, Environ Safety and Health	15.0701		

* The DPT program offers a HSTA scholarship in place of the regular HSTA graduate waiver. The DPT HSTA Scholarship offers \$1,100 for six semesters.

** The MD Program is not limited to 2 new waivers per year, and awards HSTA graduate waivers at the discretion of the School of Medicine.

*** The PharmD program offers a HSTA scholarship in place of the regular HSTA graduate waiver. Please contact the program for additional details.