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FINANCIAL AID BUDGET INCREASE REQUEST FORM

Name: _____ **SB ID:** _____
Last First M.I.

Telephone Number: _____ **Email:** _____

The financial aid that you were offered is based on a standard cost of attendance (COA). Please review your COA in SOLAR before submitting your request for a budget increase to determine if costs have already been included. Be aware that we can only review *allowable educational expenses* for a budget increase. Also, if you are already receiving the annual maximum loan based on your grade level, there may not be any additional aid to offer you.

✓ **Attach a letter of explanation for requesting a budget increase and submit along with this form.**

Request Period: _____ to _____
(Starting Month) (Ending Month)

Budget Category <i>(Complete items for which you are requesting an increase)</i>	Student Cost <i>(Indicate cost per month)</i>	Documentation Required
Room and Board	\$	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Copy of lease or rental agreement • Copy of utility bills specifying your portion (if claiming this expense) • Copy of meal plan or accounting of monthly expenses
Books and Required Equipment/Supplies	\$	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Submit receipts for all purchases • Statement from instructor confirming required books, supplies, and/or equipment
Student Health Insurance Cost*	\$	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Copy of bill
Personal (child care, dependent living cost, etc.)	\$	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Receipts from babysitter or day care center • Receipt from service provider
Computer/Printer Purchase (\$2500 max allowance)	\$	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Receipt of purchase
Other Educational-Related Expenses	\$	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Itemization and documentation of expenses

* If you &/or your parents (if dependent) have excessive medical expenses not covered by insurance, you may be eligible for a re-evaluation in reducing your Expected Family Contribution (EFC). For more information, visit <http://www.stonybrook.edu/commcms/finaid/applying/re-evaluation.html>

Please allow 10 business days for processing. When a determination is made, you will be notified on Stony Brook's SOLAR system.

I certify that the information provided on this form is accurate.

Student Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

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Financial Aid Mailing and Contact Information

Please mail or fax all documents to the appropriate financial aid department listed below. Be sure to include the student's name and **Stony Brook ID** on all correspondence.

School of Medicine	All Other Graduate and Undergraduate Programs
<p>Office of Student Affairs HSC Level 4, Room 147 Stony Brook, NY 11794-8436 Telephone: 631-444-2341 Fax: 631-444-8921 RSOMFinancialAid@stonybrookmedicine.edu</p>	<p>Office of Financial Aid and Scholarship Services Stony Brook Union, Suite 208 Stony Brook, NY 11794-3252 Telephone: 631-632-6840 Fax: 631-632-9525 finaid@stonybrook.edu</p>