



## Narrative Focused Trauma Care® (NFTC) Level I Costs & Payment Information

*2026-2027 Program Year*

Thank you for your interest in applying for Narrative Focused Trauma Care Level I training with the Allender Center! Please review the following payment information for this program year and make sure you are financially prepared to pay for the cost of this program before committing to it. If you have any questions or concerns about payments, or if you would like to see what financial assistance is available, please reach out to us at [programs@theallendercenter.org](mailto:programs@theallendercenter.org).

### Program Costs for Level I Training

- Virtual Cohort: \$7,495
- In-Person Cohort: \$8,495\*

A non-refundable \$50 application fee is required (waived when you apply by March 2, 2026).

Upon receiving your notification of acceptance to NFTC Level I, you will be invited to complete your enrollment through our course portal. This step confirms your place in the program and includes selecting the payment option that best supports you.

During enrollment, you may choose to:

- Pay in full
- Pay in 4 monthly installments
- Pay in 8 monthly installments

Your spot is secured when you select your payment option and submit your first payment. A \$500 portion of the total program cost is designated as a non-refundable Deposit.

Limited partial scholarships are also available; see below.

Both cohorts include 85 seat hours of Continuing Education Units (CEUs).

*\*The In-Person Cohort cost reflects the additional expenses involved in hosting and staffing an onsite experience. Attendance also includes daily access to light breakfast items, snacks, refreshments, and lunches.*

## Scholarships Are Available

We believe in the importance of this work and do our best to make this offering accessible. If the cost of the program is a barrier, we encourage you to invite your community to consider sponsoring you. We are also grateful to be able to offer a limited number of partial scholarships thanks to the generosity of our donor community.

For the 2026-27 program year, two scholarship tiers are available. The majority of awards are offered at the 15% scholarship level, with a more limited number of 25% scholarships reserved for applicants with significant financial need.

- 15% Scholarship: \$1,124 off the Virtual Cohort; \$1,274 off the In-Person Cohort
- 25% Scholarship: \$1,873 off the Virtual Cohort; \$2,123 off the In-Person Cohort

Scholarship instructions are provided during the application submission process and include a brief self-reflection and self-assessment component. Scholarship awards are typically made on a first-come, first-served basis for applicants who are deemed eligible. In making awards, we prioritize applicants experiencing current financial hardship and/or those who face systemic barriers that limit access to wealth and opportunities.

If a scholarship is approved, you will be notified of your award amount at the time you receive your program acceptance.

If you are not initially awarded a scholarship but still choose to enroll at the standard fee, we trust this indicates you have found a way to cover the cost without scholarship assistance. We do not retroactively apply scholarships to those who have already enrolled.

## Cancellation, Payment, and Refund Policy

The Center understands that unforeseen circumstances may arise and wants to be clear about our financial policies regarding withdrawals or deferments that occur after you enroll. This policy exists because your enrollment reserves a limited spot in our program, and cancellations close to the start date make it difficult for us to fill that space. As a nonprofit we strive to steward our resources wisely, and withdrawals create financial challenges that impact our ability to operate and serve others effectively. We appreciate your understanding.

Once you receive your acceptance notice and choose to complete your enrollment, the following payment and refund policies go into effect:

- To secure your spot in the program you can pay in full or set up a payment plan through our course portal. A \$500 portion of the total Program fee is designated as a non-refundable, non-transferable Deposit.
- If you withdraw or defer after completing your enrollment, Program fees may be refundable or still due, based on the following schedule. If an amount is still due, you are responsible for paying the amount through an existing payment plan or another payment method. Any retained fees are non-transferable:
  - Withdrawals or Deferments communicated on or before June 15, 2026: The \$500 deposit is retained; 100% of any other Program fees paid will be refunded.
  - Withdrawals or Deferments communicated June 16-September 19, 2026: You are responsible to pay 25% of the total Program fee. Any amount above 25% that you have already paid will be refunded.

- Withdrawals or Deferments communicated September 20-November 11, 2026: You are responsible to pay 50% of the total Program fee. Any amount above 50% that you have already paid will be refunded.
- Withdrawals or Deferments communicated November 12, 2026 or later: You are responsible to pay 100% of the total Program fee.

If you choose to cancel or withdraw from the program, please promptly notify the Center in writing by sending an email to [programs@theallendercenter.org](mailto:programs@theallendercenter.org).

## Questions about your application, costs, or scholarships?

We are here to help you! Please reach out to our team with your questions at [programs@theallendercenter.org](mailto:programs@theallendercenter.org).