

University of Rochester School of Medicine and Dentistry
2008-2009 Financial Aid Application Instructions
for M.P.H., M.S., & Ph.D. Students & Post Graduate Dental Students

TO APPLY FOR LOANS and/or FEDERAL WORKSTUDY FUNDS

- Submit a FAFSA** (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) Select from the following the most convenient means of submitting your data to the federal processing center:
1. **If you submitted a 07/08 FAFSA** you may choose the pre-filled option (previously called a Renewal FAFSA). In order to use this option *via the Web*, a Federal Student Aid PIN is required. The website to request a PIN is: www.pin.ed.gov/.
 - For 08/09 an updated FAFSA on the Web Worksheet will be available to assist you in doing your FAFSA online.
 2. If you did not file a 07/08 FAFSA you can still apply via the web by using FAFSA *on the Web* → www.fafsa.ed.gov/. ***This will be a blank application that you file on line.***
 3. If you wish to file a paper FAFSA, please call 1-800-433-3243 to request one.
- Complete and submit a Financial Aid Graduate application form to the Financial Aid Office (FAO).** Form is available in the FAO or at our website:
http://www.urmc.rochester.edu/smd/admissions/financial_aid/
- Send a photocopy of your signed 2007 federal income tax return to the FAO.**
- Submit all supporting documentation required by the Department of Education to the FAO.** When you receive your Student Aid Report from the Department of Education, review the information for accuracy. Read all printed comments on the front page. If you have either an “*” or a “C” next to the EFC on the upper right side of your SAR you are required to provide additional information to the financial aid office before you are eligible to receive federal funds.

FYI, in completing your FAFSA.....

- ◆ The School of Medicine & Dentistry’s code number is **G24601**.
- ◆ If you include your e-mail address on your FAFSA, you’ll receive an e-mail with a link to your online Student Aid Report (SAR) within 5 days. Otherwise you’ll receive a paper SAR in the mail in about 2 weeks. If you don’t hear anything within 2 weeks, return to www.fafsa.ed.gov and select “Check the Status of a Submitted FAFSA.”
- ◆ If you choose to use FAFSA on the Web and encounter technical difficulty please call FAFSA on the Web Customer Service at 1-800-801-0576 or for help with a specific application question contact the Federal Student Aid Information Center at 1-800-4-FED-AID.
