If you don't qualify for health insurance coverage, you can still get free or low-cost care at:

NYC Health + Hospitals

To learn more about NYC Health + Hospitals, visit https://www.nychealthandhospitals.org/ paying-for-your-health-care/hhc-options/

Community Health Centers

To find a community health center near you, visit www.chcanys.org/ and use the "Find A Health Center" button.

Department of Health and Mental Hygiene Health Centers

To find a health center near you, visit www.nyc.gov/health and select the "Services" tab.

NYC Care

You may qualify for this program, available in all five boroughs, that allows you to access care through NYC Health + Hospitals facilities. If you are a resident of New York City for at least six months and don't qualify for or can't afford coverage, you can enroll in NYC Care by meeting with a NYC Health + Hospitals financial counselor, a MetroPlus health plan representative, or going to a community-based organization. For more information call 1-646-NYC-CARE (1-646-692-2273) or visit **nyccare.nyc**

Concerned About Public Benefits & Immigration?

As of March 9, 2021, the 2019 public charge rule is no longer in effect. The United States Citizenship and Immigration Services is following the 1999 public charge guidance.

Stay up to date on important information about "public charge" at nyc.gov/publiccharge



Get Free Enrollment Help

- Call 311 or Text "CoveredNYC" to 877-877
- You can contact your Health Director on your campus or
- Call 311 and say, "health insurance."

This information is for general educational purposes and is not legal advice.

For more information about health insurance options, visit www.nyc.gov/hilink



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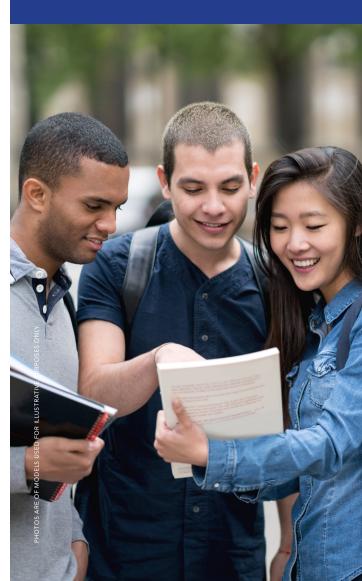
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Health Insurance and You

Coverage and Care for International Students





New York makes it easy for international students to get health coverage and care. You can get more affordable health care when you have health insurance.

You can get health insurance coverage through the New York State of Health Marketplace and free or reduced medical care at Health and Hospitals Corporation, Department of Health and Community Health Centers.



New York State of Health Insurance Options



Child Health Plus

Regardless of your immigration status, if you are under the age of 19, you may qualify for this coverage. This program provides children with health care for free or at low monthly premium depending on income. There are no copayments for services.

Medicaid for Pregnant Women

Regardless of your immigration status, if you're pregnant, you may qualify for Medicaid. You will need to provide proof of identity, income and residency. This program helps you receive prenatal care and other services such as lab tests, HIV tests, nutrition screenings, related to pregnancy and other medical care covered by Medicaid. Coverage lasts until at least two months after delivery for the parent and the baby is insured for up to a year after birth.

Essential Plan

The Essential Plan is a free or low cost health plan for eligible adults who don't qualify for Medicaid or other coverage. You may qualify if you are a New York resident and have a valid student visa. Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) recipients and undocumented immigrants are not eligible for the Essential Plan.

Qualified Health Plans

Qualified Health Plans are private health insurance plans. They provide essential health benefits and follow established limits on deductibles, co-payments, coinsurance and out-of-pocket maximum costs. The American Rescue Plan expanded financial assistance to lower your monthly premiums for Qualified Health Plans when enrolling through NY State of Health.

Other Coverage Options



Medicaid for the Treatment of an Emergency Medical Condition

This coverage, sometimes called Emergency Medicaid, helps eligible, undocumented, and temporary immigrant New Yorkers get care and pay for medical costs when they have a medical emergency.

Family Planning Extension Program

This program covers all women and adolescents who lose their Medicaid eligibility after the end of pregnancy and who don't have other health insurance coverage, regardless of immigration status. This covers all forms of birth control, emergency contraceptive services, preventive screenings, STI and HIV counseling, testing, and treatment, and pregnancy counseling and testing. Coverage begins 60 days after giving birth and provides up to 24 months of care.