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GRADUATE STUDENT FINANCIAL AID APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS 2011-2012

Priority Application Date: March 15, 2011

Johns Hopkins administers both federal and institutional aid programs. As a student at a professional school, you are considered independent and you must submit financial information about yourself and your spouse.

You must be a United States citizen or permanent resident to apply for Federal Financial Aid at the School of Medicine.

REQUIRED APPLICATION MATERIAL

1. Complete The Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine Financial Aid Application. Submit the completed application to the Financial Aid Office. The application is located on our website at http://www.hopkinsmedicine.org/som/offices/finaid/apply_for_aid/
2. Complete the **FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid)**.
 - Complete the FAFSA electronically at <http://www.fafsa.ed.gov>
 - **Renewal FAFSA.** If you filed a FAFSA or renewal FAFSA for 2010-2011, you can save time by updating that data on the 2011-2012 renewal form. The Department of Education is no longer mailing paper renewal forms, so you must file electronically to use this option. You will need your **PIN** (Personal Identification Number). If you have forgotten your PIN, you can request a duplicate PIN at www.pin.ed.gov . You can also call the Federal Student Aid Information Center at 1-800-4-FED-AID for assistance.
 - For new filers, after completing your online FAFSA, the Department of Education will send you a **PIN** number. This serves as your electronic signature when you complete your renewal FAFSA for the next award year.
 - The **FAFSA school code** is **E00235** for the Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine.
 - Maryland State residents applying for Maryland State scholarship funding must complete the FAFSA application by the March 1, 2011 State deadline.

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- 3. FEDERAL INCOME TAX RETURNS FOR 2010.** Federal income tax returns and W-2 forms will be required **only** if your financial aid application is selected for federal verification by the Department of Education. Your processed FAFSA application Student Aid Report will indicate if your application has been selected. (State tax returns are not required).
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Questions? Contact the Financial Aid Office at 410-955-1324 or finaid@jhmi.edu